

PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

NOTICE TO MARINERS No 04 of 2022

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Live firing practice at Pembroke Ranges – 24 January 2022 - Extended hours

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta notifies that further to Notice to Mariners No 24 of 2021, the Armed Forces of Malta will carry out Live Firing Practice on Monday 24th January 2022 with extended hours between 1630 hours and 2230 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 on VHF Channels **12** and/or **16** by Valletta Port Control (Valletta VTS) and the Armed Forces of Malta are to be strictly observed.

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

Positions referred to WGS 84 DATUM