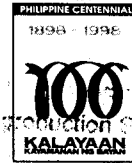




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PPA MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR
NO. 48 - 97

TO : All PDOs/PMOs, Harbor Pilots/Pilots Associations
Shipping Companies/Agents, Cargo Handlers and
Others Concerned

SUBJECT : Designation of Anchorage Grounds for PMOs Tagbilaran and
Pulupandan

1. AUTHORITY

1.1 Sections 6-a(II), (X), 26 and 28 of PD 857

1.2 Section 15 of PPA AO No. 13-77

2. SCOPE

This Order shall cover the baseports of PMOs Tagbilaran and Pulupandan.

3. OBJECTIVES

To designate/define the anchorage grounds of the above PMOs to improve the monitoring of marine operations and ensure the smooth flow of vessel traffic within their respective baseports.

4. GUIDELINES

In addition to the list of Anchorage Grounds designated under PPA MC Nos. 11-96 and 23-97, the following are the designated anchorage grounds for PMO-Tagbilaran and PMO-Pulupandan, respectively:

4.1 BASEPORT OF PMO - TAGBILARAN

Pilots' Boarding Station:

Lat. 09° 39' 36" N, Long. 123° 49' 30" E

MC 709 - 11107

Telephone Nos. 527-4844
527-8356

Facsimile Nos. 527-4853
527-5855

Quarantine Anchorage:

Lat. $09^{\circ} 39' 18''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 49' 24''$ E

Outer Anchorage (for vessels above 3,000 GRT):

O-A Lat. $09^{\circ} 39' 27''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 49' 29''$ E

O-B Lat. $09^{\circ} 39' 42''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 49' 31''$ E

Inner Anchorage (for vessels of 3,000 GRT: and below):

I-A Lat. $09^{\circ} 39' 02''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 14''$ E

I-B Lat. $09^{\circ} 39' 09''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 06''$ E

II-A Lat. $09^{\circ} 39' 14''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 18''$ E

II-B Lat. $09^{\circ} 39' 22''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 14''$ E

II-C Lat. $09^{\circ} 39' 23''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 06''$ E

Tankers' Dropping Point:

Lat. $09^{\circ} 39' 06''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 30''$ E

Anchorage Area for Sheltering Vessels:

a. Lat. $09^{\circ} 43' 54''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 49' 00''$ E

b. Lat. $09^{\circ} 43' 42''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 49' 36''$ E

c. Lat. $09^{\circ} 43' 12''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 00''$ E

d. Lat. $09^{\circ} 42' 48''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 18''$ E

Lay-Up Area:

a. Lat. $09^{\circ} 42' 00''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 18''$ E

b. Lat. $09^{\circ} 41' 28''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 18''$ E

c. Lat. $09^{\circ} 40' 52''$ N, Long. $123^{\circ} 50' 18''$ E

4.2 BASEPORT OF PMO - PULUPANDAN

4.2.1 General Anchorage Area:

Lat. $10^{\circ} 30' 30''$ N, Long. $122^{\circ} 47' 18''$ E. Area of safe anchorage is 4 cables north and 5 cables south of this anchorage.



4.2.2 Anchorage is prohibited between the parallels of latitudes 10° 23' 00" N and 10° 30' 00" N, and the meridians of longitudes 122° 40' 00" E and 122° 50' 00" E due to the presence of controlled-type mines. However, although it is a mined area, it has been declared safe for navigation. Precautionary measures are advised by the NAMRIA under Chapter 10 (Negros Island) of the Philippine Coast Pilot, 6th Edition.

4.3 PPA MC No. 11-96, "Designation of Anchorage Grounds at PMO Baseports"

The pertinent provisions of PPA MC No. 11-96, insofar as applicable, shall be observed/complied with by all concerned.

5. COPIES OF THIS ORDER

Copies of this Memorandum Circular shall be furnished the following:

- a. Commandant, Philippine Coast Guard
- b. Director, Coast & Geodetic Survey, NAMRIA
- c. President, United Harbor Pilots Association
- d. Chief Pilot, Tagbilaran Pilotage District
- e. Chief Pilot, Pulupandan Pilotage District
- f. President, Domestic Shipowners Association
- g. President, Philippine Interisland Shipping Association
- h. President, Association of International Shipping Lines

6. REPEALING CLAUSE

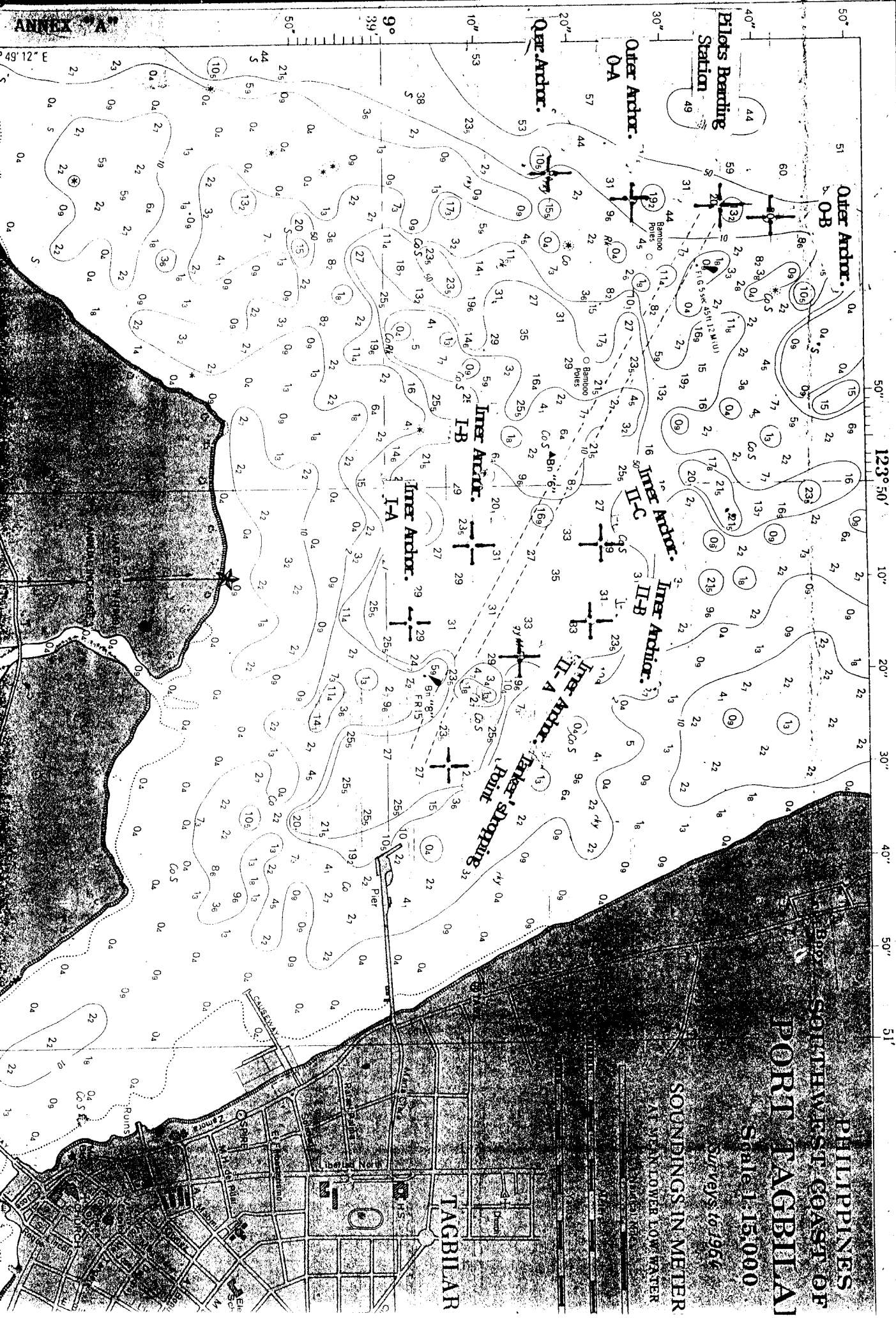
All PPA orders, rules and regulations, circulars and memoranda which are inconsistent with this Circular are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

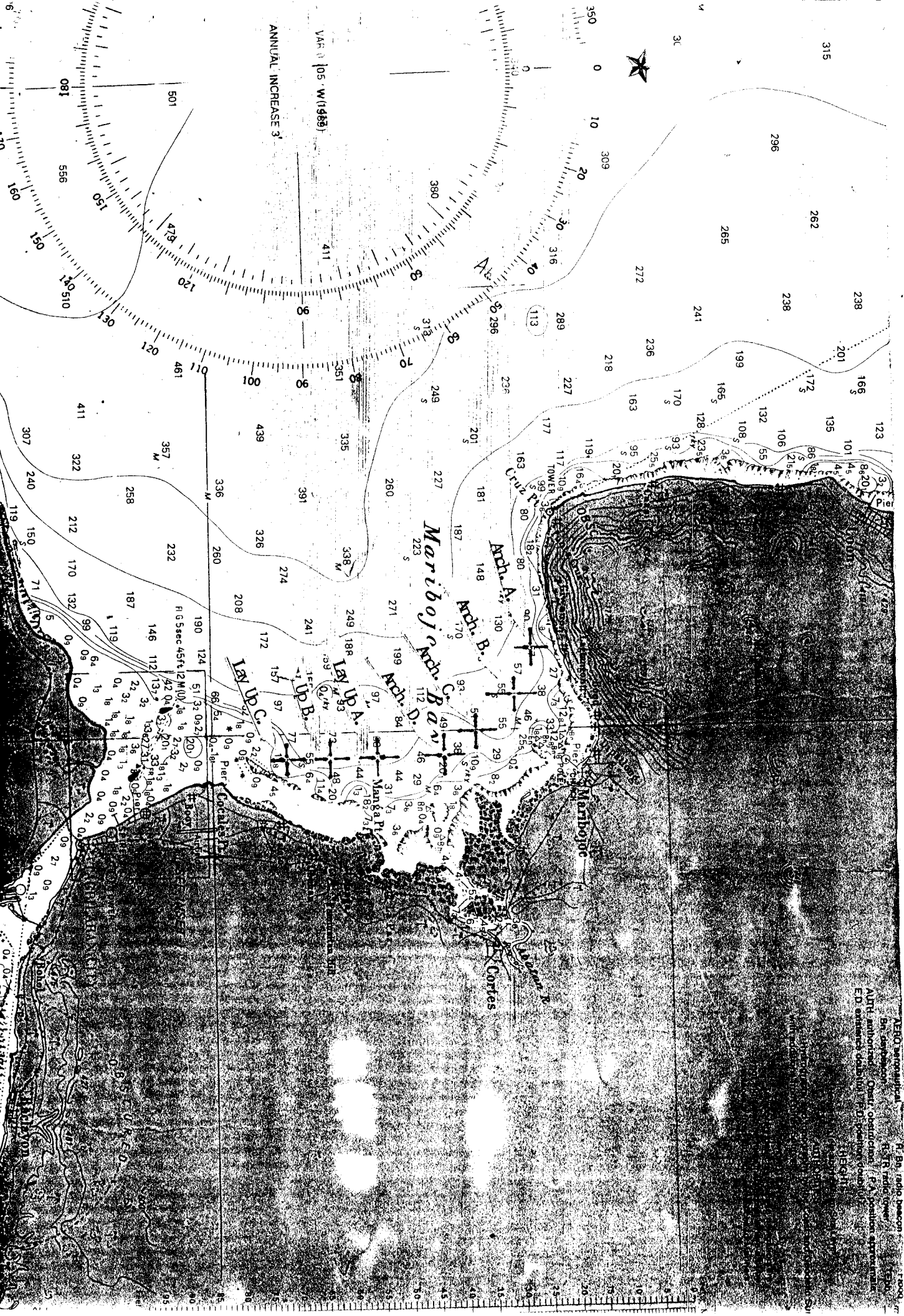
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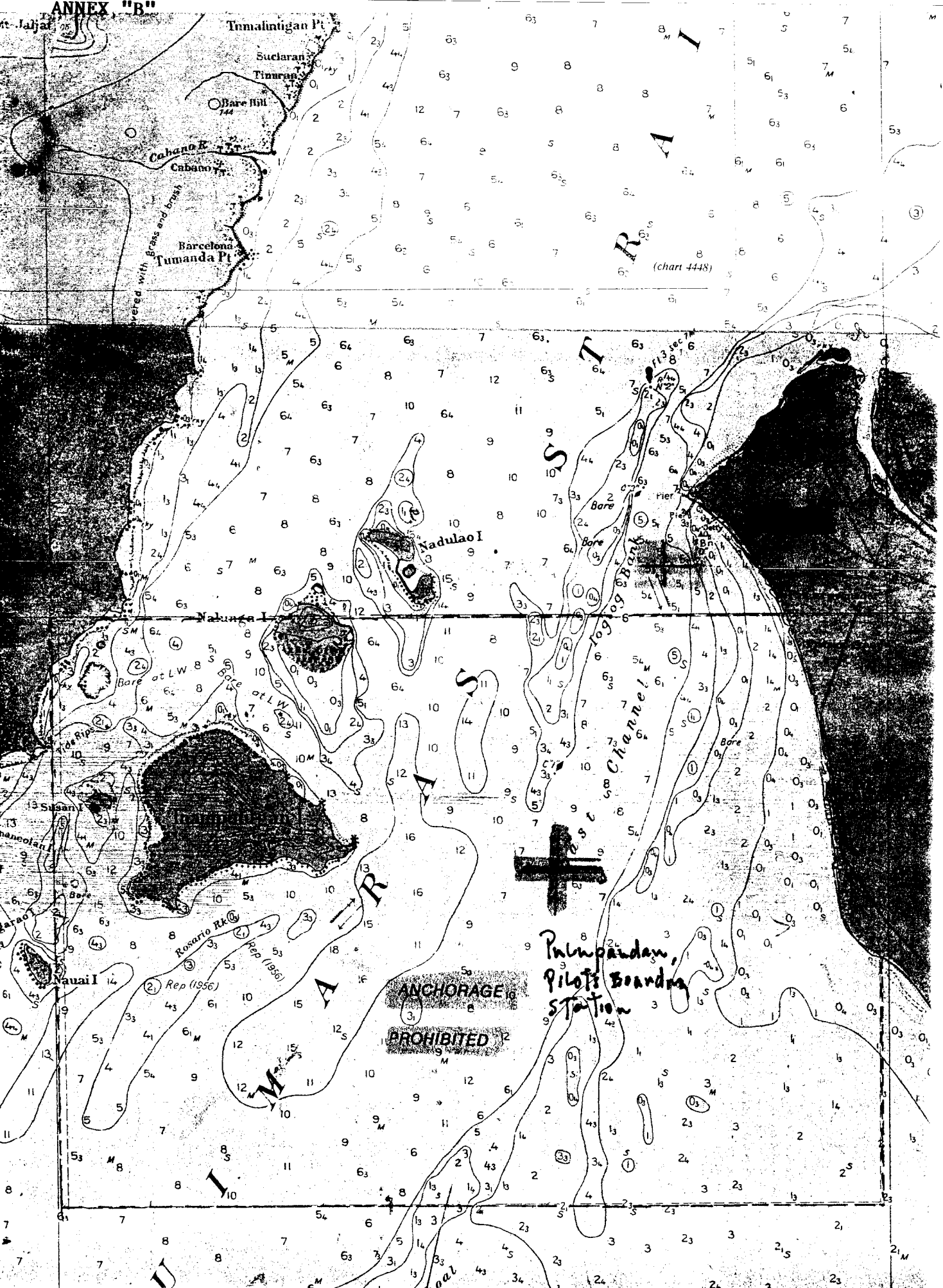
This Order shall take effect immediately.


CARLOS L. AGUSTIN
General Manager

Encl.: Annex "A" - Designated Anchorage Grounds at the Baseport of Tagbilaran
Annex "B" - Designated Anchorage Grounds at the Baseport of Pulupandan







NAMRIA CHART NO. 4416 (Iloilo & Guimaras Strait)