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Transportation of Statue from Marsaxlokk to Birzebbugia by vessel

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, would like to notify mariners that the Statue of St. Peter will be loaded on a vessel at Marsaxlokk and transported from there to Birzebbugia on Friday 5 August 2016.

The programme is as follows:

At 1900 hrs vessels are to gather at St. George's Bay – Birzebbugia, and sail towards Marsaxlokk.

At 1915 hrs the statue will be placed on a vessel at Marsaxlokk (point A shown on attached chart) and the vessel will sail towards Birzebbugia. Near San Lucjan tower they will meet the vessels that left from Birzebbugia and navigate together towards Pretty Bay - Birzebbugia.

At 2010 hrs they will arrive at the quay at Pretty Bay - Birzebbugia (point B shown on attached chart) where the statue will be unloaded from the vessel.

Mariners are to navigate with caution at slow speed and to keep a sharp lookout when in the vicinity to the above-mentioned event and when sighted they are to give the participants a wide berth. They are to obey any instructions that are issued by Marsaxlokk Port Control (Marsaxlokk VTS) and the organisers

Chart affected BA Chart 36.

