Decree No. 2.75.311 of 11 Rajab 1395 (21 July 1975)
defining the Closing
Lines of Bays on the Coasts of Morocco
and the Geographical Co-ordinates
of the Limit of Territorial Waters and the Exclusive Fishing Zone

THE PRIME MINISTER

Considering the Dahir containing Law No. 1.73.211 of 25 Muharrem 1393 (2 March 1973) fixing the limit of territorial waters and the exclusive fishing zone,

After consideration by the Council of Ministers meeting on 3 Dhu'Lhijjah 1394 (17 December 1974),

DECREES

Article 1

The following bays, roadsteads, coves, islands, islets, rocks and other indentations on the coasts of Morocco shall be included in Moroccan internal waters in accordance with the closing lines whose geographical co-ordinates are set out below:

ATLANTIC COAST
(from north to south)

From: Light on Ben Chargui
Latitude: 33° 43’,8 N :
Longitude: 07° 20’,7 W :
Map No. 6145

To: Ras Mohammédia
(See above)
Latitude: 33° 43’,5 N :
Longitude: 07° 23’,9 W :
Map No. 5462

From: Ras Mohammédia
(See above)
(See above)
Latitude: 33° 36’,9 N :
Longitude: 07° 39’,2 W :
Map No. 6170

To: Ras El Jadida
(Cap Mazagan): Latitude: 33° 16’,1 N :
Longitude: 08° 31’ W :
Map No. 6170
From: Jorf El Asfar
(Cap Blanc du Nord): Latitude: 33° 09', 8 N :
Longitude: 08° 37', 8 W :

To: Taraf Sidi Moussa
(Pointe Sidi Moussa): Latitude: 33° 00’ N :
Longitude: 08° 44', 8 W :

From: Ras Beddouza
(Cap Cantin): Latitude: 32° 32’, 6 N :
Longitude: 09° 17’ 2 W :

To: Ras Asfi
(Cap Safi): Latitude: 32° 21’, 8 N :
Longitude: 09° 17’, 6 W :

From: Ras Asfi
(Cap Safi): (See above)

To: Taraf Sidi Abderrahman
(Pointe Sidi Abderrahman): Latitude: 32° 06’, 9 N :
Longitude: 09° 19’, 4 W :

From: Sakhrat Ras Hadid
(Rocher du Cap Hadid): Latitude: 31° 41’, 9 N :
Longitude: 09° 41’, 4 W :

To: Jazirat Essaouira
(Ile de Mogador): Latitude: 31° 30’ N :
Longitude: 09° 47’, 7 W :

From: Jazirat Essaouira
(Ile de Mogador): (See above)

To: Ras Sim (Cap Sim): Latitude: 31° 23’, 5 N :
Longitude: 09° 50’, 8 W :

From: Ras Sim (Cap Sim): (See above)

To: Ras Tafelney
(Cap Tafelney): Latitude: 31° 06’, 3 N :
Longitude: 09° 50', 6 W :

From: Ras Tafelney (Cap Tafelney): (See above) : Map No. 6227
To: Taraf Tamri (Pointe Tamri): Latitude: 30° 42', 2 N :

Longitude: 09° 52', 5 W :

From: Ras Ghir (Cap Rhir): Latitude: 30° 37', 9 N :
Longitude: 09° 52', 5 W :
To: Light on Taraf Aghesdis (Light on Pointe Arhesdis): Latitude: 30° 26', 1 N :
Longitude: 09° 38', 7 W :

From: Light on Taraf Aghesdis (Light on Pointe Arhesdis): (See above) Map No. 6227
To: Taraf Tifnit (Pointe Tifnit): Latitude: 30° 12', 1 N :
Longitude: 09° 38', 7 W :

STRAIT OF GIBRALTAR AND MEDITERRANEAN COAST (from west to east)

From: Taraf Al Farte (Pointe Frailecito): Latitude: 35° 47', 8 N :
Longitude: 05° 54', 6 W :
To: Taraf Al-Qawareb (Pointe Lanchones): Latitude: 35° 54', 6 N :
Longitude: 05° 27', 8 W :

From: Taraf Al-Qawareb (Pointe Lanchones): (See above) Map No. 1809
To: Taraf Al-Labua (Pointe Leona): Latitude: 35° 55', 2 N :
Longitude: 05° 24', 2 W :

From: Taraf Al-Labua (Pointe Leona): (See above) :
To: Sakharat Moussa
(Rochers Santa Catalina):
Latitude: 35° 54', 2 N:
Longitude: 05° 17', 3 W:

From: Taraf Al-Mina
(Pointe Al-Mina):
Latitude: 35° 53', 8 N:
Longitude: 05° 16', 8 W:

To: Ras Al Aswad
(Cap Negro):
Latitude: 35° 41' N:
Longitude: 05° 16', 4 W:

From: Ras Al-Aswad
(Cap Negro):
(See above):

To: Ras El Targa
(Pointe Cotelle):
Latitude: 35° 24', 9 N:
Longitude: 05° 01', 1 W:

From: Ras El Targa
(Pointe Cotelle):
(See above):

To: Ras Essayadine
(Pointe des Pêcheurs):
Latitude: 35° 13', 2 N:
Longitude: 04° 40', 2 W:

From: Ras Essayadine
(Pointe des Pêcheurs):
(See above):

To: Ras Baba
(Cap Baba):
Latitude: 35° 11', 8 N:
Longitude: 04° 17' W:

From: Ras Baba
(Cap Baba):
(See above):

To: Taraf El-Khwan
(Pointe Los Frailes):
Latitude: 35° 15', 6 N:
Longitude: 03° 55', 6 W:

Map No. 1809

Map No. 1711
From: Taraf El Khwan : (Pointe Los Frailes): (See above) : Map No. 1711
To: Taraf Sidi Chaib : (Pointe Sidi Chaib): Latitude: 35° 16’, 3 N : Longitude: 03° 45’ W :

From: Ras Tarf : (Cap Quilatès): Latitude: 35° 17’ N : Longitude: 03° 40’, 7 W :
To: Taraf Bétoya : (Pointe Bétoya): Latitude: 35° 13’, 7 N : Longitude: 03° 12’, 5 W :

From: Taraf Bétoya : (Pointe Bétoya): (See above) : Map No. 1711
To: Ras El-Qédim : (Cap Viejo): Latitude: 35° 26’, 3 N : Longitude: 02° 59’, 8 W :

From: Light on Faralna : (Light on Los Farallones): Latitude: 35° 25’, 5 N : Longitude: 02° 56’, 5 W :
To: Sakharat Restinga: : (Rochers de Attauufania (Restinga de Tofifú): Latitude: 35° 09’, 1 N : Longitude: 02° 47’ W :

From: Sakharat Restinga : (Rochers de Attauufania (Rochers de Restinga de Tofifú): (See above) : Map No. 1711
To: Iles Jaafaryines : (Zaffarines) : (Northern Point of Jazirat Al-Mou’tamar) : Latitude: 35° 11’ N :
(Ile Congreso): Longitude: 02° 26’, 4 W :

From: Iles Jaafaryines :
(Zaffarines)  
(Northern Point of Jazirat Al-Malik) (Ile del Rey):  
Latitude: 35° 11', 2 N:  
Longitude: 02° 25', 4 W:  
Map No. 6011

To:  
The frontier between  
Algeria and Morocco on the  
Mediterranean Coast:  
Latitude: 35° 05', 2 N:  
Longitude: 02° 12', 7 W:

**Article 2**

The external limit of the Moroccan territorial sea shall follow a line, 12 nautical miles from the coast, measured from the low-water mark, the straight baselines and the closing lines of bays whose geographical coordinates are set forth in article 1:

**ON THE ATLANTIC COAST**  
(from north to south):

From Ras Spartel (Cap Spartel):  
Latitude: 35° 47' 18" N  
Longitude: 05° 55' 33" W

To Ras Afkir (Pointe Stafford):  
- Latitude: 27° 42' 00" N  
- Longitude: 13° 09' 50" W

**ON THE MEDITERRANEAN COAST**  
(from west to east):

From Taraf Al-Mina (Pointe Al-Mina):  
- Latitude: 35° 53' 50" N  
- Longitude: 05° 16' 45" W

To the frontier between Algeria and Morocco on the Mediterranean coast:  
- Latitude: 35° 05' 12" N  
- Longitude: 02° 12' 42" W

**Article 3**

The external limit of the Moroccan exclusive fishing zone shall follow a line, at a distance of 70 nautical miles, measured from the low-water mark, the straight baselines and the closing lines of bays whose geographical coordinates are set forth in article 1:

**ON THE ATLANTIC COAST**  
(from north to south):

From Ras Spartel (Cap Spartel):
Article 4

The external limit of the Moroccan exclusive fishing zone shall follow the median line between the Moroccan coast and the opposite foreign coast measured from the low-water mark, the straight baselines and closing lines of bays whose geographical coordinates are set forth in article 1:

ON THE ATLANTIC COAST
(from north to south):

From Ras Drâ (Cap Drâ):
- Latitude: 28° 44' 00" N
- Longitude: 11° 05' 20" W

To Ras Afkir (Pointe Stafford):
- Latitude: 27° 42' 00" N
- Longitude: 13° 09' 50" W

- ON THE MEDITERRANEAN COAST
(from west to east):

From Taraf Al-Mina (Pointe Al-Mina):
- Latitude: 35° 53’ 50” N
- Longitude: 05° 16’ 45” W

To the frontier between Algeria and Morocco on the Mediterranean coast:
- Latitude: 35° 05’ 12” N
- Longitude: 02° 12’ 42” W

Article 5

The external limit of the territorial sea and the Moroccan exclusive fishing zone in the Strait of Gibraltar shall follow the median line between the Moroccan coast and the opposite foreign coast measured from the closing lines of bays whose geographical coordinates are set forth in article 1:

from west to east:

From Ras Spartel (Cap Spartel):
- Latitude: 35° 47’ 13” N
- Longitude: 05° 55’ 33” W

To Taraf Al-Mina (Pointe Al-Mina):
- Latitude: 35° 53’ 50” N
- Longitude: 05° 16’ 45” W