Request for Support

- Investment Aid
- Access to Finance

APPLICATION FORM

Malta Enterprise makes available various instruments that could support business when making new initial investments. Businesses may be assisted via tax credits, cash grants, interest rate subsidies or loan guarantees based on their requirements.

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Applicant Details

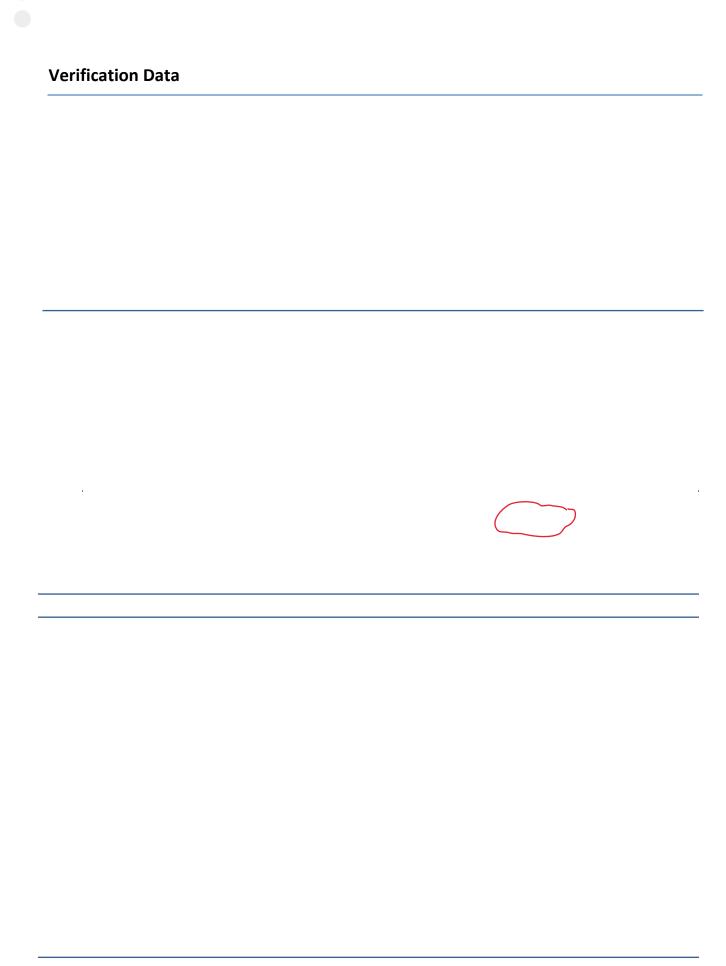
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[if the business is not yet registered, you are still required to indicate which structure will be registered in the Business Type field]

Declaration that Applicant is not an Undertaking in Difficulty

An 'undertaking in difficulty' is defined as an undertaking in respect of which at least one of the following circumstances occurs:

- (a) In the case of a limited liability company (other than an SME that has been in existence for less than three years or, for the purposes of eligibility for risk finance aid, an SME within 7 years from its first commercial sale that qualifies for risk finance investments following due diligence by the selected financial intermediary), where more than half of its subscribed share capital has disappeared as a result of accumulated losses. This is the case when deduction of accumulated losses from reserves (and all other elements generally considered as part of the own funds of the company) leads to a negative cumulative amount that exceeds half of the subscribed share capital. For the purposes of this provision, 'limited liability company' refers in particular to the types of company mentioned in Annex I of Directive 2013/34/EU¹ and 'share capital' includes, where relevant, any share premium.
- (b) In the case of a company where at least some members have unlimited liability for the debt of the company (other than an SME that has been in existence for less than three years or, for the purposes of eligibility for risk finance aid, an SME within 7 years from its first commercial sale that qualifies for risk finance investments following due diligence by the selected financial intermediary), where more than half of its capital as shown in the company accounts has disappeared as a result of accumulated losses. For the purposes of this provision, 'a company where at least some members have unlimited liability for the debt of the company' refers in particular to the types of company mentioned in Annex II of Directive 2013/34/EU.
- (c) Where the undertaking is subject to collective insolvency proceedings or fulfils the criteria under its domestic law for being placed in collective insolvency proceedings at the request of its creditors.
- (d) Where the undertaking has received rescue aid and has not yet reimbursed the loan or terminated the guarantee, or has received restructuring aid and is still subject to a restructuring plan.
- (e) In the case of an undertaking that is not an SME, where, for the past two years:
 - (1) the undertaking's book debt to equity ratio has been greater than 7,5 and
 - (2) the undertaking's EBITDA interest coverage ratio has been below 1,0.



Personal Data Protection Information and Consent to Process Data

Contact email address of the Data Protection Officer: dpo@maltaenterprise.com

Referring to Articles 13 and 14 of the GDPR, the Right to be Informed, you will find how Malta Enterprise processes the data in this application. Fill in any required data. [Malta Enterprise Data Protection Policy]

Authorisation to engage with the Corporation on matters related to the Application. (If Applicable)

I the undersigned, as legal representative of the Applicant Undertaking, authorise the following Legal Bodies and/or Natural Persons to act on my behalf with Malta Enterprise Corporation with respect to matters related to the Application and any subsequent documentation exchanged between the two parties in relation to the same Application.

Name of Legal Entity

Name and Surname of Natural Person granted authorisation (see Note 1)

E-mail address of party granted authorisation (see Note 2)

Note 1: Leave empty if authorisation is intended to any natural person engaged with the Legal Entity. Otherwise specify the name and surname of the person(s) working for the Legal Entity to whom the authorisation is intended.

Note 2: Written communication with the Legal Entity and/or Natural Person granted authorisation via email will only be accepted via the email address specified in the table above. The Undersigned should be copied (via the email address specified in the Application) in any communication between the Corporation and the Person granted authorisation as per above table.

Employer Consent Form

The signature of this application confirms that any employment and personal data included in this application form is covered by the appropriate data subject consent as required by the prevalent Data Protection laws and regulations. The consent includes the sharing of data with other government entities where strictly necessary and required by law but also defines the purpose(s) for the processing of data of the captioned data subject/s in line with Article 5, Principles relating to processing of personal data and Article 7 Conditions of Consent of regulation (EU) 2016/679 dated 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data (General Data Protection Regulation). Should the data subject withdraw his/her consent to processing, the Corporation shall be informed immediately. Consequently, the Corporation may proceed with processing this data, verifying it with other agencies, and retain such data for the duration required by the applicable national and EU laws and regulations.

General Block Exemption Regulation - Declarations

The undersigned hereby authorises Malta Enterprise Corporation to process the data contained in this form for the purpose stated above and declare that the information on this form and any other information given in support of this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. The applicant acknowledges that the Corporation may request further information and documentation in processing this application.

Name and Surname of Signatory

Designation

Date

Signature

Document Checklist

Documents marked with an * are required