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Seabed clean-up in Marsamxett Harbour

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners that a seabed clean-up operation by divers in Marsamxett Harbour, within the two areas (A and B), as shown in red on the attached chart, will be held on Sunday 21st April 2024, between 0900 hours and 1500 hours.

The divers will be assisted by a RIBH which will be exhibiting the international code of Signals flag "A".

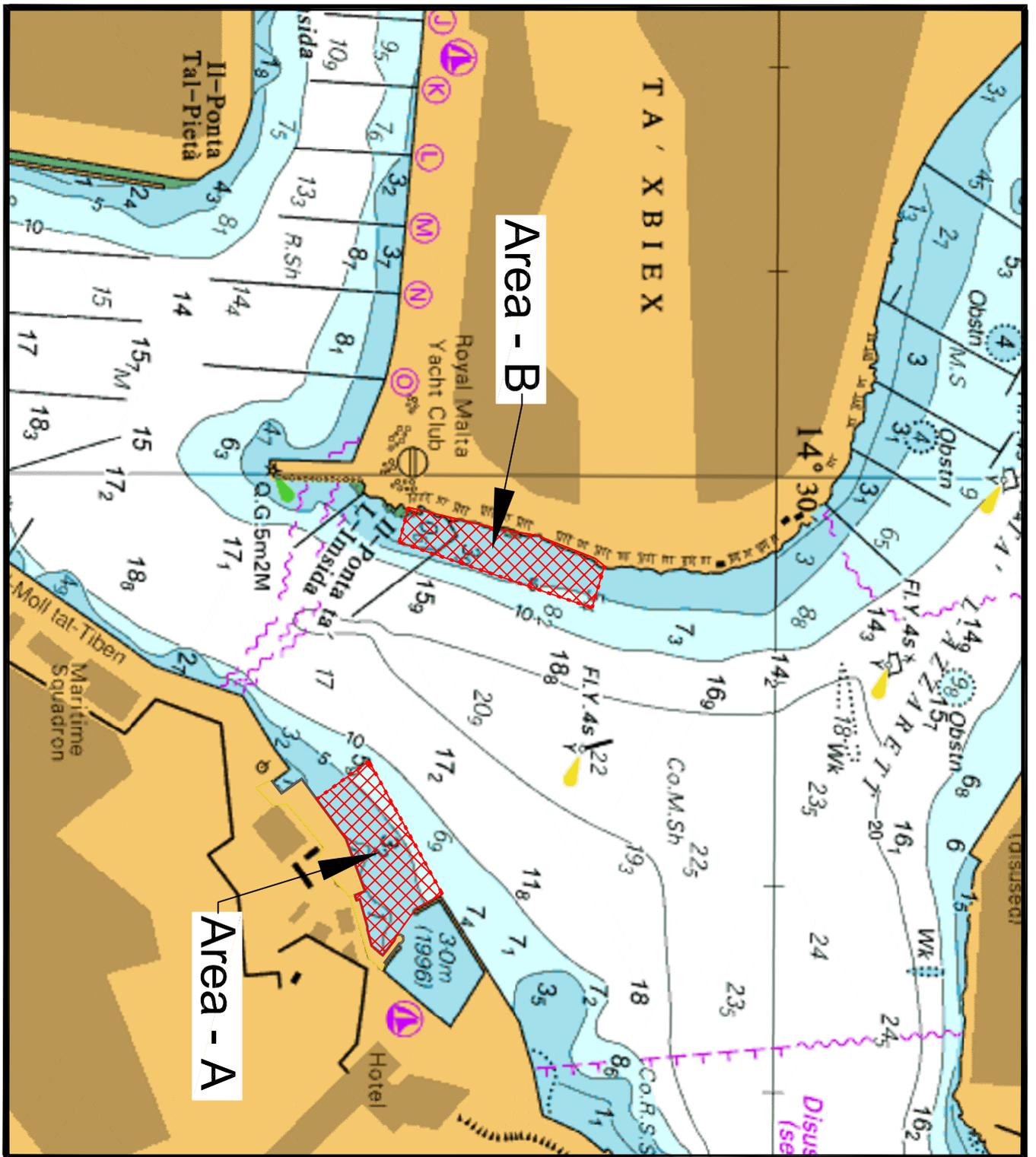
During the event there will also be some small sailing boats, going round within Marsamxett Harbour, collecting any floating marine debris there might be at the surface.

If due to weather conditions the seabed clean-up cannot be held on the stipulated date, they will try to hold it on Sunday 28th April 2024 instead.

Mariners are advised to keep a sharp lookout and navigate with extreme caution and at slow speed when in the vicinity, on the stipulated date and time.

They are to cooperate with the organisers and to comply with any instructions issued on VHF channel 12 and/or 16 by Valletta VTS and by any Enforcement Personnel on site.

Charts affected: **BA 211**



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