



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

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### Live Gunnery Firing Practice from Pembroke Ranges (LMD-1) in November 2021

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta notifies that the Armed Forces of Malta shall conduct a live gunnery firing practice from the Pembroke Ranges between Monday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2021 and Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2021. The firing practice will take place between 0800 hours to 1800 hours local time, (0700 hours to 1700 hours UTC).

The exercise will take place within the area enclosed by the points A, B & C as follows:

From Position A:

LATITUDE (N)	LONGITUDE (E)
35° 55'.900	014° 28'.533

thence on a bearing of 335° True x 8.5 nautical miles to:

Position B:

LATITUDE (N)	LONGITUDE (E)
36° 03'.620	014° 24'.100

thence on an arc of a circle radius 8.5 nautical miles centred on position A to:

Position C:

LATITUDE (N)	LONGITUDE (E)
36° 00'.150	014° 37'.600

thence on a bearing of 240° True to position A.



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All vessels in the vicinity must proceed with caution and keep at least eight and a half nautical miles (8.5NM) off the Pembroke Coast on the dates and times indicated.

Mariners are also informed that a corridor of two nautical miles (2NM) between the coast and the line X to Y (as shown on attached chart) has been established for the passage of all vessels on the above-mentioned dates and times. Any vessel intending to transit through this corridor within these times is to communicate with Malta VTS (Malta Coast Radio Station) on VHF channel 69 for final approval prior to entering the area.

	LATITUDE (N)	LONGITUDE (E)
X	35° 59'.651	014° 26'.381
Y	35° 57'.239	014° 31'.385

Instructions given by AFM craft patrolling the area, on VHF channel 69 Malta VTS and on VHF channel 12 and/or 16 Valletta VTS are always to be complied with.

Chart affected: **BA 194, 2537 and 2538**

Positions referred to **WGS 84 DATUM**