



NIGERIAN PORTS AUTHORITY

AREAS APPROVED FOR SHIP TO SHIP (STS) AND SHIP TO RIG (STR) OPERATIONS OFFSHORE LAGOS

Please be informed that as part of measures to checkmate illegal marine related activities on our waters, improve efficiency, security, safety and environmental protection, all **Ship to Ship (STS)** and **Ship to Rig (STR)** tanker transfer operations offshore Lagos shall be carried out within the following designated areas as indicated:

LAGOS STS ZONE COORDINATES

The designated STS & STR Offshore Lagos has the following coordinates:

- $06^{\circ}19'00.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}15'58.00''\text{E}$
- $06^{\circ}12'00.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}15'58.00''\text{E}$
- $06^{\circ}13'00.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}24'00.00''\text{E}$
- $06^{\circ}19'20.99''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}21'15.05''\text{E}$

In addition to the above, please take note of the following designated areas off-shore Lagos

NPA DESIGNATED LAGOS ANCHORAGE

NPA designated Anchorage Area has an area of 16.3 NM² and a perimeter of 17NM

- $06^{\circ}23'39.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}15'58.00''\text{E}$
- $06^{\circ}23'39.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}21'54.00''\text{E}$
- $06^{\circ}20'35.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}15'58.00''\text{E}$
- $06^{\circ}20'35.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}20'43.00''\text{E}$

SECURE ANCHORAGE AREA (SAA)

- The SAA has the centre point at $06^{\circ}17'18.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}12'00.00''\text{E}$ and has a radius of 2.5NM
- The SAA is surrounded by a 2NM Maritime Exclusion Zone (MEZ) i.e. total radius of 4.5NM from the centre point
- The total area of the SAA is 18NM²
- The total area of the SAA and MEZ combined is 62NM²

NO ANCHORAGE AREA

The No Anchorage Area has an area of c.178NM² and a perimeter of 52.8 NM

- $06^{\circ}23'39.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}21'54.00''\text{E}$
- $06^{\circ}20'35.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}20'43.00''\text{E}$

- c) $06^{\circ}13'00.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}24'00.00''\text{E}$
- d) $06^{\circ}13'00.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}37'00.00''\text{E}$
- e) $06^{\circ}25'24.00''\text{N} - 03^{\circ}37'00.00''\text{E}$

This is also to inform you that the Nigeria Navy will ensure strict compliance of this directive by embarking on continuous enforcement operations.

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MANAGEMENT**

