

PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS No 030 OF 2019

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Infrastructure Malta - Ferry Landing in Bormla

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta notifies Mariners that Infrastructure Malta will start construction works at Machinery Wharf in Id-Dahla tad-Dockyard in The Grand Harbour on Monday 22nd April 2019.

These works will include the use of vessels/barges/workboats and divers. Temporary shutter works over water and below sea level, as well as a silt curtain will be installed. In view of the above, a 30m safety zone around the working area is to be maintained.

The work is expected to be completed by November 2019.

A silt curtain will be laid along the lines A, B, C, D, E and F (shown hatched in blue on attached chart). This will indicate the work area and will have lights at the mentioned points.

A circular area, shown hatched in blue on attached chart, will be used as a turning circle for the vessels/barges/workboat hence is to be kept free at all times.

Masters and operators of vessels are informed that no vessel will be allowed to berth alongside that section of the quay while works are in progress.

They are to seek information about operating restrictions from Transport Malta and coordinate with the contractors on site. Further details about these works can be obtained from Infrastructure Malta on <u>info.im@infrastructuremalta.com</u>.

They are also advised to keep a sharp lookout, navigate with caution and very slow speed and give the indicated areas a wide berth. They are to comply with any instructions given by Valletta Port Control (Valletta VTS) on VHF Channel 12 and Enforcement Personnel on site.

Charts affected: **BA 177**



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