LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS No 052 of 2020

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15 June 2020

Repair works on both Breakwater Arms, Grand Harbour – Valletta

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta notifies mariners that repair works will be carried out on both St. Elmo Breakwater Arm and Ricasoli Breakwater Arm, Grand Harbour – Valletta.

Works will start with immediate effect and are expected to be completed by Thursday 15th October 2020.
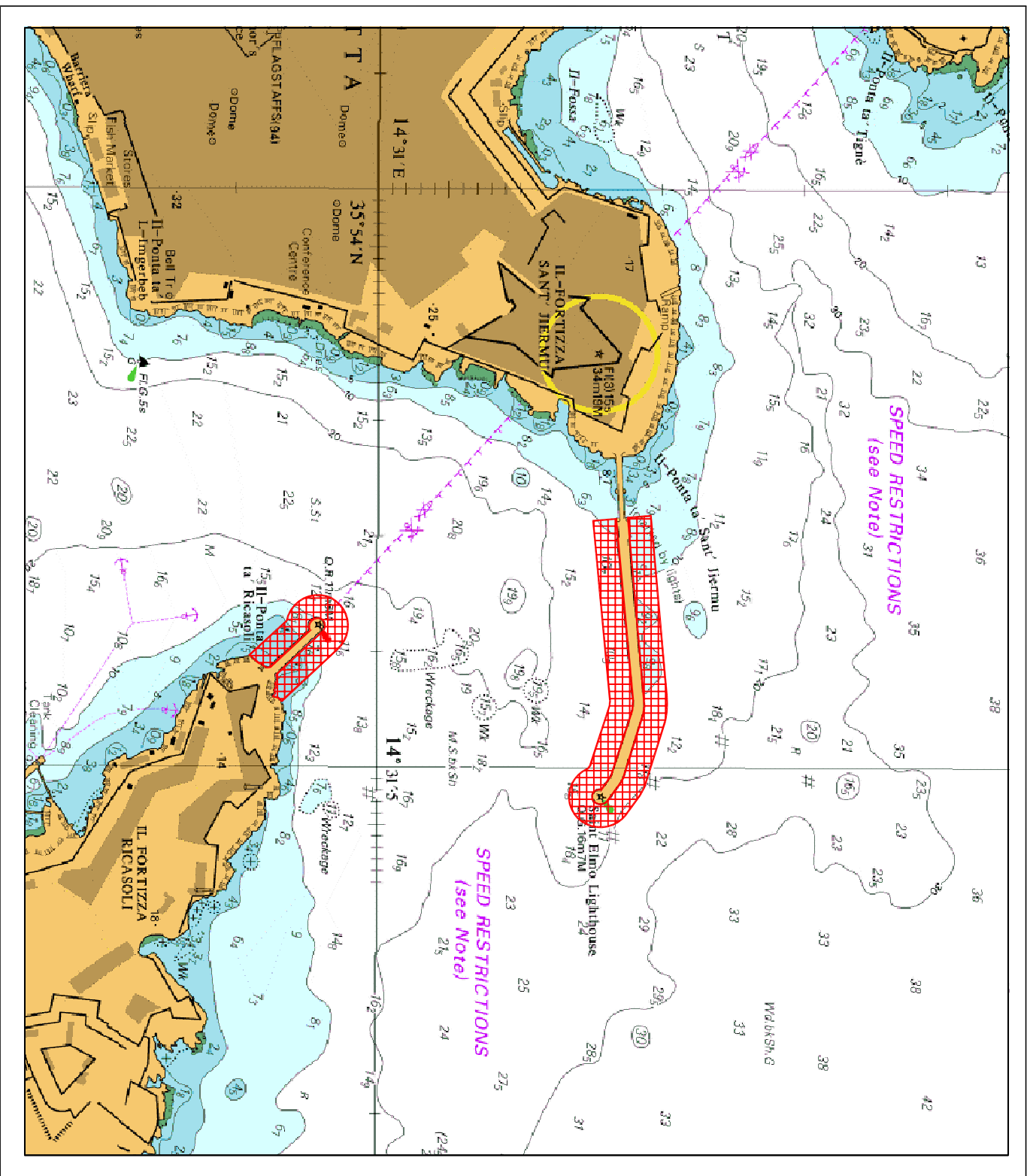
The works will be carried out within the areas shown hatched in red on attached chart and consist of the retrieval of hard stone slabs from the seabed and replacing missing coping slabs.

A diver will be involved in the works and will be assisted by the following vessels, Seawolf II, Betty, Hurricane, B45 which will be displaying the international code of Signals flag "A" when diving is taking place

Masters and vessel operators are instructed that with immediate effect and until further notice they are to keep a sharp lookout, navigate with caution and slow speed (No Wake) and give the above-mentioned vessels and diver a wide berth.

Masters of all vessels are also advised to keep a constant watch on VHF channel 12 for any new information which will be advised by Valletta Port Control (Valletta VTS).

Chart Affected: **BA 177**

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IL-FORTIZZA SANT' JIERMU

IL FORTIZZA RICASOLI

Il-Ponta ta' Sant' Jiermu

Sant Elmo Lighthouse

14°31'E

14°31'·5

35°54'N