

Malta in the European Union



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Message from the Minister of Foreign Affairs



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It is a useful tool even more relevant today that Malta is a member of the European Union, therefore increasing the need for first hand information from EU related sources.

Communicating Europe also means providing such information material for Maltese citizens to be able to contact EU institutions and agencies, as well as, agencies set up by the Maltese Government, related to the European Union and its functions.

I congratulate the Malta-EU Information Centre for this publication and urge it to continue to disseminate Malta-EU related information furthering an active participation of the Maltese citizens in the future of the European Union.

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This directory has been compiled by the Malta-EU Information Centre to provide you with the contact details of some of the agencies set up by the Government of Malta to aid in Malta's adherence to the EU. It also provides useful contact details of Maltese nationals working in the EU institutions and EU agencies.

The information in this directory has been professionally collected so as to ensure that the contact details being supplied are correct. However, in case of difficulties or more information you may contact MIC on telephone number **2590 9192** or send an email to euinfo.mic@gov.mt

It is our intention that from time to time MIC provides people with an updated version of this directory both as a printed booklet and as well as on the Centre's website, www.mic.org.mt

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1.0 The Council of Ministers

The Council of Ministers is the main decision-making institution of the European Union. It is now known as the Council of the European Union and is usually referred to as the Council. Each EU member state presides over the Council for a six-month period. Every Council meeting is attended by a minister from each of the member states. Ministers attend according to the topic discussed at the Council.

There are nine different configurations of the Council. They are as follows:

- **General Affairs and External Relations**
- **Economic and Financial Affairs**
- **Cooperation in the fields of Justice and Home Affairs**
- **Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs**
- **Competitiveness**
- **Transport, Telecommunications and Energy**
- **Agriculture and Fisheries**
- **Environment**
- **Education, Youth and Culture**

In the Council each Minister has a number of votes as laid down by the Treaty of Nice. In Malta's case, a Maltese Minister has three votes in the Council of Ministers. Maltese Ministers also have the right of veto just like any other Minister in those areas that according to the Treaties require a unanimous vote. The Council of Ministers shares legislative power with the European Parliament.

1.1 The number of votes for Member States

Germany • France • Italy • United Kingdom : **29 votes each**

Spain • Poland : **27 votes each**

Netherlands : **13 votes**

Belgium • Czech Republic • Greece • Hungary • Portugal : **12 votes each**

Austria • Sweden : **10 votes each**

Denmark • Ireland • Lithuania • Slovakia • Finland : **7 votes each**

Cyprus • Estonia • Latvia • Luxembourg • Slovenia : **4 votes each**

Malta : **3 votes**

A minimum of 232 votes (72.3%) is required to reach a qualified majority, and in addition:

- a majority of Member States (in some cases two thirds) must approve the decision, and
- any Member State can ask for confirmation that the votes cast in favour represent at least 62% of the EU's total population.

2.0 The Committee of the Permanent Representatives

The Committee of the Permanent Representatives commonly referred to as COREPER is made of ambassadors that are accredited to the European Union in Brussels. These representatives are also assisted by officials from the governments of member states. The COREPER prepares all the work for the Council of Ministers. Malta's permanent representative is Mr Richard Cachia Caruana. The Permanent Representation of Malta to the EU can be contacted at the following coordinates:

Address: **Rue Belliard 65-67, 1040 Brussels, Belgium.**

Telephone: **0032 2343 0195** Fax: **0032 2343 0106** e-mail: **maltarep@gov.mt**

2.1 Ambassador Richard Cachia Caruana



Born Sliema, Malta, February 11, 1955. Educated at St Edward's College, the University of Malta and the London Business School. Member of the UK Chartered Institute of Marketing and of the UK Market Research Society. Associate Member of the UK Chartered Institute of Arbitrators.

1998 – 2004: Head of the Prime Minister's Secretariat.

1999 – 2003: Chief Negotiator for Malta's EU Accession negotiations.

1996 – 1998: Senior Consultant, KPMG.

1987 – 1996: Personal Assistant to the Prime Minister (later Head of the Prime Minister's Secretariat).

1985 – 1987: Director, Press & Information Office, Campaign Manager, Partit Nazzjonalista

1983 – 1985: Managing Director, Gallup Ltd, Malta.

1981 – 1982: Campaign Manager, Partit Nazzjonalista.

1980 – 1981: Marketing Consultant, Maltatours (UK) Ltd.

1976 – 1978: Assistant Secretary General and Director, AIESEC International, Belgium.

He has attended meetings of Malta's Cabinet of Ministers since 1998, also 1991 to 1996. Member of the Cabinet Committee on EU Affairs since 1998. Member of numerous Prime Ministerial delegations to European Councils, Commonwealth Heads of Government Meetings, the UN General Assembly as well as bilateral visits. Member of Malta's Inter-Governmental Conference delegations in relation to the new European Constitution, at both Prime Ministerial and Ministerial levels.

Director of the following entities:

1997 – 1998: Central Bank of Malta (also member of the Bank's Monetary Policy Council)

1992 – 1997: Air Malta plc (also various subsidiaries)

1989 – 1992: Malta External Trade Corporation

1987 – 1992: Malta Development Corporation

1983 – 1985: Gallup Ltd, Malta

1976, 1979 – 1980: National Student Travel Service (also various subsidiaries)

Decorations from Estonia, Italy, Latvia, Poland, Portugal and the Sovereign Military Order of Malta.

3.0 The European Council

The European Council brings together the presidents and prime ministers of all the members states of the European Union. The President of the European Commission also takes part in the meetings of the European Council. Every European Council meeting is addressed by the President of the European Parliament.

The European Council does not legislate. It gives direction to the EU as a whole and discusses current world issues. The European Council meets at least four times a year, in March, June, October and December.

In the meetings of the European Council, Malta is represented by the Prime Minister.

European Union Presidency websites: ue.eu.int/en/presid.htm

4.0 The European Parliament

The European Parliament is elected by universal suffrage every five years. It legislates with the Council of Ministers. The European Parliament holds its plenary sessions in Strasbourg and any additional sessions are held in Brussels. It has 17 committees that prepare the groundwork for the Parliament's plenary session.

Website: www.europarl.eu.int

4.1 Members of the European Parliament

Each member state of the European Union has a number of seats allocated according to the provisions of the Treaty of Nice. Malta has five seats. The seats are distributed as follows:

Germany : **99 seats**

France • Italy • United Kingdom : **78 seats each**

Poland • Spain : **54 seats**

Netherlands : **27 seats**

Belgium • Greece • Czech Republic • Portugal • Hungary : **24 seats each**

Austria : **18 seats**

Sweden : **19 seats**

Denmark • Finland • Slovakia : **14 seats each**

Ireland • Lithuania : **13 seats each**

Latvia : **9 seats**

Slovenia : **7 seats**

Cyprus • Estonia • Luxembourg : **6 seats each**

Malta : **5 seats**

In the European Parliament MEPs sit according to their respective European political grouping. Following the European elections of June 12, 2004, the following five Maltese MEPs were elected.

4.1.1 Dr John Attard Montalto MLP (PES)



Committee on Industry, Research and Energy, Member
Committee on Transport and Tourism, Substitute
Subcommittee on Human Rights, Substitute
Delegation for relations with the Gulf States, including Yemen, Member
Delegation for relations with Australia and New Zealand, Substitute

Address(1): **European Parliament**
Bâtiment Altiero Spinelli, 12G351, 60 rue Wiertz/Wiertzstraat 60, B-1047 Bruxelles/Brussel.
Fax: **0032 2284 9116** e-mail: jattard@europarl.eu.int

Address(2): **European Parliament**
Bâtiment Louise Weiss, T05071, Allée du Printemps, BP 10024/F, F-67070 Strasbourg Cedex.
Fax: **0033 388 179116** website: www.johnattardmontalto.com
Assistant: **Sharon Ellul Bonici.**

4.1.2 Dr Simon Busuttil PN (EPP-ED)



Committee on Budgetary Control, Member
Committee on Budgets, Member
Committee on Regional Development, Substitute
Temporary committee on policy challenges and budgetary means of the enlarged Union 2007-2013, Substitute
Delegation for relations with the Maghreb countries and the Arab Maghreb Union (including Libya),
Vice-Chairman Delegation to the Euro-Mediterranean Parliamentary Assembly, Member

Address(1): **European Parliament**
Bâtiment Altiero Spinelli, 09E210, 60 rue Wiertz/Wiertzstraat 60, B-1047 Bruxelles/Brussel.
Fax: **0032 2284 9686** email: sbusuttil@europarl.eu.int or contact@simonbusuttil.com

Address(2): **European Parliament**
Bâtiment Louise Weiss, T08026, Allée du Printemps, BP 10024/F, F-67070 Strasbourg Cedex.
Fax: **0033 388 179686** website: www.simonbusuttil.com
Head of Office: **Stefano Mallia.**
Assistants: **Elaine Cordina, Nadine Naudi.**

4.1.3 David Casa PN (EPP-ED)



Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs, Member
Committee on Fisheries, Member
Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety, Substitute
Delegation to the EU-Bulgaria Joint Parliamentary Committee, Member
Delegation to the EU-Turkey Joint Parliamentary Committee, Substitute

Address(1): **European Parliament**
Bâtiment Altiero Spinelli, 09E218, 60 rue Wiertz/Wiertzstraat 60, B-1047 Bruxelles/Brussel.
Fax: **0032 2284 9445** email: dcasa@europarl.eu.int

Address(2): **European Parliament**
Bâtiment Louise Weiss, T08020, Allée du Printemps, BP 10024/F, F-67070 Strasbourg Cedex.
Fax: **0033 388 179445** website: www.davidcasa.com
Assistants: **Andre Carbonaro, Matthew Saliba, Nicholas Spiteri Paris.**

4.1.4 Louis Grech MLP (PES)



Committee on Budgets, Member
Committee on Regional Development, Substitute
Delegation to the EU-Croatia Joint Parliamentary Committee, Substitute
Delegation for relations with the Korean Peninsula, Vice-Chairman
Delegation to the Euro-Mediterranean Parliamentary Assembly, Member

Address(1): **European Parliament**
Bâtiment Altiero Spinelli, 12G317, 60 rue Wiertz/Wiertzstraat 60, B-1047 Bruxelles/Brussel.
Fax: **0032 2284 9235** email: lgrech@europarl.eu.int

Address(2): **European Parliament**
Bâtiment Louise Weiss, T05073, Allée du Printemps, BP 10024/F, F-67070 Strasbourg Cedex.
Fax: **0033 388 179235** website: www.louisgrech.com
Assistants: **Owen Bonnici, Maria Buxo.**

4.1.5 Joseph Muscat MLP (PES)



Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs, Member
Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection, Substitute
Delegation for relations with Belarus, Vice-Chairman
Delegation for relations with the countries of south-east Europe, Substitute

Address(1): **European Parliament**
Bâtiment Altiero Spinelli, 12G309, 60 rue Wiertz/Wiertzstraat 60, B-1047 Bruxelles/Brussel.
Fax: **0032 2284 9376** e-mail: **joseph@josephmuscat.com**

Address(2): **European Parliament**
Bâtiment Louise Weiss, T05042, Allée du Printemps, BP 10024/F, F-67070 Strasbourg Cedex.
Fax: **0033 388 179376** website: **www.josephmuscat.com**
Assistant: **David Borg.**

4.2 European Parliament Information Office

The European Parliament has its own information office in each of the 25 member states of the European Union. In Malta, the Information Office is based in Valletta:

Deputy Head: **Saviour Grech**

European Parliament Information Office, 280 Republic Street, Valletta VLT04, Malta.

Telephone: **2123 5075** Fax: **2122 7580** e-mail: **epvalletta@europarl.eu.int**

Website: **www.europarl.eu.int/valletta**

5.0 The European Commission

The European Commission consists of one commissioner from each member state of the European Union. Each Commissioner is appointed for five years by agreement between the member states and subject to approval by the European Parliament. The European Commission acts with complete independence. Its task is to act as the guardian of the EU Treaties. The Commission is there to ensure that member states of the EU put into effect all the regulations and directives adopted by the Council of Ministers and the European Parliament. The Commission has also the right to propose new EU legislation. This institution is accountable to the European Parliament. The Commission is assisted by 36 Directorates-General (DGs) and its services are mainly based in Brussels and Luxembourg.

Address: **European Commission, Rue de la Loi 200, B-1049 Brussels, Belgium.**

Telephone: **0032 2299 1111**

Website: **europa.eu.int/comm/index_en.htm**



President of the European Commission, **José Manuel Durao Barroso**

5.1 Other contacts related to the European Commission

Information Sources and Contacts: **europa.eu.int/geninfo/info-en.htm**

Information services: **europa.eu.int/geninfo/icom-en.htm**

European Personnel Selection Office: **europa.eu.int/epso**

European Social Fund: **europa.eu.int/comm/employment_social/index_en.htm**

Statistical Office of the European Communities: **europa.eu.int/comm/eurostat**

Joint Research Centres: **www.jrc.org**

Other Agencies and Bodies (EMEA, EEA, CEDEFOP): **europa.eu.int/agencies/index_en.htm**

Translation Centre for the Bodies of the European Union: **www.cdt.eu.int**

European Environment Information and Observation NETwork: **www.eionet.eu.int**

RAPID - the Spokesman's Service of the European Commission: **europa.eu.int/en/comm/spp/rapid.html**

European Documentation Centres: **europa.eu.int/comm/libraries/bibliotheques_fr.htm**

Representations in Member States: **europa.eu.int/comm/offices.htm**

Representations in third countries: **europa.eu.int/comm/external_relations/repdel/index.htm**

Websites of Delegations: **europa.eu.int/comm/external_relations/delegations/intro/web.htm**

CELEX: **europa.eu.int/celex**

Information Society Project Office (ISPO): **www.ispo.cec.be**

Community Research and Development Information Service (CORDIS): **www.cordis.lu**

Eurobarometer - the public opinion analysis sector of the European Commission:

europa.eu.int/comm/public_opinion/index.htm

Dialogue with Citizens: **europa.eu.int/citizensrights/index_en.cfm**

5.2 European Commission's Representation Office

The European Commission has a representation office in each of the member states of the European Union.

In Malta, the Commission's representation office is located at Ta' Xbiex:

European Commission Representation in Malta

Address: **Villa The Vines, 51 Ta' Xbiex Sea Front, Ta' Xbiex MSD11, Malta.**

Telephone: **2134 5111, 2134 4891/3/4/5** Fax: **2134 4897**

The general e-mail: **press-rep-malta@cec.eu.int**

5.3 EC Translation Field Office

European Commission Representation in Malta

Address: **89, Triq San Gwann, Valletta VLT09, Malta.**

Telephone: **2599 0620** Fax: **2599 0650**

Website: **europa.eu.int/comm/dgs/translation/aboutsd/antennes/new field offices/valletta_en.htm**

5.4 Europe Direct

Freephone: **00800 67891011**

5.5 Foundation for Women Entrepreneurs (Malta)

The Foundation is the information relay of Europe Direct in Malta

Address: **Gateway Centre, P. P. mifsud Street, Hamrun, Malta**

Telephone: **2122 4900** Fax: **2333 1230**

Website: **www.women.org.mt** Email: **info@women.org.mt**

5.6 The European Commission 2004-2009

The European Commission is made up of 25 members, one from each member states. The following are the members who currently form part of the European Commission whose mandate is for five years, starting 2004 and ending 2009:



President: **José Manuel Durao Barroso (Portuguese)**



Vice-President: **Guenther Verheugen (German)**: Enterprise & Industry



Vice-President: **Margot Wallstrom (Swedish)**: Institutional Relations & Communications Strategy



Vice-President: **Jacques Barrot (French)**: Transport



Vice-President: **Siim Kallas (Estonian)**: Administrative Affairs, Audit & Anti-Fraud



Vice-President: **Franco Frattini (Italian)**: Justice, Freedom & Security



Commissioner **Vivianne Reding (Luxembourg)**: Information Society & Media



Commissioner **Stavros Dimas (Greek)**: Environment



Commissioner **Joaquin Almunia (Spanish)**: Economic and Monetary Affairs



Commissioner **Danuta Hübner (Polish)**: Regional Policy



Commissioner **Joe Borg (Maltese)**: Fisheries & Maritime Affairs



Commissioner **Dalia Grybauskaitė (Lithuanian)**: Financial Programming and Budget



Commissioner **Jan Figel (Slovak)**: Education, Training, Culture & Multilingualism



Commissioner **Janez Potocnik (Slovenian)**: Science & Research



Commissioner **Markos Kyprianou (Cypriot)**: Health & Consumer Protection



Commissioner **Olli Rehn (Finnish)**: Enlargement



Commissioner **Louis Michel (Belgian)**: Development & Humanitarian Aid



Commissioner **Laszlo Kovacs (Hungarian)**: Taxation & Customs Union



Commissioner **Neelie Kroes (Dutch)**: Competition



Commissioner **Mariann Fischer Boel (Danish)**: Agriculture & Rural Development



Commissioner **Benita Ferrero-Waldner (Austrian)**: External Relations & Neighbours Policy



Commissioner **Charlie McCreevy (Irish)**: Internal Market & Services



Commissioner **Vladimir Spidla (Czech)**: Employment, Social Affairs & Equal Opportunities



Commissioner **Peter Mandelson (British)**: Trade



Commissioner **Andris Piebalgs (Latvian)**: Energy

5.7 Commissioner Dr Joe Borg



The Commissioner nominated by Malta is **Dr Joe Borg**. He is the Commissioner for Fisheries and Maritime Affairs.

Personal details:

Born 19 March 1952 in Malta.

Married with two children

Political and Administrative activities:

1999-2004: Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Chairman of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe

(November 2002 – May 2003);

Member of the Commonwealth Ministerial Action Group

(March 2002 – 2004).

1998 – 1999: Parliamentary Secretary within the Ministry of Foreign Affairs;

Member, Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives; First Vice-Chairman, EU - Malta Joint Parliamentary Committee.

1997: International Secretary, Nationalist Party.

1996-1998: Shadow Minister responsible for Industry and for the Impact of EU Policies

Member, Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives

Member, EU - Malta Joint Parliamentary Committee.

1995-2004: Member of the House of Representatives (Nationalist Party).

1992-1995: Director, Board of Directors, Central Bank of Malta.

1989-1992: Member, Board of Governors, Malta International Business Authority.

1990: Drew up Report Regarding Malta's Membership of the European Community.

1989-1995: Established the Directorate for EU Matters within the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Education and Legal activities:

1995: Main author and drafter of the Companies Act, 1995.

1987-1988: University College of Wales: Graduated with a Master's Degree in European Law - *Thesis Company Law Harmonization in the EEC - suggested changes in Maltese Law.*

1980: Manchester University Business School: International Teachers Programme.

1988-2004: Senior lecturer at the University of Malta in Company Law, Industrial Law and European Law, University of Malta and lecturer at the Malta Institute of Accountants and Institute of Bankers.

1979-1988: Lecturer at the University of Malta.

1976-1988: Legal adviser to companies and corporate bodies in Malta and abroad.

1975: Doctor of Laws (LL.D) from the University of Malta.

1974: Diploma of Notary Public from the University of Malta.

Website: europa.eu.int/comm/commission_barroso/borg/index_en.htm

5.7.1 The Cabinet of Commissioner Dr Joe Borg



Head of Cabinet: **Patrick Tabone**

Telephone: **0032 2298 8687**

e-mail: Patrick.Tabone@cec.eu.int

Responsibilities: **Direction of Cabinet;**

relations with DG Fisheries and Maritime Affairs;

relations with the Spokesperson's Service; personnel and administration.



Deputy Head of Cabinet: **Michael Köhler**

Telephone: **0032 2299 0753** e-mail: Michael.Koehler@cec.eu.int

Responsibilities: **External aspects of Common Fisheries Policy and Markets – FISH B, international dimension of A1; external relations; trade; enlargement; European Neighbourhood Policy; financial perspectives; communication strategy; GOPA; security and protocol.**



Member of Cabinet: **Joanna Darmanin**

Telephone: **0032 2298 8689**

e-mail: Joanna.Darmanin@cec.eu.int

Responsibilities: **Relations with the European Parliament, Council –**

FISH E2; UNCLOS; education, training, culture, and multilingualism; delegations.



Member of Cabinet: **Maja Kirchner**

Telephone: **0032 229 80508/57490**

e-mail: Maja.Kirchner@cec.eu.int

Responsibilities: **Conservation policy, enforcement, regulation and monitoring–**

FISH A and D; justice, freedom and security; competition and state aids.



Member of Cabinet: **Waddah Saab**

Telephone: **0032 2299 4564** e-mail: Waddah.Saab@cec.eu.int

Responsibilities: **Common Fisheries Policy – Structural Policy - FISH C; DG FISH Resource Directorate, Audit and Evaluation Unit – FISH E1, 3 and 4; financial programming and budget; enterprise and industry; regional policy and cohesion; science and research; development and humanitarian aid.**



Member of Cabinet: **Ella Strickland**

Telephone: **0032 2299 3030** e-mail: Ella.Strickland@cec.eu.int

Responsibilities: **Taxation and Customs Union; Internal Market and Services; infringements; health and consumers protection; economic and monetary affairs; agriculture and rural development.**



Member of Cabinet: **Tiago Pitta e Cunha**

Telephone: **0032 2296 9987**

e-mail: Tiago.Cunha@cec.eu.int

Responsibilities: **Maritime Affairs Task Force;**

environment; transport; energy.



Personal Assistant to the Commissioner: **John Camilleri**

Telephone: **0032 2299 6810** e-mail: John.Camilleri@cec.eu.int

Responsibilities: **Administrative affairs, audit and anti-fraud; employment, social affairs and equal opportunities; institutional affairs, Constitutional Treaty; and information society and media.**



Assistant to Cabinet: **Patricia Meaney**

Telephone: **0032 2296 9171**

e-mail: Patricia.Meaney@cec.eu.int

Responsibilities: **Commissioner's website; coordination of Cabinet's budgetary and human resources; stagiaires; Special Advisors; Patronage.**



Spokesperson: **Mireille Thom**

Telephone: **0032 22991630**

e-mail: Mireille.Thom@cec.eu.int

6.0 The European Court of Justice

The Court of Justice of the European Communities is located in Luxembourg and is made up of one judge from each member state of the European Union. The judges are assisted by eight advocates-general. Each judge is appointed for six years. They may be re-appointed for one or two further periods of three years.

The European Court of Justice is there to ensure that EU law is complied with and that the Treaties are interpreted and applied correctly. The Court is the only institution that can, at the request of the national courts in member states, give a ruling on the interpretation of EU law. In this way, EU law is interpreted and applied in the same way throughout the European Union.

The judge nominated by Malta is Dr Anthony Borg Barthet.

6.1 Judge Anthony Borg Barthet

Born in 1947.

1973: Doctorate in Law at the Royal University of Malta.

1975: Entered the Maltese Civil Service as Notary to the Government.

1978: Counsel for the Republic of Malta.

1979: Senior Counsel for the Republic of Malta.

1988: Assistant Attorney General.

1989: Appointed Attorney General by the President of Malta.

1985-1989: Part-time lecturer in civil law at the University of Malta.

1998-2004: Member of the Council of the University of Malta.

1994-2004: Member of the Commission for the Administration of Justice.

1998-2004: Member of the Board of Governors of the Malta Arbitration Centre.

Judge at the European Court of Justice since May 11, 2004.

Dr Anthony Borg Barthet is the President of the Sixth Chamber of the European Court of Justice.

He is also a member of the Third Chamber of the European Court of Justice.

Website: curia.eu.int/en/instit/presentationfr/index_cje.htm

7.0 The European Court of First Instance

The Court of First Instance was set up in 1989. The Court consists of one judge from each member state of the European Union. The Court of First Instance can give rulings on certain types of cases, particularly cases brought up by firms or private individuals against institutions of the European Union as well as disputes between EU institutions and their employees.

The judge nominated by Malta to serve in the Court of First Instance is Dr Ena Cremona.

7.1 Judge Ena Cremona

Born 1936.

1955: Bachelors Degree (BA) in languages, Royal University of Malta.

1958: Doctor of Laws (LLD) of the Royal University of Malta

1959 onwards: Practising at the Malta Bar.

1964-1979: Legal Adviser to the National Council of Women.

1987-1989: Member of the Public Service Commission.

1987-1993: Board Member at Lombard Bank (Malta) Ltd, representing the Government shareholding.

1993 onwards: Member of the Electoral Commission.

Examiner for doctoral theses at the Royal University of Malta.

2003-2004: Member of the European Commission against Racism and Intolerance (ECRI).

Judge at the Court of First Instance since May 12, 2004.

Website: curia.eu.int/en/instit/presentationfr/index_cje.htm

8.0 The European Court of Auditors

The European Court of Auditors was set up in 1977. The Court is made up of one member from each member state of the European Union. The auditors are appointed for a period of six years by agreement between the member states after consultation with the European Parliament.

The Court of Auditors checks that all the revenue of the European Union has been received and all its expenditure incurred in a lawful and regular manner. The Court must also ensure that the EU budget has been managed soundly. The Court of Auditors has the right to audit the accounts of any organisation that is handling EU funds.

The auditor nominated by Malta is Professor Josef Bonnici.

8.1 Professor Josef Bonnici



Born in Birzebbuga (Malta) in 1953.

Doctor of Philosophy and Master of Arts from Simon Fraser University, Canada.

Doctor of Humanities Honoris Causa, Rikkyo University, Japan.

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Economics, University of Malta.

Professor of Economics.

1980-1988: Lectured at Deakin University, Australia.

1988-2003: Lectured at the University of Malta.

1988-1994: Economic Advisor to the Prime Minister of Malta in the field of Economic Policy, including income tax reform.

1994-1995: Parliamentary Secretary in the Ministry of Finance. His duties were related to Economic Policy.

1995-1996, 1998-2003: Minister for Economic Services.

His responsibilities included, economic development policy, the national statistics office, competition policy and government investments.

1992, 1996, 1998, 2003: Elected a Member of the House of Representatives of Malta.

He was a Member of the Public Accounts Committee, Foreign and European Affairs Committee and the Malta-EU Joint Parliamentary Committee.

1992-1995: Represented Malta in the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe.

2003-May 2004: Observer Member of the European Parliament, where he took part in the meetings of the Economic and Monetary Affairs Committee as well as of the Regional Policy, Transport and Tourism Committee.

Professor Bonnici is a Member of the European Court of Auditors since May 7, 2004.

He is one of the rapporteurs of the Group II Structural and internal policies that include regional policy and cohesion policy; internal policies such as research; and social and employment policies.

Telephone: **00352 4398 47231** Fax **00352 4398 48803**

Head of Professor Bonnici's private office: **Ray Cachia Zammit**

Telephone: **00352 4398 47232** Fax **00352 4398 48803**

Attaché: **Andreas Dürrwanger**

Telephone: **00352 4398 45147** Fax **00352 4398 48803**

9.0 The European Economic and Social Committee

The European Economic and Social Committee (EESC) is made up of representatives of the various interest groups that together make up what is termed as the organised civil society. EESC members include representatives from trade unions, employers' associations and NGOs. They are appointed by the Council of Ministers for a period of four years. According to the Treaty of Nice, Malta has been allocated five members. The EESC has to be consulted before decisions are taken in a number of fields that include employment, the European Social Fund and vocational training. The Committee can also present its own opinions on other matters that it considers important.

Address: **99, rue Belliard, B-1040 Brussels, Belgium.**
Telephone: **0032 2546 9011** Fax: **0032 2513 4893**
Website: **www.esc.eu.int/pages/en/home.asp**

The Maltese members of the EESC are:

9.1 Grace Attard



Mrs Grace Attard is the President of the National Council of Women. She was nominated on May 1, 2004. She is in the EESC's Group III covering employment, social affairs and citizenship; the single market, production and consumption; and external relations.

Address: **National Council of Women,
Il-Kenn, 45 Triq Emanuel Attard, Santa Venera HMR 07, Malta.**
Telephone: **2148 8391** Fax **2124 6982** email: **grace_attard@onvol.net**
Website: **eescmembers.esc.eu.int/eescmembers.aspx?critld=2016186**

9.2 Edwin Calleja



Edwin Calleja has served as Director General of the Malta Federation of Industry (FOI) and is now adviser to the FOI President. He was nominated on May 1, 2004. He forms part of the EESC's Group I in the consultative commission on industrial change. He also covers employment, social affairs and citizenship; transport, energy, infrastructure and the information society; and the economic and monetary union and economic and social cohesion.

Address: **Malta Federation of Industry, Casa Leone, Misrah Robert Samut, Floriana, Malta.**
Telephone: **2123 4428** Fax **2124 0702** email: **edwincal@maltanet.net**
Website: **eescmembers.esc.eu.int/eescmembers.aspx?critld=2016178**

9.3 Anna Maria Darmanin



Anna Maria Darmanin is the Chairperson of the Salvino Spiteri Foundation of the Union Haddiema Maghqudin (UHM). She also represents the Confederation of Maltese Trade Unions (CMTU). She forms part of Group II covering single market, production and consumption; and economic and monetary union, and economic and social cohesion.

Address: **Union Haddiema Maghqudin (UHM),
Dar Reggie Miller, Triq San Tumas, Floriana, Malta.**
Telephone: **7940 3525** Fax: **2124 6091** email: **adarmanin@uhm.org.mt**
Website: **eescmembers.esc.eu.int/eescmembers.aspx?critld=2016184**

Address: **CMTU, 9C Triq Mikiel Anton Vassalli, Valletta.**
Telephone: **2123 7313** Fax: **2125 0146** email: **cmtu@maltanet.net**

9.4 Michael Parnis



Michael Parnis is the Deputy Secretary General (Education and International Affairs) of the General Workers Union (GWU). He forms part of Group II covering employment, social affairs and citizenship; and economic and monetary union, and economic and social cohesion.

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Workers Memorial Building, Triq Nofsinhar, Valletta, Malta.**
Telephone: **2124 4300** Fax: **2123 4029** email: **mparnis@gwu.org.mt**
Website: **eescmembers.esc.eu.int/eescmembers.aspx?critld=2016182**

9.5 Sylvia Sciberras



Sylvia Sciberras is Director of the Public Broadcasting Services Ltd and Executive Council member of the General Retailers and Traders Union (GRTU). She is in Group I covering employment, social affairs, production and consumption; single market, production and consumption; and external relations.

Address: **Malta Chamber of Small and Medium Enterprises,
GRTU Exchange Building, Triq ir-Repubblika, Valletta, Malta.**
Telephone **2123 0459** Fax: **2124 6925** email: **sylviasciberras@keyworld.net**
Website: **eescmembers.esc.eu.int/eescmembers.aspx?critld=2016180**

10.0 The Committee of the Regions

The Committee of the Regions was set up under the Treaty on European Union (Maastricht Treaty). The Committee consists of representatives from regional and local government. Members of the Committee of the Regions are proposed by the member states of the European Union and appointed by the Council of Ministers for a period of four years. According to the EU Treaty, the Council of Ministers and the European Commission must consult the Committee of the Regions. The Committee may also adopt opinions on its own initiative.

Address: **Rue Belliard, 101, B - 1040 Brussels, Belgium.**
Telephone: **0032 2282 2211** Fax: **0032 2282 2325** Website: **www.cor.eu.int**

10.1 Maltese members in the Committee of the Regions

The original five Maltese representatives in the Committee of the Regions were:

Dr Ian Micallef: Councillor in the Gzira Local Council.

Michael Cohen: Mayor of the Kalkara Local Council.

Doris Borg: Mayor of the Birkirkara Local Council.

Antonia Farrugia: Councillor in the Mellieha Local Council.

Noel Formosa: Mayor of the San Lawrenz Local Council.

The above five representatives became members of the Committee of the Regions with effect of May 1, 2004 following the formal approval of their nominations by the Council of the European Union on May 11, 2004.

Each member of the Committee was appointed an alternate member whose approval was made on May 11, 2004 by the Council of the European Union. The original five Maltese alternate members at the Committee of the Regions were:

Dr Malcolm Mifsud: Mayor of the Pietà Local Council.

Keith Grech: Councillor in the St Paul's Bay Local Council.

Joseph Borg: Councillor in the Mellieha Local Council.

Joan Agius: Deputy Mayor of the Zejtun Local Council.

Paul Buttigieg: Mayor of the Qala Local Council.

The term of these five alternate members in the Committee of the Regions shall expire on January 25, 2006.

11.0 The Maltese Government

Directors of EU Affairs in Maltese Government Ministries

In order to facilitate and enhance Malta's new role as a member state of the European Union, the Maltese Government appointed a director of EU Affairs in each Ministry. Each EU Affairs Director is responsible for the monitoring of draft EU laws and the drafting of Malta's position on each of these proposed laws.

11.1 Office of the Prime Minister

Joseph Fenech: Director (EU Affairs)

**Planning and Priorities Coordination Division, Office of the Prime Minister
Auberge de Castille, Valletta CMR02, Malta.**

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Website: ppcd.gov.mt

11.2 Ministry for Justice and Home Affairs

Dr Josette Zerafa: Director (EU Affairs)

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Website: www.mjha.gov.mt

11.3 Ministry of Education, Youth and Employment

Vacant: Director EU Affairs and Policy Development

Ministry of Education, Youth and Employment, Floriana CMR02, Malta.

Telephone: 21 239 964 fax: 21 220 156

Website: www.education.gov.mt

11.4 Ministry for Tourism and Culture

Vacant: Director EU Affairs: Policy Development and Programme Implementation

Ministry for Tourism and Culture, Auberge d'Italie, Merchants Street, Valletta CMR02, Malta.

Telephone: 2298 1306 Fax: 2298 1309

Website: www.tourismandaculture.gov.mt

11.5 Ministry for Competitiveness and Communications

Anton Spiteri: Director (EU Affairs)

Ministry for Competitiveness and Communications,

Casa Leoni, St Joseph High Road, St Venera CMR02, Malta.

Telephone: 2388 6129 Fax: 2388 6141 e-mail: anton.spiteri@gov.mt

Website: www.mcmp.gov.mt

11.6 Ministry for Resources and Infrastructure

Franklin Mamo: Director EU Affairs and Policy Development and Programme Implementation

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Website: www.mri.gov.mt

11.7 Ministry for Gozo

Rita Cutajar: Director EU Affairs

Policy Development and Programme Implementation

Ministry for Gozo, St Francis Square, Victoria, Gozo, Malta.

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Website: www.gozo.gov.mt

11.8 Ministry of Health, the Elderly and Community Care

Dr Natasha Azzopardi Muscat: Director (EU Affairs)

Ministry of Health, the Elderly and Community Care

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Website: www.health.gov.mt

11.9 Ministry for Investment, Industry and Information Technology

Lucienne Meilak: Director (EU Affairs)

Ministry for Investment, Industry and Information Technology

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Telephone: 2559 8208 Fax: 2559 8227 e-mail: lucienne.meilak@gov.mt

Website: www.miti.gov.mt

11.10 Ministry for Rural Affairs and the Environment

Joseph Degiorgio: Director (EU Affairs)

Ministry for Rural Affairs and the Environment,

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Website: www.mrae.gov.mt

11.11 Ministry for Urban Development and Roads

Peter Paul Bonnici: Director EU Affairs, Policy Development and Programme Implementation

Ministry for Urban Development and Roads,

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Website: www.mudr.gov.mt

11.12 Ministry for the Family and Social Solidarity

Edward R Gatt: Director-General (EU and International Affairs)

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Telephone: 2590 3227 Fax: 2590 3224 e-mail: edward.r.gatt@gov.mt

Website: www.msp.gov.mt

11.13 Ministry of Foreign Affairs

John Inguanez: Director (EU External Relations)

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Telephone: 2596 8410 Fax: 2124 0210 e-mail: info.mfa@gov.mt

Website: www.foreign.gov.mt

12.0 The House of Representatives

12.1 The Parliamentary Standing Committee on Foreign and European Affairs

The Foreign and European Affairs Committee is made up of the following Members of Parliament:

- **Dr Jason Azzopardi PN**, Chairperson
- **Foreign Affairs Minister**
- **Dr Michael Frendo**, Member
- **Dr Michael Ascjak PN**, Member
- **Dr Mario Demarco PN**, Member
- **Clyde Puli PN**, Member
- **Evarist Bartolo MLP**, Member
- **Leo Brincat MLP**, Member
- **Dr Jose Herrera MLP**, Member
- **Dr George Vella MLP**, Member

12.1 The Standing Committee has three working groups:

12.2.1 Working Group I:

- **Dr Jason Azzopardi PN**, Chairperson
- **Leo Brincat MLP**, Member
- **Dr Michael Gonzi MLP**, Member
- **Dr Jeffrey Pullicino Orlando PN**, Member
- **Dr George Vella MLP**, Member

12.2.2 Working Group II:

Competence • Economic and Monetary Affairs • Taxation, Research • Employment
Education and Culture • Transport and Energy • Budget, Regional Policy
Internal Market • Customs Union

- **Dr Michael Gonzi PN**, Chairperson
- **Leo Brincat MLP**, Member
- **Robert Arrigo PN**, Member
- **Dr Charles Mangion MLP**, Member
- **Minister responsible for the acquis**
- **Ad hoc Member from the Government**
- **Ad hoc Member from the Opposition**

12.2.3 Working Group III:

• Competence • Health and Consumer Protection • Development and Humanitarian Aid
• Agriculture • Rural Development • Fisheries • Justice and Home Affairs • Research, Environment

- **Dr Jeffrey Pullicino Orlando PN**, Chairperson
- **Joe Abela MLP**, Member
- **Joseph Falzon PN**, Member
- **Dr George Vella MLP**, Member
- **Minister responsible for the acquis**
- **Ad hoc Member from the Government**
- **Ad hoc Member from the Opposition**

Website: <http://parliament.gov.mt/information/Committee%20-%20Foreign%20and%20European%20Affairs%20Committee/Foreign%20and%20European%20Affairs%20Committee.asp>

13.0 Related Websites

13.1 The EU Constitution

European Convention: european-convention.eu.int • The Future of Europe debate: europa.eu.int/futurum

13.2 The Council of Ministers

Council of the European Union: ue.eu.int

13.3 The EU Presidency

European Union Presidency websites: ue.eu.int/en/presid.htm

13.4 Court Judgements

Court of Justice of the European Communities: www.curia.eu.int

13.5 Income and expenditure of the EU Institutions

European Court of Auditors: www.eca.eu.int • European Investment Bank: www.eib.org

13.6 The Euro

European Central Bank: www.ecb.int

13.7 Committees that represent unions and employers' organisations

Economic and Social Committee: www.esc.eu.int

13.8 Committees of the Local Councils

Committee of the Regions of the European Union: www.cor.eu.int

13.9 Loans and funds

European Investment Bank: www.eib.org, www.bei.org

13.10 Publications on the European Union

EUR-OP: Office for Publications: publications.eu.int/

Sales agents: publications.eu.int/index_en.html

- Official Journal
- Treaties
- Legislation - EUR-Lex: europa.eu.int/eur-lex
- TED - Tenders Electronic Daily

Supplements to the Official Journal: ted.publications.eu.int

Information System for Public Procurement: simap.eu.int

13.11 Office of the Ombudsman

European Ombudsman: www.euro-ombudsman.eu.int

13.12 Coordination of police in the member states

European Police Office-EUROPOL: www.europol.eu.int

13.13 Space Policies

European Space Agency: www.esa.int

13.14 Directory of the European Union

Who's who in the European Union? - Interinstitutional Directory: europa.eu.int/idea/en/index.htm

13.15 Archives

Historical Archives of the European Communities: www.arc.iue.it

14.0 Index to the website of MIC:

www.mic.org.mt

14.1 About MIC

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- Terms of Reference
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14.2 Negotiations

Results of Negotiations: Chapters 1 -30

14.3 EU Information

- Frequently Asked Question
- Information by Subject
- All 30 Chapters of the Acquis
- Fact Sheets
- Sound/Video Clips
- Typical Questions
- Future of Europe Debate
- Malta's Input
- Public Dialogues Speeches
- European Convention
- European Youth Convention.

14.4 Fact Sheets

- Consumer Rights and Health
- Environment
- Social Rights
- Family
- Agriculture and Fisheries
- Tourism and Transport
- Trade and Industry
- Professionals
- Public Security
- Sport and Leisure
- Workers.

14.5 FAQs

Frequently Asked Question – alphabetical order

14.6 MIC Publications

MIC Publications in pdf format

14.7 Malta-EU Documents

Chronology

- The Screening Process
- The NPAA
- The Negotiating Process
- EU Directorate
- The Core Negotiating Group
- The Negotiating Secretariat. MEUSAC
- Cabinet

- Committee on EU Accession
- Malta-EU Information Centre
- Malta Embassy in Brussels
- Accession Structures
- Other Supporting Structures

Documentation: **Conclusions from the Nice Summit.** Malta's Negotiating Position Papers.

- Constitution of the European Union
- EU Accession Treaty
- Monitoring report on Malta's preparations for membership
- Monitoring report of the European Commission on the state of preparedness for EU membership of Candidate Countries
- Report of the European Commission on the progress towards accession by Bulgaria, Romania and Turkey
- Single Programming Document: Malta 2004 – 2006
- Impact Assessment Reports. EU Membership Package. **Special arrangements obtained by Malta. Results of the Negotiations - Presentation. 1970 EC - Malta Association Agreement. Euro-Mediterranean Foundation for a Dialogue of Cultures.**

14.8 Aggornat

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14.9 Ask Us A Question

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14.10 Latest News

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- EU Parliament: News Updates
- Interventions by Maltese MEPs
- EUR-LEX: Official Journal
- Weekly Updates from MIC bulletin *Aggornat*
- Latest MIC Press Releases.
- Press Releases Archive
- Journalists' stage Reports Archive
- Conferences and Summits
- Future of Europe Debate
- TVM programme *Ta' Gewwa*
- Intergovernmental Conference
- Referendum 2003
- EU Funding

14.11 EU Constitution

- Constitution for Europe: Maltese & English
- Background Information
- Press Coverage on MIC's Seminars
- MIC Info Slots on the EU Constitution
- A clear "yes" to the Constitution
- Dutch Presidency Official Website
- Constitution for Europe: Fact Sheets
- Constitution for Europe: News
- Future of Europe Debate
- Intergovernmental Conference
- National Conference on EU Constitution

14.12 Links

EU Sites. Malta-EU Sites. Maltese Sites

15.0 Agencies and contacts in Malta in relation to the EU

Culture 2000

Cultural Contact Point Malta

Ms Marika Grech, EU Affairs, Policy Development & Programme, Implementation Directorate Ministry for Tourism and Culture,
Address: **Auberge d'Italie, Merchants Street, Valletta CMR 02**

Telephone: 2298 1306 Fax: 2298 1309

Email: marika.a.grech@gov.mt

Website: www.culture.org.mt

Department of Customs

Address: **Customs House, Valletta CMR 02.**

Telephone 2568 5123, 2568 5100 Fax: 2568 5300

Email: malta.customs@gov.mt

Website: <http://mfin.gov.mt/page.aspx?site=CUST&page=eumembership1>

EU Secretariat

Address: **Office of the Prime Minister, Auberge de Castille, Valletta**

Telephone: 2200 1648 Fax: 2200 1645

EURES Office

Address:

Employment and Training Corporation, Hal Far.

Telephone: 2220 1203 Email: eures@etc.org.mt

Website: <http://www.etc.gov.mt/site/page.aspx?pageid=2084>

European Documentation and Research Centre

Address: **EDRC, University of Malta, Msida.**

Telephone: 2340 2001/2998 Fax: 2133 7624

Email: edrc@um.edu.mt

Website: <http://home.um.edu.mt/edrc>

Health Department

Entitlement Unit: Provides the EIII form for travellers in EU Member States.

Address: **24 St John Street, Valletta**

Opening times: **Monday 9.00am to 12.30pm**

Wednesday 9.00am to 12.30pm

Friday 9.00am to 12.30pm. 9:00am to 12:30pm

Tel: 2299 2345 or 2299 2346 Fax: 2123 0863

Email: entitlement.mhec@gov.mt

Website: www.health.gov.mt/entitlement/intro.htm

Leonardo da Vinci Programme

Programme Manager: **Alessandro Cristina**

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Email: gpace@mbb.org.mt

Brussels Office: **Avenue d'Auderghem, 289, B-1040**

Brussels, Belgium

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Website: www.mbb.org.mt/

Malta Council for Science and Technology

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Telephone: 2166 0340 Fax: 2166 0341

Email: emailinfo@mcst.org.mt

Website: www.mcst.org.mt/

Malta Enterprise

Address: **Industrial Estate, San Gwann SGN 09**

Telephone: 2542 0000 Fax: 2542 3401

Email: info@maltaenterprise.com

Website: www.maltaenterprise.com/

Malta Environment and Planning Authority

Address: **PO Box 200, Marsa GPO 01**

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Email: enquiries@mepa.org.mt

Website: www.mepa.org.mt/

Malta Financial Services Authority

Address: **Notabile Road, Attard BKR 14**

Telephone: 2144 1155 fax: 2144 1188

Website: www.mfsa.com.mt/mfsa/default.asp

Malta Maritime Authority

Address: **Marina Pinto, Valletta VLT 01**

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Email: info@mmm.gov.mt

Website: www.mma.gov.mt/

Malta Standards Authority

Address: **Evans Building, Second Floor, Valletta VLT03**

Telephone: 2124 2420

Email: info@msa.org.mt

Website: www.msa.org.mt/

Malta Tourism Authority

Address: **Auberge d'Italie, Merchants Street, Valletta CMR 02**

Telephone: 2291 5000 Fax: 2291 5893

Email: info@mta.gov.mt

Website: www.mta.com.mt/index.pl/about_mta

Malta Transport Authority

Address: **Sa Maison Road, Floriana CMR 02**

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Freephone: 8007 2393

Email: info@maltatransport.com

Website: www.maltatransport.com/en/

Medicines Authority

Address: **198 Rue d'Argens, Gzira GZR03**

Telephone: 2343 9135 Fax: 2343 9161

Website: www.medicinesauthority.gov.mt/

Pre-licensing: prelicensing.mru@gov.mt

Post-licensing: postlicensing.mru@gov.mt

Inspectorate: inspectorate.adm@gov.mt

Borderline: borderline.mru@gov.mt

Advertising: advertising.mru@gov.mt

Malta National Academic Recognition Information Centre (NARIC)

Address: **Malta (NARIC), Ministry of Education, Great Siege Road, Floriana CMR 02**

Telephone: 2124 0419 Fax No: 2123 9842

Website: www.education.gov.mt/edu/NARIC.htm

National Statistics Office (NSO)

Address: **Lascaris, Valletta CMR02**

Telephone: 2599 7219 Fax No: 2124 9841

Email: nso@gov.mt Website: www.nso.gov.mt

Occupational Health and Safety Authority

Address: **17 Edgar Ferro Street, Tal-Pietà MSD07**

Telephone: 2124 7677-8 Fax: 2123 2909

Email: ohsa@gov.mt

Website: mt.osha.eu.int/, www.ohsa.org.mt

Planning and Priorities Coordination Division

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Website: www.ppcd.gov.mt/english/main.htm

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Website: socrates.um.edu.mt/erasmus.html

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Customer helpline: 8007 4404 Email: vat@gov.mt

Website: www.vat.gov.mt/default.asp?lang=en

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