

PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS Nº 084 OF 2023

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Voomquest - UIM V2 Class World Championship Race – 2023 (alternate match racing event to be held in the Grand Harbour)

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners that the Voomquest - UIM V2 Class World Championship Race – 2023 which was scheduled to be held off Sliema between Friday 19th May 2023 and Sunday 21st May 2023, may be held within the Grand Harbour subject to weather on the days concerned.

A securite message will be issued by VTS on the days when the event will take place within the Grand Harbour.

Navigation will be restricted within the area in line with the points X, Y, Z.

Mega yellow buoys will be laid on the day at points X, Y and Z (as shown on the attached chart 1) prior to the start and will be removed on completion of the race.

POSITION	LATITUDE (N)	LONGITUDE (E)
Χ	35°54'.058	014°31'.446
Υ	35°53'.790	014°31'.094
Z	35°53'.522	014°30'.744

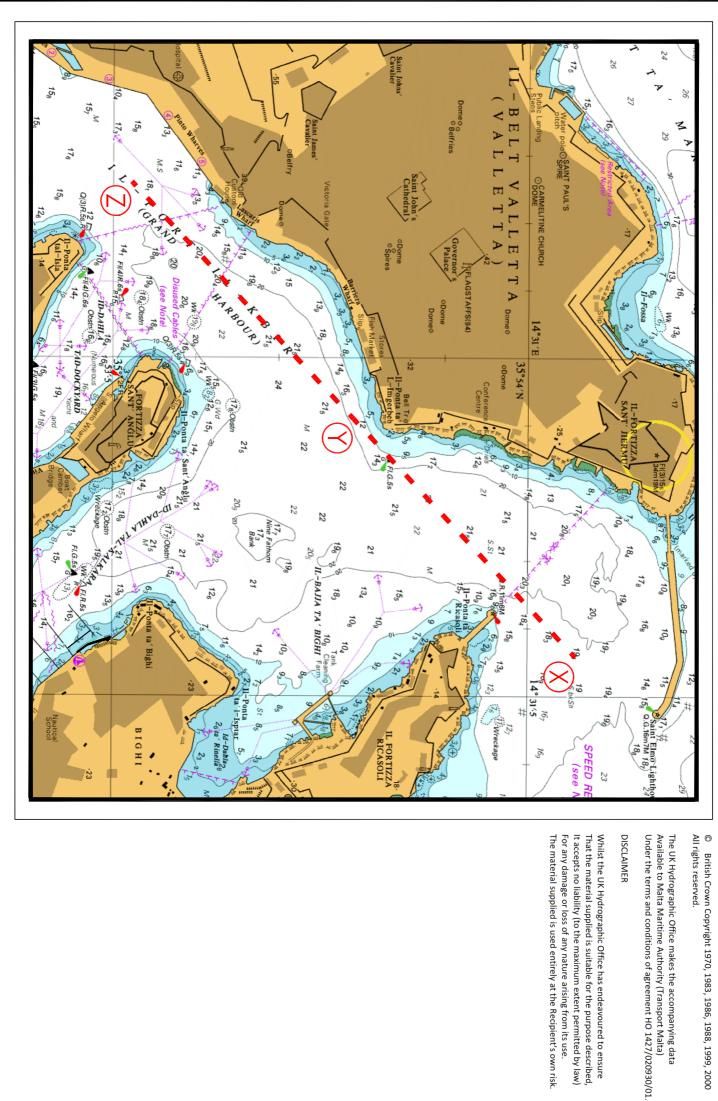
Races will be held from Saturday 20th May 2022 to Sunday 21st May 2022 between 1100 hours and 1600 hours.

Mariners are instructed to communicate with VTS on Ch. 12 for all port movements.

They are to cooperate with the organizers and Maritime Enforcement officers in the area. Moreover, they are to comply with instructions given on VHF Channel 12 and/or 16 by Valletta VTS.

Charts Affected: **BA 177, 194, 2537 and 2538**

Positions referred to WGS 84 DATUM



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