



Marine Notice No. 36 of 2008

*NOTICE TO ALL SHIPOWNERS, FISHING VESSEL OWNERS, AGENTS,
SHIPMASTERS, PASSENGER SHIP MASTERS, SKIPPERS, FISHERMEN,
YACHTSMEN AND SEAFARERS*

Live Firing Practices, Rifle Range, Bere Island, Co. Cork.

The Department of Transport has been advised by the Defence Forces that Live Firing Practices frequently take place on the Rifle Range near Leahern's Point, Bere Island.

The danger area extends EASTWARDS approximately 1.5km from Lonehort Harbour. The EASTERN boundary is the line from 51° 38.411N 09° 47.034W to 51° 37.993N 09° 46.251W and the Southern boundary is generally along the line from LEAHERN'S POINT through 51° 37.918N 09° 47.034W to 51° 37.993N 09° 46.251W, the NORTHERN side can be taken as the coast line.

When the range is active a RED flag will be flown on the highest ground on the SOUTH side of the entrance to Lonehort Harbour. For these active periods the sea zone within the Danger Area is excluded to all vessels.

The exclusion zone (Range Danger Area) is indicated on the map attached. All vessels are advised that they are required to remain outside of the exclusion zone whilst the Range is active.

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Defence Forces Rifle Range Bere Island.

