



SOVRINTENDENZA
TAL-PATRIMONJU KULTURALI
SUPERINTENDENCE OF CULTURAL HERITAGE

National Inventory of the Cultural Property of the Maltese Islands

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| Property Name | Buġibba Battery | | |
| Address | Buġibba | | |
| Town Name | Buġibba | Toponym | - |
| Property Owner | Government | Managing Body | - |
| Guardianship Deed | - | | |
| Local Council | San Pawl il-Baħar | | |

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| Period | Modern (18th Century) | | |
| Phase | Early Modern: Knights of St John (18th Century) | | |
| Cultural Heritage Type & Value | Historical Architectural | Cultural Heritage Property Value Assessment | Outstanding |
| Property Function | Fortification | Conservation Area | |

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| Outline Description | Coastal battery - remains |
| Property Description | Buġibba Battery is one of the coastal works of fortification erected by the Knights in 1715/16. The no longer survives but a large part of the rock hewn foundations and scarped rock hewn walls, together with a portion of its flanking ditch - all shaped and cut out of the rock can still be seen. The battery consisted of a circular gun platform, ringed off by a parapet and a blockhouse to the rear. Plans showing a detailed and exact layout of the structure have not yet been found. |

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| Scheduled by MEPA | No | Degree of Protection | - | G.N. No. | - | G.N. Date | - |
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| Recommended Bibliography | S.C. Spiteri, Fortresses of the Cross (Malta,1994), 520 |
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Coordinates : Easting

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Northing : Coordinates

Property Plan



Property Images

