



**MIDDLE EAST NAVIGATION AIDS SERVICE
NAVTEX WARNING - MENAS BAHRAIN via BAHRAIN RADIO (A9M)**

NAVIGATION WARNING TO ALL GULF SHIPPING

NAV NO: 173/2018

DATE: 30th December 2018

S. O. P: TFN

TEXT OF WARNING

Southern Gulf: UAE - Seismic Survey by SRV Vyacheslav Tikhonov

BA Chart: 3739, 3176, 3175, 2442, 2443, 2887, 2888, 2889, 2837, 2858

SRV Vyacheslav Tikhonov is towing 8 Seismic Cables 4 miles in length and is accompanied by Support Vessels; Zakher Eagle, Zakher Queen and Awalco Sapphire.

SRV Vyacheslav Tikhonov is working within boundaries of the following 22 coordinates:

25-02.800N	054-33.800E
25-25.400N	054-57.300E
25-31.300N	054-50.100E
25-29.400N	054-45.000E
25-35.500N	054-45.300E
25-42.200N	054-38.500E
25-41.500N	054-36.500E
25-41.300N	054-34.800E
25-41.200N	054-32.700E
25-41.400N	054-30.500E
25-36.400N	054-28.600E
25-34.500N	054-26.800E
25-32.800N	054-24.700E
25-33.300N	054-23.700E
25-35.800N	054-23.200E
25-36.900N	054-23.700E
25-36.500N	054-18.700E
25-36.200N	054-15.000E
25-34.300N	054-11.900E
25-29.000N	054-00.900E
25-10.600N	054-21.300E
25-10.000N	054-26.500E

Survey duration – approx. 10 Weeks

The vessel will be restricted in the ability to manoeuvre. All vessels in the vicinity of the area are requested to navigate with caution, to give wide berth, keep clear and proceed with reduced speed in the area.

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