



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

## NOTICE TO MARINERS No 11 OF 2020

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### **Live firing practice at Pembroke Ranges – 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> March 2020 - Extended hours**

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta notifies that further to Notice to Mariners No 2 of 2019, the Armed Forces of Malta will carry out Live Firing Practice on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2020 with extended hours between 1800 hours and 2300 hours (Local Time).

The exercise area (LM-D6) is delineated by sector ABC.

From Position A

	LATITUDE (N)	LONGITUDE (E)
A	35° 55'.540	014° 28'.320 (Centre point on land),

a radius of 4 Nautical miles to points

B	35° 59'.460	014° 27'.150 and
C	35° 58'.290	014° 32'.190

During the Live Firing Practice Red Flags (approximate size 2.5m x 2m) will be flown from the shore limits. After sunset instead of the Red Flags there will be Red Lights and there will be two safety vessels with blue lights on each side, to indicate the limit. Mariners are warned to keep as a minimum 4 Nautical miles off the coast when the flags or safety vessels are sighted.

Moreover, any instructions given by Valletta Port Control (VTS) on VHF channel 12 and the Armed Forces of Malta are to be strictly observed.

Charts affected: **BA 2538, 2537, 194.**

Positions referred to **WGS 84 DATUM**