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PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS Nº 062 of 2023

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Swim from Hondoq ir-Rummien, Gozo to Ir-Ramla tal-Qortin, Malta

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, hereby notifies mariners that a swim from Hondoq ir-Rummien, Gozo to Ir-Ramla tal-Qortin, Malta will be held on Monday 1st May 2023.

The swimmers will depart from Hondoq ir-Rummien - Gozo (point A) at approximately 0800 hours and finish at Ir-Ramla tal-Qortin, Malta (point G) at approximately 1100 hours. They will be following the route along the points A, B, C, D, E, F, and G as shown on the attached chart.

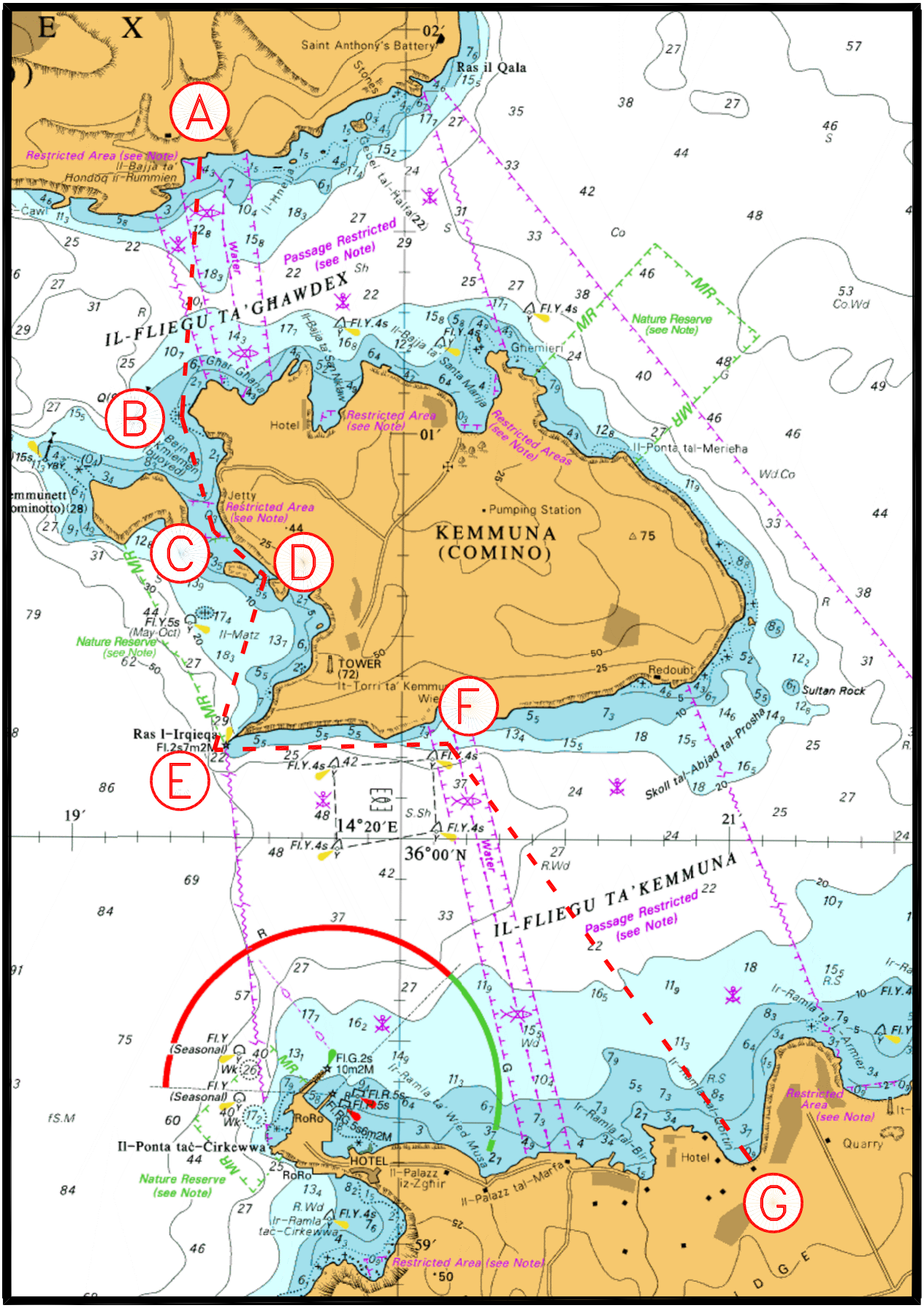
Three RHIBs and a yacht will be accompanying the swimmers.

Il-Fliegu ta' Ghawdex will be restricted to navigation from 0800 hours to 0915 hours and Il-Fliegu ta' Kemmuna will be restricted to navigation from 0900 hours to 1100 hours.

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 14 by Valletta VTS and by the maritime enforcement assets in the area.

Charts affected: **BA 211A, 2537**



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