

(1) VOLCANO OBSERVATORY NOTICE FOR AVIATION (VONA)

“EXERCISE VOLCAZO 23.01 EXERCISE”

(2) Issued 20230509/1435Z

(3) Volcano: Terceira (VNUM #382050)

(4) Current Aviation Color Code: YELLOW

(5) Previous Aviation Color Code: GREEN

(6) Source: IVAR/CIVISA

(7) Notice Number: 2023/001

(8) Volcano Location: 3844N02719W

(9) Area: Atlantic Ocean, Azores

(10) Summit Elevation: 1023 m (3356 ft)

(11) Volcanic Activity Summary: Since 0645Z, a sudden increase in the number of small earthquakes started to occur at Terceira island (Santa Barbara volcano), pointing to heightened volcano unrest.

(12) Volcanic Cloud Height: NIL

(13) Other Volcanic Cloud Information: NIL

(14) Remarks: Santa Barbara volcano is located in the western part of Terceira island. In its recent eruptive history, it has produced several explosive eruptions reaching at least VEI 4.

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(16) NEXT NOTICE

A new VONA will be issued if conditions change significantly or alert levels are modified.

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