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Wildlife Act 1990

MANX MARINE NATURE RESERVES (DESIGNATION) ORDER 2018

Laid before Tynwald:

Coming into Operation: 1 September 2018

The Department of Environment, Food and Agriculture, on application by the Wildlife Committee¹ and having obtained the consent of Treasury², makes the following Order under section 32 of the Wildlife Act 1990.

1 Title

This Order is the Manx Marine Nature Reserves (Designation) Order 2018.

2 Commencement

This Order comes into operation on 1 September 2018³.

3 Interpretation

In this Order —

“**Baie ny Carrickey Marine Nature Reserve**” means that area of the territorial sea to the north of a line drawn between 2 points indicated on the map in Part 1 of the Schedule at the following co-ordinates —

A. Black Head (54° 03.3839' N, 04° 46.2560' W); and

B. Scarlett Stack (54° 03.6640' N, 04° 39.9240' W),

up to and including the shore up to the Highest Astronomical Tide level;

“**Calf of Man and Wart Bank Marine Nature Reserve**” means that area of the territorial sea —

¹ In accordance with section 32(1) of the Wildlife Act 1990

² As required by section 37(3) of that Act

³ Section 25(1) of the Wildlife Act 1990 specifies that an order made under section 32 shall be laid before Tynwald as soon as may be after the making thereof, and if Tynwald at the sitting before which the order is to be laid or at the next sitting resolves that the order shall be annulled, the order shall cease to have effect.

- A. (Calf of Man section) lying between the Highest Astronomical Tide level and the 1 nautical-mile limit, south of a line projected west from a point A ($54^{\circ} 03.7998' N$, $04^{\circ} 47.2999' W$) (in line with Kitterland), and west of a line projected south from a point at A ($54^{\circ} 03.7998' N$, $04^{\circ} 47.2999' W$) to the 1 nautical-mile limit, indicated on the map in Part 2 of the Schedule; and
- B. (Wart Bank section) indicated on the map in Part 2 of the Schedule, and bounded by the following co-ordinates at points —
- B. $54^{\circ} 02.5002' N$, $04^{\circ} 48.0000' W$;
- C. $54^{\circ} 02.5002' N$, $04^{\circ} 45.4000' W$;
- D. $54^{\circ} 01.9002' N$; $04^{\circ} 45.4000' W$; and
- E. $54^{\circ} 01.9002' N$, $04^{\circ} 48.0000' W$;

“**Douglas Bay Marine Nature Reserve**” means that area of the territorial sea to the west of a line drawn between 2 points indicated on the map in Part 3 of the Schedule at the following co-ordinates —

- A. the lighthouse at Douglas Head in position $54^{\circ} 08.6000' N$, $04^{\circ} 27.9500' W$; and
- B. the most easterly point of Banks Howe in position $54^{\circ} 10.3500' N$, longitude $04^{\circ} 25.2600' W$,

up to and including the shore to the Highest Astronomical Tide level;

“**Highest Astronomical Tide**” means the highest level which can be predicted to occur under average meteorological conditions and any combination of astronomical conditions;

“**Langness Marine Nature Reserve**” means that area of the territorial sea lying between the Highest Astronomical Tide level and the 3 nautical-mile limit, east of a line projected south from A (at Castletown Harbour) at $54^{\circ} 04.3998' N$, $04^{\circ} 39.0000' W$ and south of a line projected east from B (at Santon Head) at $54^{\circ} 06.0000' N$, $04^{\circ} 33.0000' W$, indicated in the map in Part 4 of the Schedule;

“**Laxey Bay Marine Nature Reserve**” means that part of the territorial sea to the west of a line drawn between 2 points indicated on the map in Part 5 of the Schedule at the following co-ordinates —

- A. the point at Carrick Roayrt in position $54^{\circ} 14.3742' N$, $04^{\circ} 21.9420' W$; and
- B. Clay Head in position $54^{\circ} 11.8044' N$, $04^{\circ} 23.2338' W$,

up to and including the shore to the Highest Astronomical Tide level;

“**Little Ness Marine Nature Reserve**” means that area of the territorial sea lying between the Highest Astronomical Tide level and the 1 nautical-mile limit, east of a line projected south from A (Little Ness) at $54^{\circ} 07.5222' N$, $04^{\circ} 30.1170' W$ and south of a line projected from B (Conister Rock) at

54° 09.0000' N, 04° 28.0000' W beginning at the seaward boundary of Douglas Bay Marine Nature Reserve to the 1 nautical-mile limit, and indicated in the map in Part 6 of the Schedule;

“**Niarbyl Bay Marine Nature Reserve**” means that area of the territorial sea to the east of a line drawn between 2 points indicated on the map in Part 7 of the Schedule at the following co-ordinates —

- C. Elby Point in position 54° 09.7500' N, 04° 44.5602' W; and
- D. the headland west of Fleshwick Bay and known as Amulty in position 54° 06.5400' N, 04° 45.6700' W,

up to and including the shoreline to the Highest Astronomical Tide level;

“**Port Erin Bay Marine Nature Reserve**” means that area of the territorial sea from the west coast of the Island and bounded by the following co-ordinates —

- E. 54° 05.5500' N, 04° 48.0800' W;
- F. 54° 05.5500' N, 04° 46.7800' W;
- G. 54° 04.3600' N, 04° 47.2000' W; and
- H. 54° 04.3600' N, 04° 48.0800' W,

up to and including the Highest Astronomical Tide level and indicated as the hatched area in the map in Part 8 of the Schedule;

“**Ramsey Bay Marine Nature Reserve**” means that area of the territorial sea from the Highest Astronomical Tide level, bounded by a line between the points indicated on the map in Part 9 of the Schedule described by the following co-ordinates —

- A. from 54° 17.7186' N, 04° 18.5382' W (Maughold Head) to a point at;
- B. 54° 21.0960' N, 04° 17.2830' W on the 3 nautical-mile limit, then following the 3 nautical-mile limit to a point at;
- C. 54° 24.6000' N, 04° 16.4250' W (due east of point F), then following the 3 nautical-mile limit to a point at;
- D. 54° 28.0608' N, 04° 22.0999' W on the 3 nautical-mile limit, then south to a point at;
- E. 54° 25.0482' N, 04° 22.0999' W on the Highest Astronomical Tide level which is in line with the point;
- F. 54° 24.6000' N, 04° 22.0999' W (on land);

“**West Coast Marine Nature Reserve**” means that area of the territorial sea indicated on the map in Part 10 of the Schedule and comprised of the following 4 parts —

- i. the area of sea lying between the Highest Astronomical Tide level and the 3 nautical-mile limit, west of a line projected north from A on the Highest Astronomical Tide level at 54° 25.0482' N,

- 04° 22.0999' W, and east of a line projected north from B (Glen Wyllin) at 54° 16.9998' N, 04° 35.5999' W;
- ii. the area of sea lying within the 1 nautical-mile limit, west of a line projected north from B (at Glen Wyllin) at 54° 16.9998' N, 04° 35.5999' W, and north of a line projected west from C (Orrisdale Head) at 54° 18.0012' N, 04° 35.2270' W;
 - iii. the area of sea lying between the Highest Astronomical Tide level and the 3 nautical-mile limit, south of a line projected west from C (Orrisdale Head) at 54° 18.0012' N, 04° 35.2270' W, and north-east of a line projected north west from D (Thistle Head) at 54° 13.2000' N, 04° 42.4999' W; and
 - iv. the area of sea lying between the Highest Astronomical Tide level and the 1 nautical-mile limit, south-west of a line projected north west from D (Thistle Head) at 54° 13.2000' N, 04° 42.4999' W, and north of a line projected west from E (Elby Point) at 54° 09.7500' North, 04° 44.5602' W.

4 Designation of the Manx Marine Nature Reserves

- (1) The following areas are designated as marine nature reserves for the purposes of section 32 of the Wildlife Act 1990 —
Baie ny Carrickey Marine Nature Reserve;
Calf of Man and Wart Bank Marine Nature Reserve;
Douglas Bay Marine Nature Reserve;
Langness Marine Nature Reserve;
Laxey Bay Marine Nature Reserve;
Little Ness Marine Nature Reserve;
Niarbyl Bay Marine Nature Reserve;
Port Erin Bay Marine Nature Reserve;
Ramsey Bay Marine Nature Reserve; and
West Coast Marine Nature Reserve.
- (2) The marine nature reserves designated in paragraph (1) are to be known collectively as the “Manx Marine Nature Reserves”.

5 Revocation

The Ramsey Bay (Marine Nature Reserve) (Designation) Order 2011⁴ is revoked.

⁴ SD 0760/11

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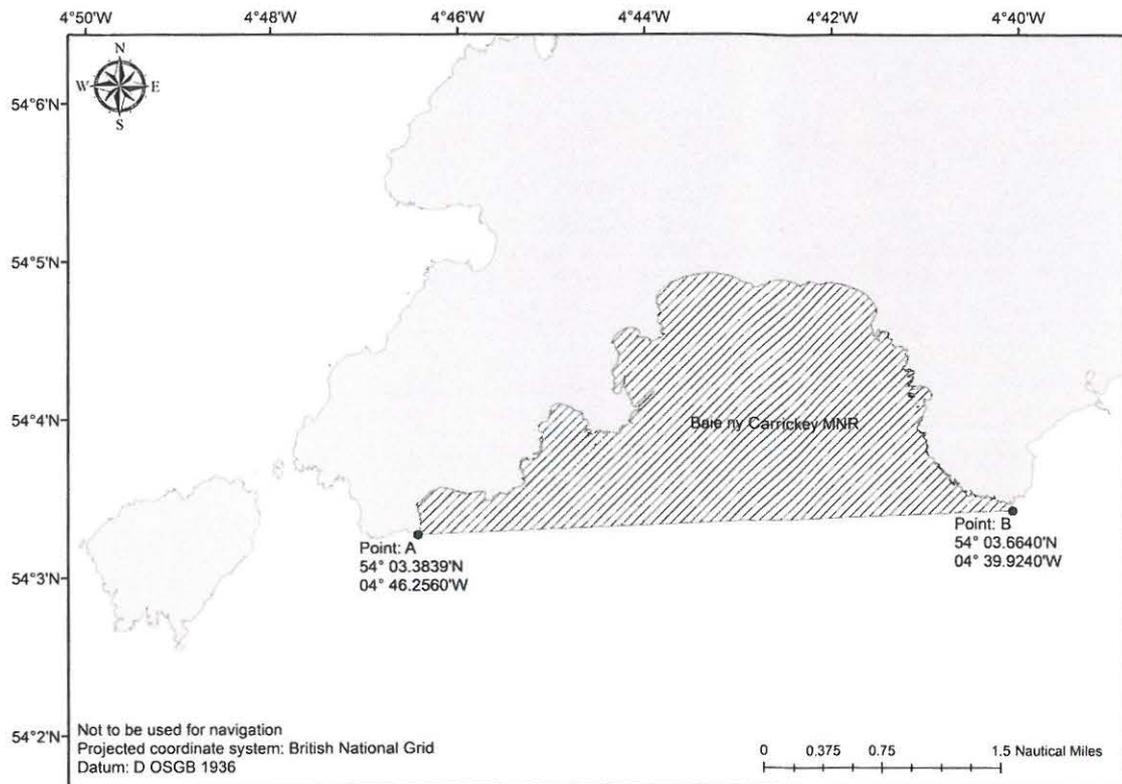
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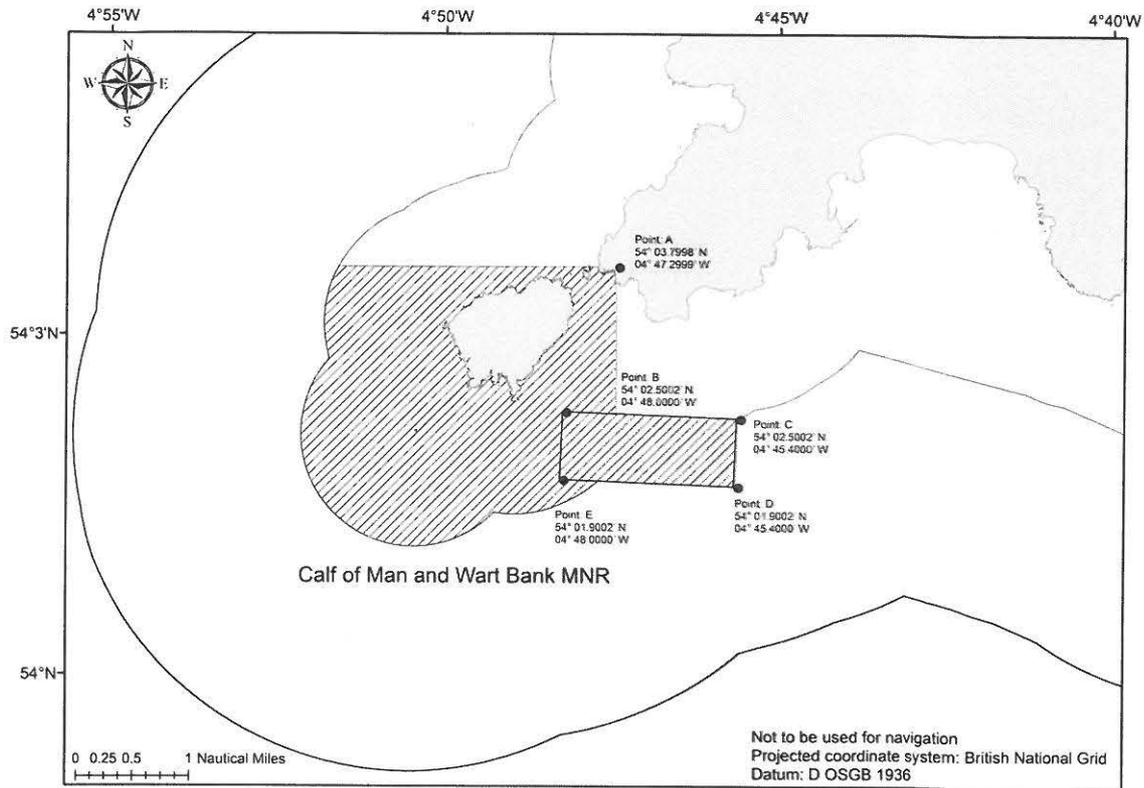
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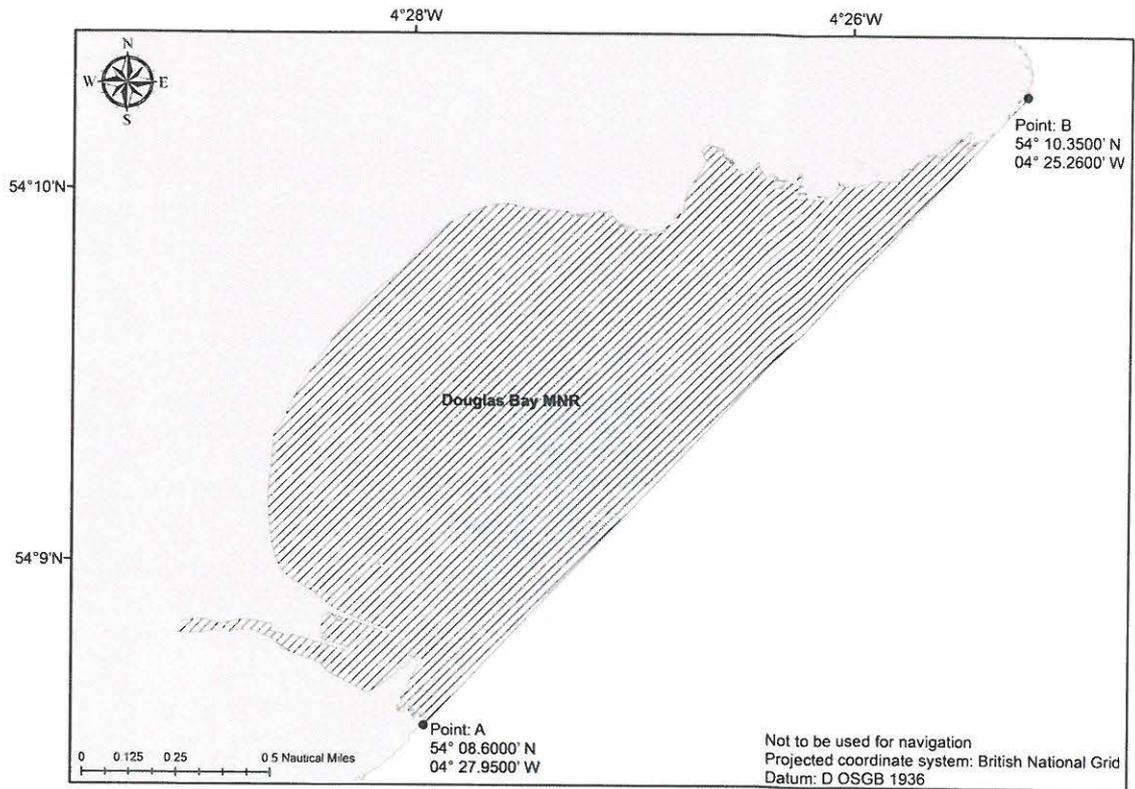
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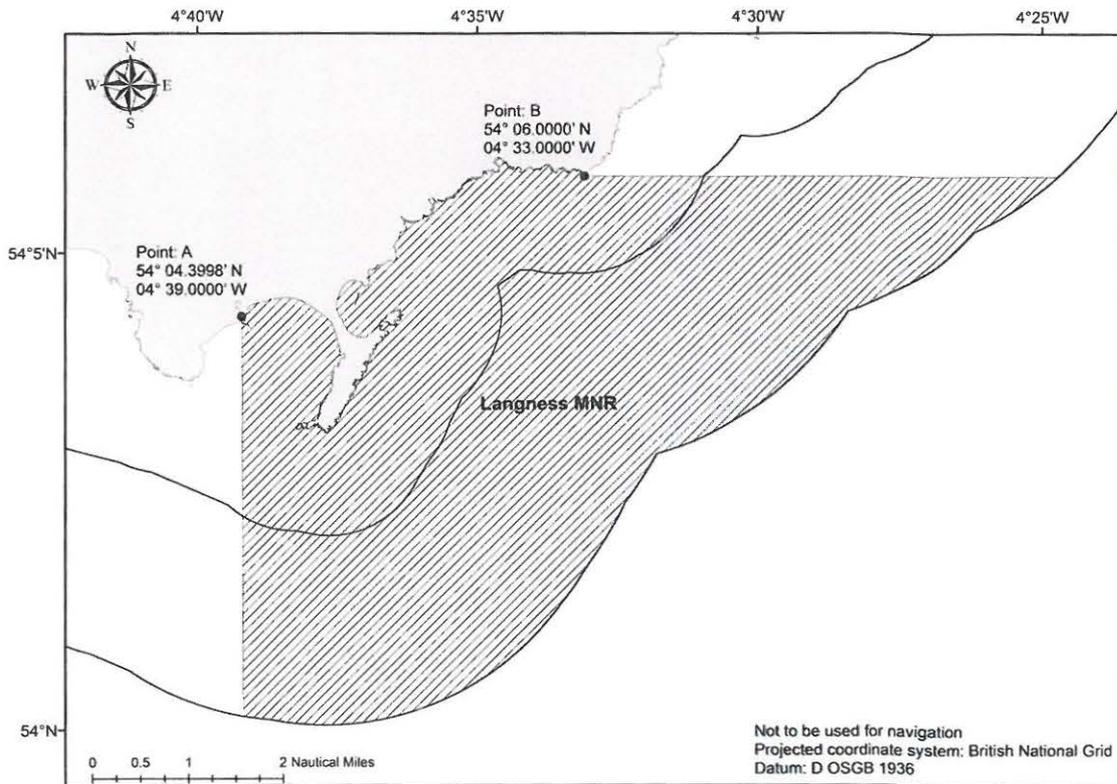
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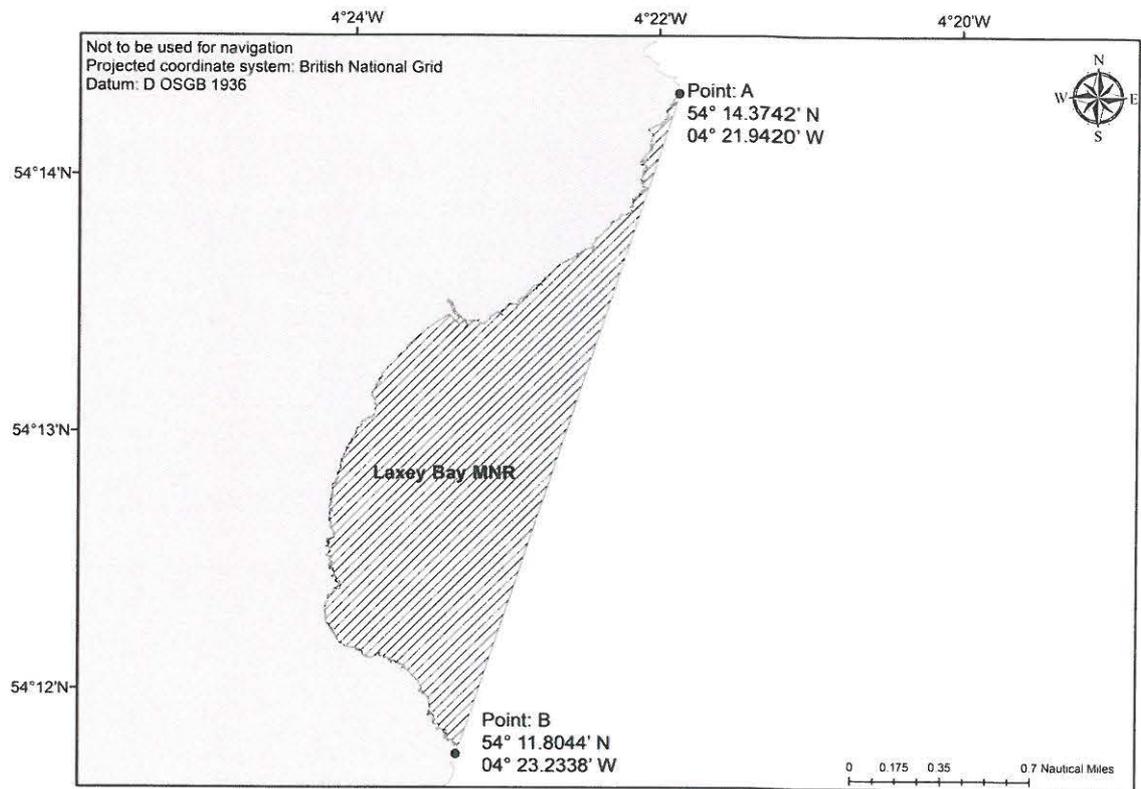
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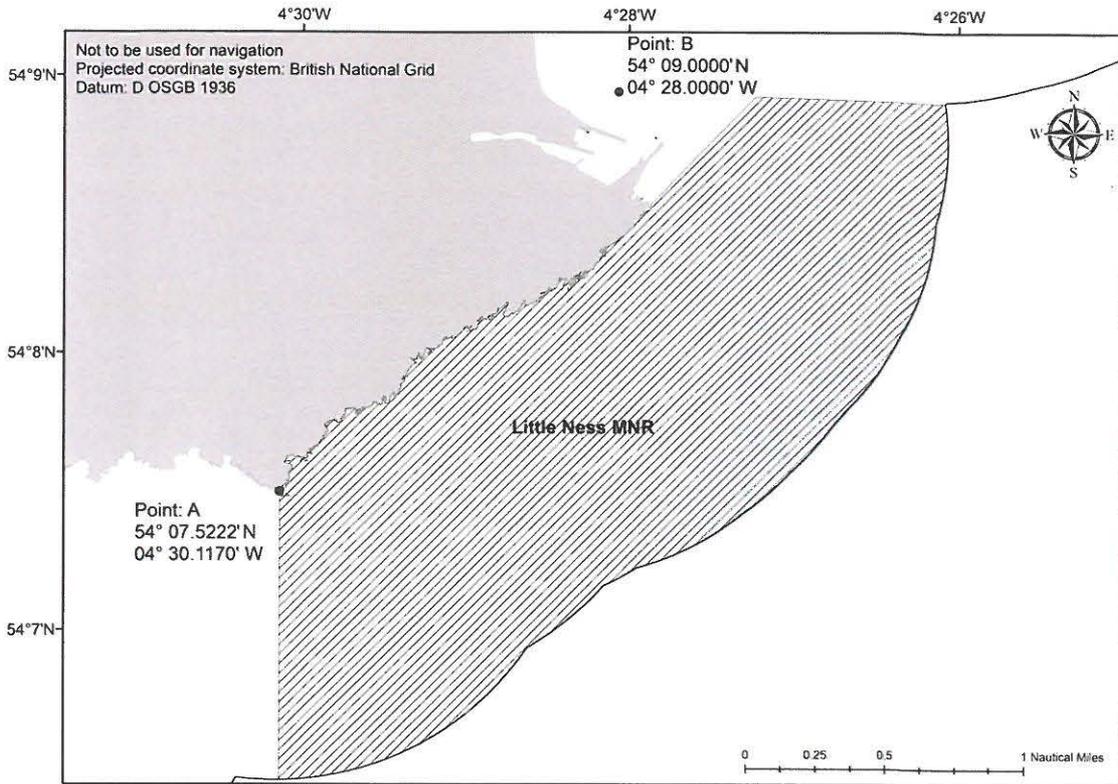
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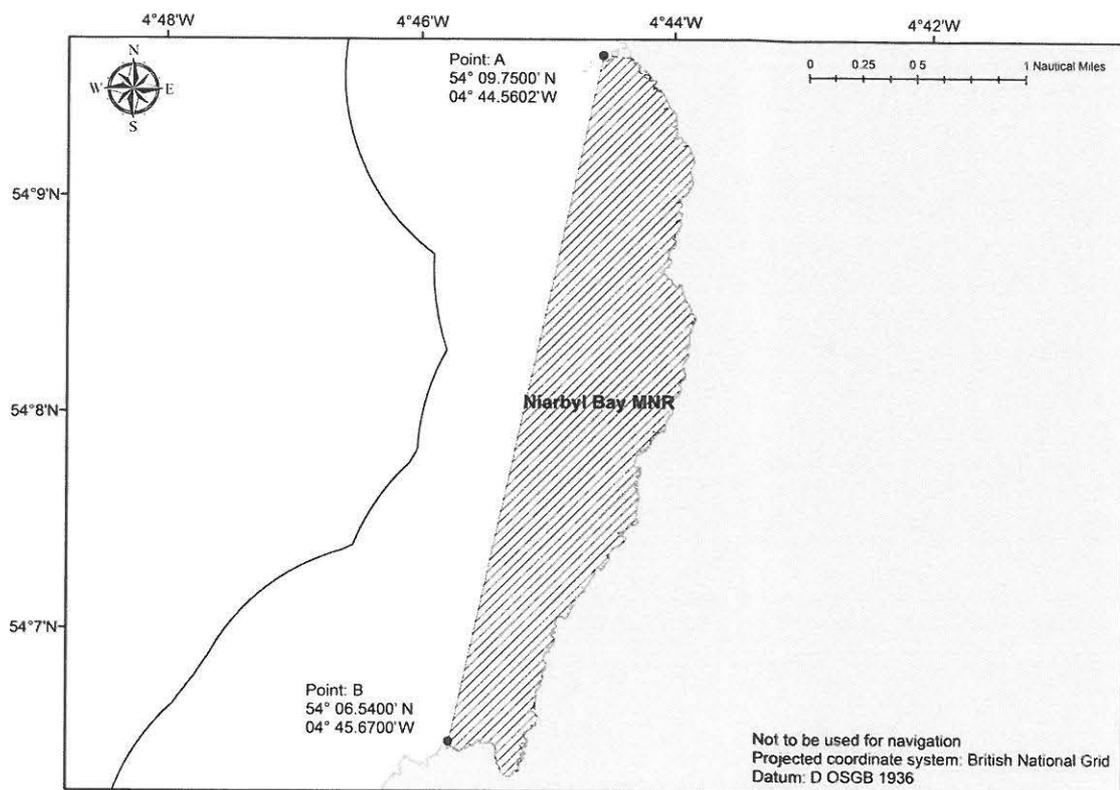
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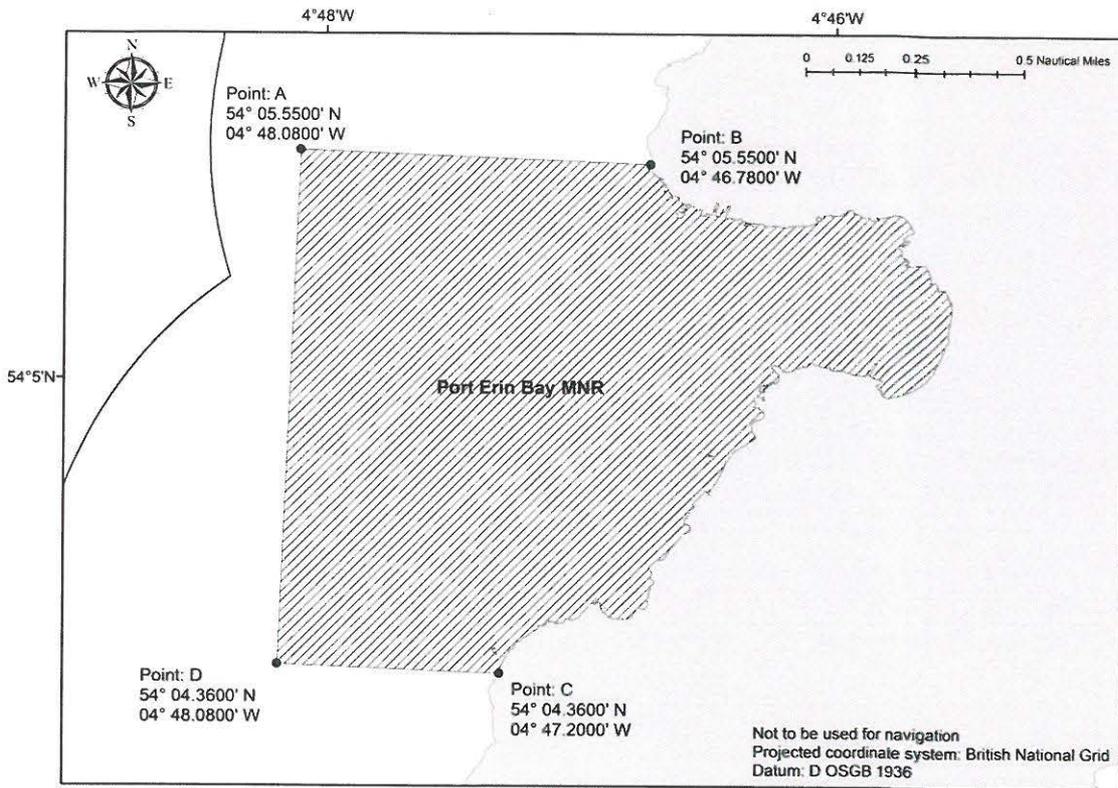
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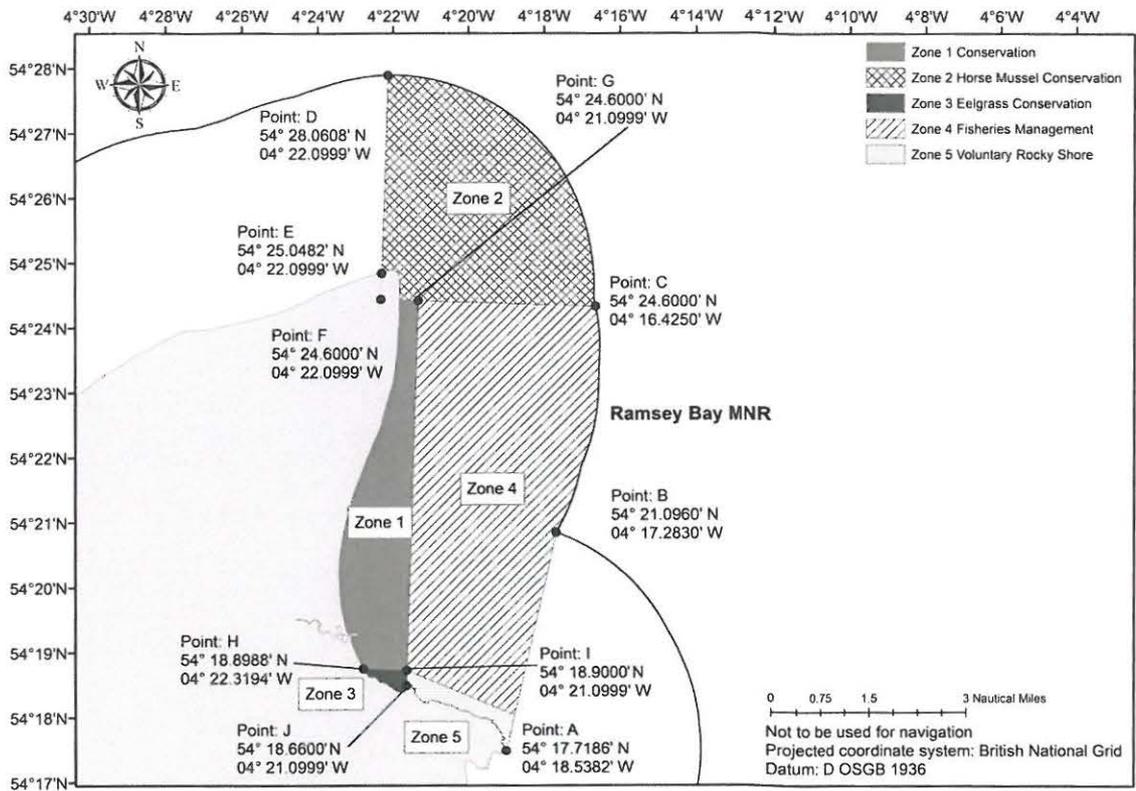
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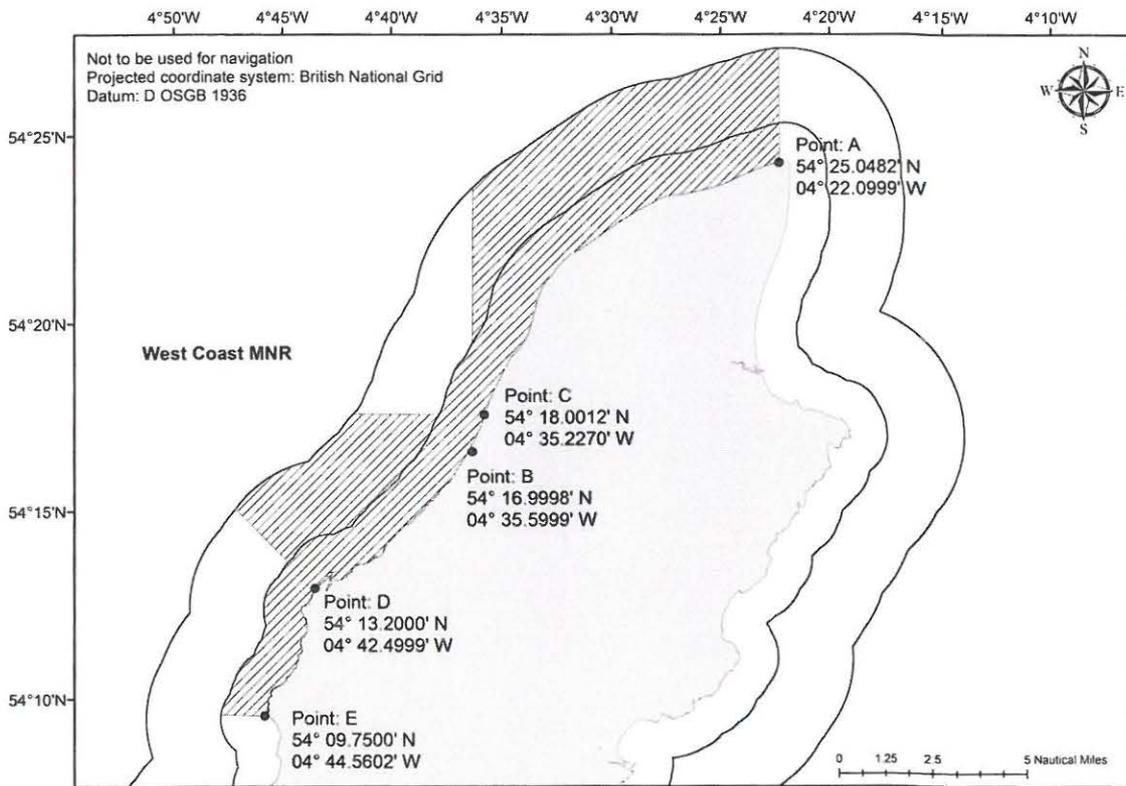
PART 8 – PORT ERIN BAY MARINE NATURE RESERVE



PART 9 – RAMSEY BAY MARINE NATURE RESERVE



PART 10 – WEST COAST MARINE NATURE RESERVE



EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order designates the Manx Marine Nature Reserves as marine nature reserves for the purposes of section 32 of the Wildlife Act 1990.

The Manx Marine Nature Reserves are comprised of Baie ny Carrickey Marine Nature Reserve, Calf of Man and Wart Bank Marine Nature Reserve, Douglas Bay Marine Nature Reserve, Langness Marine Nature Reserve, Laxey Bay Marine Nature Reserve, Little Ness Marine Nature Reserve, Niarbyl Bay Marine Nature Reserve, Port Erin Bay Marine Nature Reserve, Ramsey Bay Marine Nature Reserve, and West Coast Marine Nature Reserve.

The Order revokes Ramsey Bay (Marine Nature Reserve) (Designation) Order 2011 (SD 0760/11).