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PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS N° 136 of 2023

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Ocean Festival Swim from Golden Bay to Għar Lapsi

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, hereby notifies mariners that a swim from Golden Bay to Għar will be held on Monday 31st July 2023.

The swimmers will depart from Golden Bay (point A) at approximately 0700 hours and finish at Għar Lapsi (point H) at approximately 1400 hours. They will be following the route along the points A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H as shown on the attached chart.

Several vessels will be accompanying the swimmers.

Mariners are advised to keep a sharp lookout, navigate at slow speed (no wake) and keep well clear of the area during the stipulated time and giving the swimmers and the support vessels, a wide berth.

All mariners are to adhere closely to any instructions issued by on VHF channel 12 and/or 16 by Valletta VTS and by the maritime enforcement assets in the area.

Charts affected: **BA 2537**

