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PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

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Fireworks Display from Manoel Island in Sliema Creek, Marsamxett Harbour

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta notifies Mariners that fireworks will be let off from the foreshore in Sliema Creek, centered in Positions:

Position	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
A	35° 54'.319	014° 30'.321
B	35° 54'.258	014° 29'.792
C	35° 54'.291	014° 29'.766

The aerial and foreshore fireworks displays will take place on the following dates and times.

From positions as shown on the attached chart,

Friday 7th July, 2017

From **point A (on Manoel Island)** at 0800hrs, 1200noon, 1800hrs and between 2215hrs and 2300hrs a safety distance of 300m is required.

From **Point B on Manoel Island Bridge** between 2300hrs and mid-night a safety distance of 15m is required.

Saturday 8th July, 2017

From **point A (on Manoel Island)** at 0800hrs, 1200noon, at 1800hrs and between 2215hrs and 2300hrs a safety distance of 300m is required.

From **Point C** between 2300hrs and mid-night from the Strand adjacent to Manoel Island Bridge near the water edge. A safety distance of 15m is required.



Sunday 9th July, 2017

From **point A (on Manoel Island) at 0800hrs, 1915hrs and between 2000hrs and 2230hrs a safety distance of 300m is required.**

In view of the above, mariners are informed that navigation within 300 meters from the above position **A** in Marsamxett Harbour will be prohibited during the time of fireworks. All craft moored within the indicated areas (as shown on attached chart) are to be removed on the above-mentioned dates and times of the fireworks displays. The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta will accept no Liabilities whatsoever for any vessels that are left lying in the area on the above mentioned dates and times

Mariners are to obey directives issued by the Valletta VTS (Valletta Port Control), and by Police in the area.

Chart Affected: BA 177

