

THE TOURISM AUTHORITY ACT 2006

**Regulations made by the Minister under section 129
of the Tourism Authority Act 2006**

1. These regulations may be cited as the Tourism Authority (Flic en Flac and Wolmar Speed Limit for Pleasure Crafts) Regulations 2007.

2. In these regulations –

“Act” means the Tourism Authority Act 2006;

“speed limit zone” means the stretch of the sea from the high water mark to the reef whose coordinates are set out in Part A of the Schedule and depicted in the plan set out in Part B of the Schedule.

3. No person shall operate a pleasure craft at a speed exceeding 5 nautical miles per hour (five Knots) in the speed limit zone.

4. Notwithstanding regulation 3, where the safety of a pleasure craft or of a person on board a pleasure craft, or a person, in sea waters of a speed limit zone so requires, the person operating a pleasure craft may exceed the speed limit of 5 nautical miles per hour (five Knots).

5. These regulations shall come into operation on 1st December 2007.

Made by the Minister on 7th November 2007.

SCHEDULE*(regulations 2,3 and 4)***Part A*****Description of speed limit zone at Flic en Flac and Wolmar***

The area of the speed limit zone which is the stretch of the sea from the high water mark to the coral reefs and is delimited by buoys have the following coordinates:

Starting from a point FF1 on the coast at Villa Caroline having grid coordinates 983310 mE, 991520mN and geographical coordinates 20016'28.8"S,57022'08.7"E, the limit runs along an imaginary line in a direction of 50 east of north – passing through the two yellow buoys in front of the fish landing station at Villa Caroline – and meets the reef at point FF2 having grid coordinates 983340 mE, 991840 mN and geographical coordinates 20016' 18.3"S, 57022'09.8"E. From this point the limit runs in a southerly direction along the reef up to point FF3 having grid coordinates 983830 mE, 986500 mN and geographical coordinates 200 19' 12.0"S, 570 22' 26.5"E. Thence the limit runs along an imaginary line in the north-east direction up to point FF4 on the coast at Pointe du Sud Flic en Flac located at Baie du Tamarin having grid coordinates 983865 mE, 986520 mN and geographical coordinates 20019' 11.4"S, 570 22'27.7"E. And thereafter, the limit follows the high water mark along the coast up of Wolmar and Flic en Flac in a general northerly direction up to the FF1.

Note: *Grid coordinates are based on the National Grid System of Mauritius which is referenced on Clarke 1880 datum and the geographical coordinates are referenced to the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS 8).*

SCHEDULE – *continued*
COORDINATES OF POINTS

FF1	
WGS 84	NATIONAL GRID
Lat: 20°16'28.8"S	E=983310
Lon: 57°22'08.7"E	N = 991520

FF2	
WGS 84	NATIONAL GRID
Lat: 20°16'18.3"S	E=983340
Lon: 57°22'09.8"E	N = 991840

FF3	
WGS 84	NATIONAL GRID
Lat: 20°19'12.0"S	E=983830
Lon: 57°22'26.5"E	N = 988500

FF4	
WGS 84	NATIONAL GRID
Lat: 20°19'11.4"S	E=983330
Lon: 57°22'27.7"E	N = 991745

BUOY No. 1	
WGS 84	NATIONAL GRID
Lat: 20°16'21.4"S	E=983330
Lon: 57°22'09.5"E	N = 991745

BUOY No. 2	
WGS 84	NATIONAL GRID
Lat: 20°16'27.9"S	E=983313
Lon: 57°22'08.8"E	N = 991545