Mussandam DWS: Dibba's Port Access



At the moment of writing (April 2015) the Dibba Border is only accessible to GCC passport holders (and tourist visa holders?) unless you have a permit. To get a permit you need a booking with some tourism company: Hotel, boat cruise, diving company... This has to be done a few days ahead of your trip as issuing permits can take some time.

When entering Dibba from Dubai or Abu Dhabi, drive straight to a large roundabout (25deg 35' 49" North; 56 deg 16' 42" East) leaving a Lulu Hypermarket and an Adnoc Petrol Station on your right.

Turn left passing a large Mosque and three roundabouts and reach the old border post (25deg 36' 20" North; 56deg 16' 03" East) only accessible to GCC passport holders (this is not where you should try to cross), turn right, pass a few officials buildings and several humps, turn left on the corniche road and reach the *Corniche Border Post* at 25deg 37' 46" North; 56deg 16' 10" East.

Here you will have to receive your permits from your contact and display all passports and visas. Queues might occur.

After crossing the border drive more or less straight north (depending on road works) and reach **Dibba Port** at **25deg 39' 02" North**; **56deg 16' 08" East**.