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**BNHOC GUN FIRE NOTICE NO 18/2023**

**GUN FIRE PRACTICE**

Reference:

A. Commander BN Fleet letter no 23.02.1528.400.36.0125.23.620 dated 07 August 2023 (Not to all).

1. Bangladesh Navy ship will carry out anti air firing practice on 20 August 2023 (From 2000 hrs to 2400 hrs) in the area bounded by the following coordinates:

Firing Area	Latitude	Longitude	Safely Height/Altitude Clearance	Date and Time	Rmks
VGD-32 (Firing Area-32)	20° 07' 00"N	090° 52' 00"E	Upper Limit = 12,000 meters	20 August 2023	Anti Air Firing Practice
	20° 22' 00"N	091° 06' 00"E			
	20° 00' 00"N	091° 36' 00"E	Lower Limit = MSL		
	19° 44' 00"N	091° 21' 00"E			
VGD-33 (Firing Area-33)	20° 22' 00"N	091° 06' 00"E	Upper Limit = 3,000 meters	Form 2000 hrs to 2400 hrs	
	20° 46' 30"N	091° 31' 00"E			
	20° 24' 00"N	091° 59' 00"E	Lower Limit = MSL		
	20° 00' 00"N	091° 36' 00"E			

2. In case of cyclone warning (Local Warning Signal No IV or above) the above mentioned firing areas will be considered inactive automatically.

3. All ships & aircrafts are requested to navigate with caution and keep well clear of assigned danger area on above specified schedule. You are requested to issue necessary **Notice to Mariners (NTM) / Notice to Airmen (NOTAM)** in this regard.

4. Forwarded herewith for kind information and further necessary action please.

  
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