



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS N° 036 of 2024

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Survey for proposed Medusa cable route at Golden Bay - Nearshore

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners that several types of investigative surveys will be carried out for the proposed Medusa cable route at Golden Bay - Nearshore.

Weather permitting, the survey is planned to start on Monday 29th April 2024 and be completed by Friday 31st May 2024, along the route A to B, as shown on the attached chart:

	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
A	35° 56'.072	14° 20'.667
B	35° 55'.320	14° 19'.688

The survey vessel will be towing survey equipment, 30m behind, and will be restricted in her ability to manoeuvre and will be displaying the appropriate signals in compliance with the International Regulations for the Prevention of Collisions at sea. During the survey, the support vessel, will proceed at slow speed.

Mariners are instructed to navigate with caution and to maintain a safe distance of 100m from the survey vessel when it is detected or sighted.

Mariners are also notified to comply with any instructions issued on VHF channel 12 and/or 16 by Valletta VTS.

Charts Affected: **BA 2537**

