
SEASHORE PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 2024

An Ordinance to amend the Seashore Protection Ordinance 2013.

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ADMINISTRATOR

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BE it enacted by the Administrator of the Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia as follows:—

Short title and commencement

- 1.—(1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Seashore Protection (Amendment) Ordinance 2024.
- (2) This Ordinance comes into force on 30 April 2024.

Amendments to the Seashore Protection Ordinance 2013

2. The Seashore Protection Ordinance 2013(a) (“the Ordinance”) is amended in accordance with section 3.

Amendments to Schedule 1 (co-ordinates for boat lanes)

- 3.—(1) In paragraph 1 of Schedule 1, before subparagraph (a) insert—
 - “(za) the area of the seashore bounded by—
 - (i) the coastline joining the position latitude 34°35.998’N, longitude 33°00.423’E (“point A”) and the position latitude 34°35.980’N, longitude 33°00.427’E (“point B”);

(a) Ordinance 10/2013 as amended by Ordinances 31/2014, 6/2015, 11/2016, 4/2017, 11/2022.

- (ii) the line joining point B to the position latitude $34^{\circ}36.003'N$, longitude $33^{\circ}00.399'E$ (“point C”);
- (iii) the boundary of the road joining point C to position latitude $34^{\circ}36.005'N$, longitude $33^{\circ}00.401'E$ (“point D”); and
- (iv) the line joining point D to point A; and”.

(2) In paragraph 1(a)(i) —

- (a) for “ $34^{\circ}36.734'N$ ” substitute “ $34^{\circ}36.735'N$ ”;
- (b) for “ $33^{\circ}00.344'E$ ” substitute “ $33^{\circ}00.346'E$ ”;
- (c) for “ $33^{\circ}00.349'E$ ” substitute “ $33^{\circ}00.347'E$ ”.

(3) In paragraph 1(c)(i) —

- (a) for “ $34^{\circ}38.301'N$ ” substitute “ $34^{\circ}38.294'N$ ”;
- (b) for “ $33^{\circ}00.579'E$ ” substitute “ $33^{\circ}00.577'E$ ”;
- (c) for “ $34^{\circ}38.297'N$ ” substitute “ $34^{\circ}38.286'N$ ”;
- (d) for “ $33^{\circ}00.577'E$ ” substitute “ $33^{\circ}00.575'E$ ”.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Ordinance)

1. This explanatory note relates to the Seashore Protection (Amendment) Ordinance 2024 (“the Ordinance”). It has been prepared by the Office of the Attorney General and Legal Adviser in order to assist the reader of the Ordinance. It does not form part of the Ordinance.

2. This note should be read in conjunction with the Ordinance. It is not, and is not meant to be, a comprehensive description of the Ordinance.

3. The Ordinance amends the Seashore Protection Ordinance 2013 (“the principal Ordinance”). The main purpose of the Ordinance is to update the co-ordinates for the boat lanes at Ladies Mile beach. Driving on the seashore is generally prohibited under section 6 of the principal Ordinance. An exception is made for the boat lanes set out in Schedule 1 where vehicles can be used for the purposes of launching or retrieving small vessels.