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**Decree No. 2017-366 of 20 March 2017 establishing the outer limits of the territorial sea  
and the exclusive economic zone off the Crozet Archipelago (French Southern and  
Antarctic Lands)**

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Addressees: all users of the sea.

Subject: publication of the geographical coordinates of the outer limits of the territorial sea and  
the French exclusive economic zone off the Crozet Archipelago.

Entry into force: the text shall enter into force on the day following its publication.

Notice: the present Decree defines and publicizes the precise geographical coordinates of the  
outer limits of the territorial sea and the exclusive economic zone off the Crozet Archipelago, in  
accordance with the relevant provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea,  
signed at Montego Bay on 10 December 1982.

References: the present Decree follows up on Decree No. 2015-551 of 18 May 2015 defining the

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baselines from which the breadth of the French territorial sea adjacent to the Crozet Archipelago is measured.

The present Decree may be accessed on the Légifrance website (<http://www.legifrance.gouv.fr>).

The Prime Minister,

On the report of the Minister for Overseas Territories,

Considering the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, signed at Montego Bay on 10 December 1982,

Considering Act No. 71-1060 of 24 December 1971 concerning the delimitation of the French territorial waters,

Considering Act No.76-655 of 16 July 1976, as amended, concerning the economic zone and the environmental protection zone off the coast of the territory of the Republic,

Considering Decree No. 2015-551 of 18 May 2015 defining the baselines from which the breadth of the French territorial sea adjacent to the Crozet Archipelago is measured,

Hereby decrees:

**Title I: OUTER LIMIT OF THE FRENCH TERRITORIAL SEA OFF THE CROZET ARCHIPELAGO**

**Article 1**

The outer limit of the territorial sea beyond the Crozet Archipelago (French Southern and Antarctic Lands), comprising Île aux Cochons, Îlots des Apôtres, Île des Pingouins, Île de la Possession and Île de l'Est, shall be located at a distance of 12 nautical miles measured from the baselines.

It is defined in the tables shown under articles 2 and 3. All the coordinates are expressed in

degrees, minutes and seconds (dd-mm-ss) in the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS84).

## Article 2

Off Île aux Cochons, Îlots des Apôtres and Île des Pingouins, the outer limit of the territorial sea shall be defined by the lines shown below:

The arcs of radius 12 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY		CENTRE	
	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)
1	46-07-10S	050-36-42E	46-12-41S	050-21-23E
2	46-16-39S	050-37-41E	46-24-45S	050-24-55E
3	46-17-50S	050-39-04E	46-26-10S	050-26-37E
4	46-18-28S	050-39-54E	46-26-11S	050-26-38E
5	46-26-49S	050-43-58E	46-26-12S	050-26-38E
6	46-32-36S	050-41-20E	46-26-13S	050-26-37E
7	46-37-31S	050-32-29E	46-26-13S	050-26-36E
8	46-38-13S	050-26-05E	46-26-13S	050-26-35E
9	46-38-10S	050-24-56E	46-26-13S	050-26-34E
10	46-37-23S	050-20-14E	46-25-47S	050-24-37E

11	46-36-18S	050-16-17E	46-25-28S	050-23-43E
12	46-34-43S	050-12-42E	46-25-15S	050-23-22E
13	46-32-54S	050-09-59E	46-25-07S	050-23-11E
14	46-29-22S	050-06-58E	46-25-05S	050-23-10E
15	46-27-36S	050-06-12E	-	-

The rhumb line connecting points 15 and 16:

POINT	LATITUDE (dd-mm-ss)	LONGITUDE (ddd-mm-ss)	STRAIGHT BASELINE REFERENCE
15	46-27-36S	050-06-12E	From Pointe Bifide (base point PI10)  to base point PI11
16	46-26-51S	050-05-58E	

The arcs of radius 12 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY		CENTRE	
	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)
16	46-26-51S	050-05-58E	46-24-19S	050-22-56E

17	46-20-42S	050-06-24E	46-24-16S	050-22-57E
18	46-19-47S	050-06-53E	46-09-05S	050-14-42E
19	46-18-52S	050-04-41E	-	-

The rhumb line connecting points 19 and 20:

POINT	LATITUDE (dd-mm-ss)	LONGITUDE (ddd-mm-ss)	STRAIGHT BASELINE REFERENCE
19	46-18-52S	050-04-41E	From Îlots Jumeaux (base point CO09)  to base point CO10
20	46-17-22S	050-01-39E	

The arcs of radius 12 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY		CENTRE	
	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)
20	46-17-22S	050-01-39E	46-07-21S	050-11-10E
21	46-14-45S	049-57-34E	46-06-52S	050-10-34E
22	46-14-18S	049-57-01E	46-06-20S	050-09-55E

23	46-11-45S	049-54-31E	46-06-14S	050-09-51E
24	46-11-21S	049-54-14E	46-06-13S	050-09-50E
25	46-08-55S	049-53-03E	46-05-42S	050-09-39E
26	46-06-45S	049-52-28E	46-05-41S	050-09-39E
27	46-03-36S	049-52-41E	46-05-25S	050-09-43E
28	46-02-44S	049-52-55E	46-05-17S	050-09-46E
29	46-01-48S	049-53-16E	46-05-09S	050-09-49E
30	45-59-19S	049-54-46E	46-04-59S	050-09-57E
31	45-59-09S	049-54-53E	46-04-58S	050-09-58E
32	45-58-35S	049-55-23E	46-04-25S	050-10-25E
33	45-55-19S	049-59-12E	46-03-53S	050-11-14E
34	45-54-25S	050-00-42E	46-03-48S	050-11-24E
35	45-53-33S	050-02-27E	46-03-48S	050-11-25E
36	45-52-49S	050-04-29E	46-03-45S	050-11-31E
37	45-52-36S	050-05-10E	46-03-45S	050-11-32E
38	45-52-01S	050-08-01E	45-58-05S	050-22-49E
39	45-50-54S	050-09-04E	45-57-21S	050-23-33E

40	45-47-50S	050-13-07E	45-57-21S	050-23-34E
41	45-47-16S	050-14-15E	-	-

The rhumb line connecting points 41 and 42:

POINT	LATITUDE (dd-mm-ss)	LONGITUDE (ddd-mm-ss)	STRAIGHT BASELINE REFERENCE
41	45-47-16S	050-14-15E	From the west of Rocher Fendu (base point AP08)
42	45-46-10S	050-16-42E	to the north-west of Rocher Nord (base point AP09)

The arcs of radius 12 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY		CENTRE	
	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)
42	45-46-10S	050-16-42E	45-56-15S	050-26-00E
43	45-45-21S	050-18-49E	45-56-14S	050-26-02E

44	45-44-43S	050-21-17E	45-56-14S	050-26-03E
45	45-44-15S	050-27-25E	45-56-14S	050-26-04E
46	45-44-26S	050-29-11E	45-56-14S	050-26-05E
47	45-47-09S	050-37-19E	45-56-56S	050-27-23E
48	45-49-56S	050-41-20E	45-56-57S	050-27-23E
49	45-55-40S	050-44-29E	45-56-58S	050-27-23E
50	46-04-23S	050-40-54E	45-57-06S	050-27-14E
51	46-05-00S	050-40-13E	45-57-12S	050-27-08E
1	46-07-10S	050-36-42E	-	-

**Article 3**

The outer limit of the territorial sea off Île de la Possession and Île de l'Est is defined by the lines described below:

The arcs of radius 12 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY		CENTRE	
	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)
1	46-13-01S	052-00-09E	46-24-19S	052-05-55E

2	46-12-53S	052-00-43E	46-24-00S	052-07-13E
3	46-12-15S	052-03-14E	46-22-58S	052-10-58E
4	46-11-35S	052-05-31E	46-22-53S	052-11-21E
5	46-11-14S	052-07-10E	46-22-53S	052-11-22E
6	46-10-55S	052-12-24E	46-22-54S	052-12-55E
7	46-10-54S	052-12-47E	-	-

The rhumb line connecting points 7 and 8:

POINT	LATITUDE (dd-mm-ss)	LONGITUDE (ddd-mm-ss)	STRAIGHT BASELINE REFERENCE
7	46-10-54S	052-12-47E	From Cap Nord (base point ES01)  to base point ES02
8	46-10-54S	052-12-56E	

The arcs of radius 12 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY		CENTRE	
	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)

8	46-10-54S	052-12-56E	46-22-54S	052-13-04E
9	46-11-35S	052-18-49E	46-23-20S	052-15-16E
10	46-11-37S	052-19-02E	46-23-24S	052-15-49E
11	46-11-54S	052-20-45E	46-23-26S	052-15-57E
12	46-12-47S	052-23-55E	46-23-30S	052-16-08E
13	46-13-00S	052-24-31E	46-23-30S	052-16-09E
14	46-13-05S	052-24-44E	46-23-31S	052-16-10E
15	46-13-20S	052-25-19E	46-23-31S	052-16-11E
16	46-14-06S	052-26-55E	46-23-35S	052-16-19E
17	46-14-35S	052-27-46E	46-23-36S	052-16-20E
18	46-14-39S	052-27-51E	46-24-44S	052-18-29E
19	46-15-42S	052-29-54E	46-24-45S	052-18-30E
20	46-16-45S	052-31-26E	46-24-46S	052-18-31E
21	46-16-51S	052-31-32E	46-25-16S	052-19-12E
22	46-22-30S	052-36-03E	46-26-26S	052-19-42E
23	46-23-30S	052-36-31E	46-26-27S	052-19-42E
24	46-32-04S	052-35-02E	46-27-18S	052-19-06E

25	46-36-57S	052-29-25E	46-27-44S	052-18-17E
26	46-38-37S	052-25-37E	46-27-47S	052-18-08E
27	46-38-51S	052-24-49E	46-28-12S	052-16-50E
28	46-38-58S	052-24-31E	46-28-48S	052-15-17E
29	46-40-46S	052-13-59E	-	-

The rhumb line connecting points 29 and 30:

POINT	LATITUDE (dd-mm-ss)	LONGITUDE (ddd-mm-ss)	STRAIGHT BASELINE REFERENCE
29	46-40-46S	052-13-59E	From La Voile (base point ES05)  to base point ES06
30	46-40-41S	052-12-23E	

The arcs of radius 12 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY		CENTRE	
	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)
30	46-40-41S	052-12-23E	46-28-42S	052-11-43E

31	46-40-14S	052-07-01E	46-28-34S	052-11-04E
32	46-38-25S	052-01-10E	46-27-06S	052-06-50E
33	46-37-56S	051-59-25E	46-27-52S	051-49-57E
34	46-38-17S	051-58-34E	46-28-27S	051-48-36E
35	46-39-45S	051-54-26E	46-28-30S	051-48-27E
36	46-40-19S	051-51-25E	46-28-33S	051-48-06E
37	46-40-28S	051-49-59E	46-28-33S	051-48-05E
38	46-40-29S	051-46-23E	-	-

The rhumb line connecting points 38 and 39:

POINT	LATITUDE (dd-mm-ss)	LONGITUDE (ddd-mm-ss)	STRAIGHT BASELINE REFERENCE
38	46-40-29S	051-46-23E	From the south of Rochers de la Fortune (base point PO08)
39	46-40-10S	051-41-48E	to the east of Cap du Galliéni (base point PO09)

The arcs of radius 12 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY		CENTRE	
	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)
39	46-40-10S	051-41-48E	46-28-14S	051-43-31E
40	46-39-56S	051-39-40E	46-28-14S	051-43-30E
41	46-39-00S	051-35-51E	46-28-12S	051-43-24E
42	46-37-10S	051-31-50E	-	-

The rhumb line connecting points 42 and 43:

POINT	LATITUDE (dd-mm-ss)	LONGITUDE (ddd-mm-ss)	STRAIGHT BASELINE REFERENCE
42	46-37-10S	051-31-50E	From the west of Cap du Galliéni (base point PO10)
43	46-36-42S	051-31-05E	to Roche Carrée (base point PO11)

The arcs of radius 12 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY	CENTRE

	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)
43	46-36-42S	051-31-05E	46-25-19S	051-36-35E
44	46-31-29S	051-21-41E	46-25-18S	051-36-33E
45	46-30-34S	051-20-57E	46-25-17S	051-36-33E
46	46-28-34S	051-19-51E	46-25-17S	051-36-32E
47	46-24-46S	051-19-13E	46-25-16S	051-36-32E
48	46-23-50S	051-19-19E	46-25-14S	051-36-33E
49	46-19-09S	051-21-37E	46-22-09S	051-38-24E
50	46-13-37S	051-26-13E	46-22-07S	051-38-26E
51	46-13-13S	051-26-50E	46-22-07S	051-38-27E
52	46-10-35S	051-33-44E	-	-

The rhumb line connecting points 52 and 53:

POINT	LATITUDE (dd-mm-ss)	LONGITUDE (ddd-mm-ss)	STRAIGHT BASELINE REFERENCE
52	46-10-35S	051-33-44E	From Roche Percée (base point PO14)

53	46-09-35S	051-36-51E	to Cap Vertical (base point PO15)
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The arcs of radius 12 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY		CENTRE	
	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)
53	46-09-35S	051-36-51E	46-20-29S	051-44-04E
54	46-08-30S	051-43-55E	46-20-29S	051-44-05E
55	46-08-43S	051-47-28E	46-20-37S	051-45-08E
56	46-09-25S	051-51-22E	46-20-49S	051-46-00E
57	46-09-28S	051-51-34E	46-21-04S	051-47-10E
58	46-09-37S	051-52-21E	46-21-06S	051-47-21E
59	46-10-39S	051-55-50E	46-21-06S	051-47-22E
60	46-11-05S	051-56-52E	46-21-07S	051-47-22E
61	46-12-25S	051-59-18E	46-21-07S	051-47-23E
62	46-12-46S	051-59-47E	-	-

The rhumb line connecting points 62 and 1:

POINT	LATITUDE (dd-mm-ss)	LONGITUDE (ddd-mm-ss)	STRAIGHT BASELINE REFERENCE
62	46-12-46S	051-59-47E	From the east of Cap de la Meurthe (base point PO03)
1	46-13-01S	052-00-09E	to Cap Chivaud (base point PO04)

## **Title II: OUTER LIMIT OF THE FRENCH EXCLUSIVE ECONOMIC ZONE OFF THE CROZET ARCHIPELAGO**

### **Article 4**

The outer limit of the exclusive economic zone off the Crozet Archipelago (French Southern and Antarctic Lands), comprising Île aux Cochons, Îlots des Apôtres, Île des Pingouins, Île de la Possession and Île de l'Est, shall be located at a distance of 200 nautical miles measured from the baselines.

It is defined in the table shown under article 5. All the coordinates are expressed in degrees, minutes and seconds (dd-mm-ss) in the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS84).

### **Article 5**

Off the Crozet Archipelago, the outer limit of the exclusive economic zone shall be defined by the lines shown below:

The arcs of radius 200 nautical miles, the extremities and centres of which are shown in the table below:

POINT	EXTREMITY		CENTRE	
	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)	Latitude (dd-mm-ss)	Longitude (ddd-mm-ss)
1	43-04-37S	052-49-39E	46-22-54S	052-13-04E
2	43-09-26S	053-24-14E	46-23-24S	052-15-49E
3	43-11-04S	053-32-45E	46-23-26S	052-15-57E
4	43-24-19S	054-21-09E	46-23-30S	052-16-08E
5	43-27-13S	054-29-08E	46-23-30S	052-16-09E
6	43-28-31S	054-32-29E	46-23-31S	052-16-10E
7	43-32-11S	054-41-31E	46-23-31S	052-16-11E
8	43-43-07S	055-04-45E	46-24-44S	052-18-29E
9	43-51-51S	055-20-41E	46-24-45S	052-18-30E
10	44-05-57S	055-42-24E	46-25-16S	052-19-12E
11	45-24-23S	056-52-06E	46-26-26S	052-19-42E
12	45-32-06S	056-55-47E	46-26-27S	052-19-42E
13	47-48-32S	056-46-49E	46-27-18S	052-19-06E
14	49-04-03S	055-23-09E	46-27-44S	052-18-17E

15	49-24-50S	054-36-16E	46-28-48S	052-15-17E
16	49-48-26S	052-00-37E	46-28-42S	052-11-43E
17	49-48-20S	051-57-08E	46-28-33S	051-48-05E
18	49-47-04S	051-13-03E	46-28-14S	051-43-31E
19	49-45-17S	050-53-28E	46-26-13S	050-26-36E
20	49-46-00S	050-17-39E	46-26-13S	050-26-35E
21	49-45-08S	049-57-23E	46-26-13S	050-26-34E
22	49-35-17S	048-49-54E	46-25-47S	050-24-37E
23	49-22-33S	048-05-47E	46-25-28S	050-23-43E
24	48-55-26S	047-07-58E	46-25-15S	050-23-22E
25	48-30-15S	046-33-16E	46-25-07S	050-23-11E
26	47-38-31S	045-51-11E	46-06-20S	050-09-55E
27	47-32-53S	045-47-18E	46-06-14S	050-09-51E
28	47-26-54S	045-43-32E	46-06-13S	050-09-50E
29	46-47-59S	045-26-55E	46-05-42S	050-09-39E
30	46-17-49S	045-22-13E	46-05-41S	050-09-39E
31	45-23-54S	045-30-19E	46-05-25S	050-09-43E

32	45-16-28S	045-33-05E	46-05-17S	050-09-46E
33	45-03-09S	045-39-06E	46-05-09S	050-09-49E
34	44-25-02S	046-04-41E	46-04-59S	050-09-57E
35	44-23-52S	046-05-42E	46-04-58S	050-09-58E
36	44-21-40S	046-07-38E	46-04-25S	050-10-25E
37	43-34-06S	047-05-00E	46-03-53S	050-11-14E
38	43-24-23S	047-21-55E	46-03-48S	050-11-24E
39	43-19-26S	047-31-36E	45-57-21S	050-23-33E
40	43-16-40S	047-36-48E	45-57-21S	050-23-34E
41	43-07-07S	047-56-43E	45-56-15S	050-26-00E
42	42-53-47S	048-31-41E	45-56-14S	050-26-02E
43	42-43-41S	049-10-40E	45-56-14S	050-26-03E
44	42-36-30S	050-40-19E	45-56-14S	050-26-04E
45	42-39-23S	051-15-16E	45-56-14S	050-26-05E
1	43-04-37S	052-49-39E	-	-

### Title III: FINAL PROVISIONS

#### Article 6

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The line of the outer limits of the territorial sea and the exclusive economic zone defined in the preceding articles is shown for the purposes of illustration in two maps annexed to the present Decree.

### **Article 7**

The Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Development, the Minister of the Environment, Energy and the Sea, responsible for international relations on climate, the Minister of Defence, the Minister of the Interior and the Minister for Overseas Territories shall be responsible, within their relevant areas, for the implementation of this Decree, which shall be published in the Official Gazette of the French Republic.

### **Annex**

The full text with images may be found in the extract from the authenticated electronic version of the Official Gazette indicated in the footnote.

Done on 20 March 2017

By the Prime Minister, Bernard Cazeneuve

Ericka Bareigts, Minister for Overseas Territories

Jean-Marc Ayrault, Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Development

Ségolène Royal, Minister of the Environment, Energy and the Sea, responsible for international relations on climate

Jean-Yves Le Drian, Minister of Defence

Bruno Le Roux, Minister of the Interior