CHAPTER 561

ASSIGNMENT OF STATUTORY MINISTERIAL RESPONSIBILITIES ACT

To provide for the assignment of statutory responsibilities to Ministers.

7th August, 2018

ACT XL of 2016, as amended by Legal Notice 265 of 2018, Act XXIX of 2019. and Legal Notice 503 of 2021. and Acts XL of 2023, XVII and XXXIII of 2024 and Legal Notice 258 of 2026.

Short title.

1. (1) The short title of this Act is the Assignment of Statutory Ministerial Responsibilities Act.

Interpretation.

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires:

"area of responsibility" means any business of the Government of Malta for which responsibility may be assigned to a Minister under article 82 of the Constitution, and includes the consolidated areas of responsibility that are listed in the Schedule;

"consolidated area of responsibility" means any of the areas of responsibility that are established under this Act and listed in the first column of the Schedule;

"Minister" means any Minister appointed in accordance with article 80 of the Constitution, and shall for the purposes of this Act, include the Prime Minister;

"related law" means any law which is listed in the second column of the Schedule against a consolidated area of responsibility;

"statutory title" means any title by means of which a Minister is identified, designated or assigned functions in a related law, and which is listed in the third column of the Schedule.

Assignment to Ministers of statutory responsibilities through the Schedule.

3. (1) When the President, acting in accordance with article 82 of the Constitution, assigns to a Minister an area of responsibility identical to a consolidated area of responsibility as listed in the first column of the Schedule, that Minister shall:

(a) be regarded as the Minister to whom each related law refers by means of the statutory title set out in that law and listed in the third column of the Schedule against the consolidated area of responsibility in question; and

(*b*) assume the ministerial powers and duties assigned in that respect by the related law.

(2) Where an entry in the second column of the Schedule makes reference only to specific provisions or purposes of a related law, the ministerial powers and duties corresponding to that entry and assumed by the responsible Minister in terms of sub-article (1) shall be limited to those deriving from the specified provisions or purposes of the related law.

(3) Where -

(*a*) more than one law bears the same name, except in so

far as the year of enactment may be concerned; and

(*b*) one or more such laws make reference to the same statutory title,

the inclusion in the Schedule, with respect to that statutory title, of a reference to any one such law or to such laws in the plural shall be sufficient to enable the responsible Minister to assume, in terms of sub-article (1), the powers and duties assigned by all such laws with respect to that statutory title.

(4) Where -

(*a*) a Minister has, by virtue of sub-article (1), been assigned powers and duties pertaining to a statutory title that is set out in an Act and is listed in the Schedule; and

(*b*) a subsidiary law issued under that Act sets out or makes reference to the same statutory title,

the Minister shall assume any powers and duties assigned by the subsidiary law with respect to that statutory title, without the need for the subsidiary law to be listed in the Schedule.

(5) Where more than one subsidiary law issued under the same Act sets out a statutory title which is not mentioned in that Act, the inclusion in the Schedule of one such subsidiary law with respect to that statutory title shall be sufficient to enable the responsible Minister to assume, in terms of sub-article (1), the powers and duties assigned by all such subsidiary laws with respect to that statutory title.

Amendments to the Schedule.

4. (1) The Prime Minister may at any time, by Order in the Gazette, amend or substitute the Schedule to this Act.

(2) An Order amending or substituting the Schedule may apply retrospectively to any date which is so specified in the Order.

Publication of responsibilities assigned to Ministers.

5. (1) Whenever a Minister is assigned areas of responsibility in accordance with article 82 of the Constitution, the Prime Minister shall cause a notice listing those areas of responsibility to be published in the Gazette.

(2) A notice published in accordance with sub-article (1) may, in addition to areas of responsibility, list those departments, agencies, and other entities that have been placed under the Minister concerned; however the list of such departments, agencies and other entities shall be regarded as indicative rather than comprehensive.

Saving provision. Cap. 324.

6. Nothing in this Act shall impede the application of the Ministers (Delegation of Functions) Act.

Substituted:
L.N. 265 of 2018.
Amended by:
XXIX.2019.71;
Act XL of 2023;
XVII.2024.26.;
XXXIII.2024.
First Schedule;
L.N. 258 of 2026.

SCHEDULE

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Consolidated area of responsibility	Related law	Statutory title as set out in related law
Accommodation	Civil Code (Cap. 16)	Minister responsible for accommodation
	Rent Restriction (Dwelling House) Ordinance (Cap. 116)	Minister for the time being in charge of the War Damage Commission
Agriculture	Code of Police Laws (Cap. 10)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Public Gardens (Closing) Ordinance (Cap. 34)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Potato (Cultivation) Ordinance (Cap. 64)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Agriculture Returns Ordinance (Cap. 84)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Agricultural Produce (Export) Ordinance (Cap. 85)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Marketing of Agricultural Produce Regulations (S.L. 117.04)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Farm Advisory Services Regulations (S.L. 117.30)	Minister responsible for rural affairs and the environment
	Agriculture and Fishing Industries (Financial Assistance) Act (Cap. 146)	Minister responsible for agriculture Minister responsible for the department of agriculture
	Single Payment Scheme Regulations (S.L. 146.07)	Minister responsible for agricultural activities
	Aids to Industries Ordinance (Cap. 159)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Fertile Soil (Preservation) Act (Cap. 236)	Minister responsible for agriculture

Consolidated area of responsibility	Related law	Statutory title as set out in related law
	Business Promotion Act (Cap. 325) in so far as agriculture is concerned	Minister responsible for agriculture and fisheries
	Water Services Corporation Act (Cap. 355)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Customs and Excise Tax Act (Cap. 395)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Malta Crafts Council Act (Cap. 421)	Minister responsible for agriculture and fisheries
	Pesticides Control Act (Cap. 430)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Wine Act (Cap. 436)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Animal Health Problems affecting Intra-Community Trade in Bovine Animals and Swine Regulations (S.L. 437.48)	Minister in charge of Agriculture
	Health Conditions governing Intra-Community Trade in Ovine and Caprine Animals Rules (S.L. 437.79)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Producer Organisations Act (Cap. 447) in so far as agriculture is concerned	Minister responsible for agriculture and fisheries
	Implementation of the Safeguard Clause Order (S.L. 460.06)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Biosafety Co-ordinating Committee Regulations (S.L. 549.31)	Minister responsible for agriculture and fisheries
	Governance of Agricultural Bioresources Agency (Establishment) Order (S.L. 595.22)	Minister responsible for Agriculture
Animal Welfare	Electronic Identification of Dogs Regulations (S.L. 437.101)	Minister responsible for animal welfare
	Animal Welfare Act (Cap. 439)	Minister responsible for veterinary services
Aviation	Air Navigation Act (Cap.) 641	Minister responsible for aviation
	Civil Aviation Act (Cap. 232)	Minister responsible for transport
	Eurocontrol Act (Cap. 333)	Minister responsible for civil aviation

Consolidated area of responsibility	Related law	Statutory title as set out in related law
	Airports and Civil Aviation (Security) Act (Cap. 405)	Minister responsible for civil aviation
	European Union Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading System for Aviation Regulations (S.L. 423.51)	Minister responsible for aviation
	Code of Conduct for Computerised Reservation Systems Act (Cap. 434)	Minister responsible for civil aviation
	Air Navigation Act (Cap.) 641	Minister responsible for civil aviation
	Civil Aviation Joint Aviation Requirements Order (S.L. 499.15)	Minister responsible for aviation
	Civil Aviation (Investigation of Air Accidents and Incidents) Regulations (S.L. 499.22)	Minister responsible for matters relating to civil aviation
	Aircraft Registration Act (Cap. 503)	Minister responsible for transport
	National Aerospace Centre (Establishment as an Agency) Order (S.L. 595.09)	Minister responsible for aviation
Aviation Security	Civil Aviation (Security) Act (Cap. 353)	Minister responsible for civil aviation security
	Airports and Civil Aviation (Security) Act (Cap. 405)	Minister responsible for aviation security
Building Industry Regulation	Building Regulation Act (Cap. 513)	Minister responsible for the building industry
	Energy Performance of Buildings Regulations (S.L. 513.01)	Minister responsible for the building industry and policy
	Avoidance of Damage to Third Party Property Regulations (S.L. 513.02)	Minister responsible for the regulation of the building industry
Care of the Elderly and Active Aging	Social Security Act (Cap. 318)	Minister responsible for the elderly
	Commissioner for Older Persons Act (Cap. 553)	Minister responsible for Older Persons
Child Policy	Children and Young Persons (Care Orders) Act (Cap. 285)	Minister responsible for social welfare
	Commissioner for Children Act (Cap. 462)	Minister responsible for children and family affairs

Consolidated area of responsibility	Related law	Statutory title as set out in related law
Citizenship	Constitution of Malta	Minister responsible for matters relating to Maltese citizenship
	Maltese Citizenship Act (Cap. 188)	Minister responsible for matters relating to Maltese citizenship
	Grant of Citizenship for Exceptional Services Regulations (S.L. 188.04)	Minister responsible for Citizenship
	Identity Malta Agency (Establishment) Order (S.L. 595.26)	Minister responsible for identity management
Civil Protection	*Soċjetà Maltija tas-Salib l-Aħmar* – Malta Red Cross Society Act (Cap. 359)	Minister responsible for civil protection
	Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection Regulations (S.L. 365.15)	Minister responsible for civil protection
	Civil Protection Act (Cap. 411)	Minister responsible for civil protection
	Civil Protection (Discipline and Association) Regulations (S.L. 411.01)	Minister for civil protection
	Control of Major Accident Hazard Regulations (S.L. 424.19)	Minister responsible for civil protection
	Chemicals Co-ordinating Committee Regulations (S.L. 549.34)	Minister responsible for Civil Protection
	Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations (S.L. 549.46)	Minister responsible for the response to civil emergencies
Climate Change Policy	European Union Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading System for Stationary Installations Regulations (S.L. 423.50)	Minister responsible for climate change policy
	European Union Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading System for Aviation Regulations (S.L. 423.51)	Minister responsible for climate change policy
	Climate Action Act (Cap. 543)	Minister responsible for climate change policy
Commerce	Commercial Code (Cap. 13)	Minister responsible for commerce

Consolidated area of responsibility	Related law	Statutory title as set out in related law
	Inflation of Prices (Prevention) Ordinance (Cap. 98)	Minister responsible for trade
	Supplies and Services Act (Cap. 117)	Minister responsible for trade
	Requisition of Bakeries Regulations (S.L. 117.11)	Minister responsible for the department of trade
	Commercial Partnerships Ordinance (Cap. 168)	Minister responsible for trade
	Auctioneers Act (Cap. 342)	Minister responsible for trade
	Dual-Use Items (Export Control) Regulations (S.L. 365.12)	Minister responsible for trade
	Malta Crafts Council Act (Cap. 421)	Minister responsible for industry
	Trading Licences Act (Cap. 441)	Minister responsible for commerce
	Open Air Markets (Establishment) Order (S.L. 441.06)	Minister for Economic Services
	Co-operative Societies Act (Cap. 442)	Minister responsible for commercial partnerships
	Licensing of Private Maritime Security Companies Regulations (S.L. 480.05)	Minister responsible for Commerce
	Small Business Act (Cap. 512)	Minister responsible for the economy
	Family Business Act (Cap. 565)	Minister responsible for the economy
	Coordination of Government Inspections Act (Cap. 568)	Minister responsible for commerce
Communications	Wireless Installation on Ships Rules (S.L. 49.02)	Minister responsible for wireless telegraphy
	Utilities and Services (Regulation of Certain Works) Act (Cap. 81)	Minister responsible for electronic communications
	Broadcasting Act (Cap. 350)	Minister responsible for wireless telegraphy
	Broadcasting Act (Cap. 350)	Minister responsible for communications

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	Television Broadcasting Services (Antennae) Regulations (S.L. 350.02)	Minister responsible for wireless telegraphy
	Electronic Communications (Regulation) Act (Cap. 399)	Minister responsible for communications
	Cessation of Exclusive Privileges Order (S.L. 399.12)	Minister for electronic communications
	Radiocommunications Installation on Ships Rules (S.L. 399.34)	Minister responsible for radiocommunications
	Malta Communications Authority Act (Cap. 418)	Minister responsible for communications
	Electronic Commerce Act (Cap. 426)	Minister responsible for communications
	Processing of Personal Data (Electronic Communications Sector) Regulations (S.L. 586.01)	Minister responsible for communications
Competition Policy and Consumer Protection	Consumer Affairs Act (Cap. 378)	Minister responsible for consumer affairs
	Competition Act (Cap. 379)	Minister responsible for competition matters
	Product Safety Act (Cap. 427)	Minister responsible for consumer affairs
	Method for Designating Conformity Assessment Bodies Regulations (S.L. 427.45)	Minister of finance and economic affairs
	Gozo Passenger and Goods Service (Fares) Regulations (S.L. 499.31)	Minister responsible for Competitiveness and Communications
	Malta Competition and Consumer Affairs Authority Act (Cap. 510)	Minister responsible for competition, consumer affairs, standardization, metrology and technical regulations
	Regulator for Energy and Water Services Act (Cap. 545)	Minister responsible for competition
	Waste Management (Packaging and Packaging Waste) Regulations (S.L. 549.43)	Minister responsible for the Product Safety Act
	Arbiter for Financial Services Act (Cap. 555)	Minister responsible for Consumer Affairs

Consolidated area of responsibility	Related law	Statutory title as set out in related law
Co-operatives	Co-operative Societies Act (Cap. 442)	Minister responsible for matters relating to co-operative societies
	Central Co-operative Fund Regulations (S.L. 442.03)	Minister responsible for co-operatives
Correctional Services	Criminal Code (Cap. 9)	Minister responsible for the prisons
	Prisons Act (Cap. 260)	Minister responsible for the prisons
	International Criminal Court Act (Cap. 453)	Minister responsible for prisons
	Restorative Justice Act (Cap. 516)	Minister responsible for the Department of Correctional Services
	Development Notification Order (S.L. 552.08)	Minister responsible for Prisons
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Culture and the Arts	National Museums and Monuments (Comprehensive Admission Tickets) Act (Cap. 298)	Minister responsible for the National Museum of Malta
	Home Ownership (Encouragement) (Purchase of Government Dwelling Houses Scheme) Regulations (S.L. 328.03)	Minister responsible for culture
	Broadcasting Act (Cap. 350)	Minister responsible for culture
	Cultural Heritage Act (Cap. 445)	Minister responsible for cultural heritage
	National Museums, Sites and Collections (Admission Fees) Regulations (S.L. 445.05)	Minister responsible for museums, sites and collections
	Mutual Recognition of Qualifications Act (Cap. 451)	Minister responsible for cultural heritage
	Malta Film Commission Act (Cap. 478)	Minister responsible for culture
	Council for Maltese Living Abroad Act (Cap. 515)	Minister responsible for culture
	Arts Council Malta Act (Cap. 542)	Minister responsible for culture
Customs and Excise	Customs Ordinance (Cap. 37)	Minister responsible for customs

Consolidated area of responsibility	Related law	Statutory title as set out in related law
	Spirits Ordinance (Cap. 41)	Minister responsible for customs
	Boatmen's Fees Act (Cap. 73)	Minister under whose jurisdiction the customs department may, from time to time, be
	Methylated Spirits Ordinance (Cap. 89)	Minister responsible for customs
	Cargo Clearance and Transport Act (Cap. 203)	Minister responsible for customs
	Postal Services Act (Cap. 254)	Minister responsible for customs
	Import Duties Act (Cap. 337)	Minister responsible for customs
	Import Duties Act (Cap. 337)	Minister responsible for customs
	Military Equipment (Export Control) Regulations (S.L. 365.13)	Minister responsible for customs
	Excise Duty Act (Cap. 382)	Minister responsible for customs
	Customs and Excise Tax Act (Cap. 395)	Minister responsible for finance
	Intellectual Property Rights (Cross-Border Measures) Act (Cap. 414)	Minister responsible for customs
	Veterinary Services Act (Cap. 437)	Minister responsible for customs
	Air Navigation Act (Cap.) 641	Minister responsible for Customs
Defence	Malta Armed Forces Act (Cap. 220)	Minister responsible for defence
	Fisheries Conservation and Management Act (Cap. 425)	Minister responsible for the armed forces
	Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations (S.L. 549.46)	Minister responsible for national defence
	Development Notification Order (S.L. 552.08)	Minister responsible for the armed forces
	Academy for Disciplined Forces Act (Cap. 559)	Minister responsible for Home Affairs
Development Finance	Malta Development Bank Act (Cap. 574)	Minister responsible for the Bank Minister responsible for the Malta Development Bank

Consolidated area of responsibility	Related law	Statutory title as set out in related law
Development Planning	Development Planning Act (Cap. 356)	Minister responsible for development planning
Economic Policy	Inflation of Prices (Prevention) Ordinance (Cap. 98)	Minister responsible for industrial development
	Commissioner of Land Ordinance (Cap. 169)	Minister responsible for economic affairs
	Business Promotion Regulations (S.L. 325.06)	Minister responsible for economic services
	Local Government Act (Cap. 363)	Minister responsible for statistics
	Malta Statistics Authority Act (Cap. 422)	Minister responsible for statistics
	Health and Safety at Work Act (Cap. 646.)	Minister responsible for economic affairs
	Services (Internal Market) Act (Cap. 500)	Minister responsible for the economy
Education	Income Tax Act (Cap. 123)	Minister responsible for education
	Education Act (Cap. 605)	Minister responsible for education
	Teaching and Allied Professions Act (Cap. 606)	Minister of education
	Further and Higher Education Act (Cap. 607)	
	Ecclesiastical Entities (Properties) Act (Cap. 358)	Minister responsible for education
	Local Government Act (Cap. 363)	Minister responsible for education
	Exemption from Payment of Duty on Documents and Transfers Order (S.L. 364.01)	Minister of education
	Customs and Excise Tax Act (Cap. 395)	Minister responsible for education
	Malta Crafts Council Act (Cap. 421)	Minister responsible for education
	Protection of Young Persons at Work Places Regulations (S.L. 424.10)	Minister responsible for education
	Cultural Heritage Act (Cap. 445)	Minister responsible for education
	Mutual Recognition of Qualifications Act (Cap. 451)	Minister responsible for education

Consolidated area of responsibility	Related law	Statutory title as set out in related law
	Young Persons (Employment) Regulations (S.L. 452.92)	Minister responsible for education
	Sports Act (Cap. 455)	Minister responsible for education
	Commissioner for Children Act (Cap. 462)	Minister responsible for education
	Maltese Language Act (Cap. 470)	Minister responsible for education
	Commissioner for Older Persons Act (Cap. 553)	Minister responsible for education
	Maltese Sign Language Recognition Act (Cap. 556)	Minister responsible for education
	Institute of Tourism Studies Act (Cap. 566)	Minister for Education
	Work-Based Learning and Apprenticeship Act (Cap. 576)	Minister responsible for education
	Employment and Training Services Act (Cap. 594)	Minister responsible for education
	National Literacy Agency (Establishment) Order (S.L. 595.10)	Minister responsible for education
	Malta Council for Science and Technology Agency (Establishment) Order (S.L. 595.20)	Minister for Education
	Institute for Education Agency (Establishment) Order (S.L. 595.24)	Minister responsible for education
Employment	Port Workers Ordinance (Cap. 171)	Minister responsible for labour
	Persons with Disability (Employment) Act (Cap. 210)	Minister responsible for labour
	Immigration Regulations (S.L. 217.04)	Minister responsible for employment
	Conditions of Entry and Residence of Third Country Nationals in the Framework of an Intra-Corporate Transfer Regulations (S.L. 217.21)	Minister responsible for employment

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	International Protection Act (Cap. 420)	Minister responsible for labour
	Work Places (Hoists and Lifts) Regulations (S.L. 424.05)	Minister responsible for labour
	Mutual Recognition of Qualifications Act (Cap. 451)	Minister responsible for labour
Energy and Water Conservation	Swimming Pools (Control) Act (Cap. 244)	Minister responsible for resources
	Energy and Water Agency (Establishment as an Agency) Order (S.L. 595.08)	Minister responsible for energy and water
Energy and Water Services	Criminal Code (Cap. 9)	Minister responsible for electricity
	Control of Sale of Underground Water Regulations (S.L. 117.01)	Minister responsible for water services
	Requisition of Water Tankers Regulations (S.L. 117.26)	Parliamentary Secretary to whom are assigned duties in connection with the Water Services Corporation
	Water Services Corporation Act (Cap. 355)	Minister responsible for water
	Enemalta (Transfer of Assets, Rights, Liabilities and Obligations) Act (Cap. 536)	Minister responsible for energy
	Regulator for Energy and Water Services Act (Cap. 545)	Minister responsible for energy and water services
	Promotion of Energy from Renewable Sources Regulations (S.L. 545.11)	Minister responsible for energy
	Electricity Market Regulations (S.L. 545.13)	Minister responsible for resources
	Energy Efficiency and Cogeneration Regulations (S.L. 545.16)	Minister responsible for the Regulator for Energy and Water Services
	Quality of Fuels Regulations (S.L. 545.18)	Minister responsible for Energy
	Competitive Bidding Rules for Renewable Sources of Energy Installations Regulations (S.L. 545.31)	Minister responsible for Energy

Consolidated area of responsibility	Related law	Statutory title as set out in related law
	Water Policy Framework Regulations (S.L. 549.100)	Minister responsible for resources
Environmental Protection	Code of Police Laws (Cap. 10)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Requisition of Excavation Voids Regulations (S.L. 117.38)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Filfla Nature Reserve Act (Cap. 323)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection Regulations (S.L. 365.15)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Control of Major Accident Hazard Regulations (S.L. 424.19)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Fisheries Conservation and Management Act (Cap. 425)	Minister responsible for the Department for the Protection of the Environment
	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Enforcement (E-Research) Committee (S.L. 427.67)	Minister responsible for environment protection
	Pesticides Control Act (Cap. 430)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Plant Quarantine Act (Cap. 433)	Minister responsible for the protection of the environment
	Environment Protection Act (Cap. 435)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Veterinary Services Act (Cap. 437)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Cultural Heritage Act (Cap. 445)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Food Safety Act (Cap. 449)	Minister responsible for environment protection
	Freedom of Information Act (Cap. 496)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Port Reception Facilities for Ship-generated Wastes and Cargo Residues Regulations (S.L. 499.30)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Environment and Development Planning Act (Cap. 504)	Minister responsible for the environment

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	Sustainable Development Act (Cap. 521)	Minister responsible for sustainable development
	Environment Protection Act (Cap. 549)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Nomination of Competent Authority Order (S.L. 549.19)	Minister responsible for the protection of the environment
	Biosafety Co-ordinating Committee Regulations (S.L. 549.31)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Chemicals Co-ordinating Committee Regulations (S.L. 549.34)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Waste Management (Packaging and Packaging Waste) Regulations (S.L. 549.43)	Minister responsible for the Environment Protection Act
	Conservation of Wild Birds (Declaration on a Derogation for a Spring Hunting Season for Turtle Dove and Quail) Regulations (S.L. 549.88)	Minister for Sustainable Development, the Environment and Climate Change
	Water Policy Framework Regulations (S.L. 549.100)	Minister responsible for the environment
	Environment and Planning Review Tribunal Act (Cap. 551)	Minister responsible for the Planning Authority
Equality	Equality for Men and Women Act (Cap. 456)	Minister responsible for equality
	Equal Treatment of Persons Order (S.L. 460.15)	Minister responsible for equality
	Gender Identity, Gender Expression and Sex Characteristics Act (Cap. 540)	Minister responsible for equality
	Gender-Based Violence and Domestic Violence Act (Cap. 581)	Minister responsible for equality
European Union Funds and Programmes	National Development and Social Fund (Establishment as an Agency) Order (S.L. 595.12)	Minister responsible for European Union funds and programmes
Film Industry	Malta Film Commission Act (Cap. 478)	Minister responsible for the film industry
Finance	Constitution of Malta	Minister responsible for finance

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	Standing Orders of the House of Representatives Order (Cost 0.02)	Minister of finance
	Asset Recovery Bureau Regulations (S.L. 9.23)	Minister responsible for finance
	Drainage Facilities and Sewer Connection Regulations (S.L. 10.29)	Minister responsible for finance
	Civil Code (Cap. 16)	Minister responsible for finance
	Investment of Certain Moneys Ordinance (Cap. 26)	Minister responsible for finance
	Fees Ordinance (Cap. 35)	Minister responsible for finance
	Compensation for Slaughtered Animals Regulations (S.L. 36.18)	Minister responsible for finance
	Goldsmiths and Silversmiths Act (Cap. 46)	Minister responsible for finance
	Revenue (Safeguard) Act (Cap. 61)	Minister responsible for finance
	Clamping and Removal of Motor Vehicles and Encumbering Objects Regulations (S.L. 65.13)	Minister responsible for finance
	Attorney General Ordinance (Cap. 90)	Minister responsible for finance
	Motor Vehicles Insurance (Third Party Risks) Ordinance (Cap. 104)	Minister responsible for finance
	Income Tax Act (Cap. 123)	Minister responsible for finance
	Fiscal Exemptions (Institutions of the European Communities) Rules (S.L. 123.75)	Minister of Finance
	Agriculture and Fishing Industries (Financial Assistance) Act (Cap. 146)	Minister responsible for finance
	Police Act (Cap. 164)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Government Savings Bank Ordinance (Cap. 167)	Minister responsible for finance

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	Port Workers Ordinance (Cap. 171)	Minister responsible for finance
	Enemy Property Act (Cap. 179)	Minister responsible for finance
	Diplomatic Immunities and Privileges Act (Cap. 191)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Development Corporation Act (Cap. 202)	Minister responsible for finance
	Central Bank of Malta Act (Cap. 204)	Minister responsible for finance
	Central Bank of Malta (Appointment of Designate Authority to Implement Macro-Prudential Instruments) Regulations (S.L. 204.06)	Minister for Finance
	Malta Membership of the International Monetary Fund (Cap. 209)	Minister charged with responsibility for finance
	Savings Bonds Act (Cap. 222)	Minister responsible for finance
	Premium Bonds Act (Cap. 223)	Minister responsible for finance
	External Transactions Act (Cap. 233)	Minister responsible for finance
	Appointment for Authorised Dealer Order (S.L. 233.02)	Minister of finance
	Merchant Shipping Act (Cap. 234)	Minister responsible for finance
	Membership of International Financial Organisations Act (Cap. 235)	Minister responsible for finance
	Referenda Act (Cap. 237)	Minister responsible for finance
	Immovable Property (Acquisition by Non-Residents) Act (Cap. 246)	Minister responsible for finance
	Postal Services Act (Cap. 254)	Minister responsible for finance
	Barclays Bank (Transfer of Business) Act (Cap. 257)	Minister responsible for finance
	Housing Authority Act (Cap. 261)	Minister responsible for finance

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	Monte di Pietà Act (Cap. 269)	Minister responsible for finance
	Accountancy Profession Act (Cap. 281)	Minister responsible for finance
	War Damage (Repeal) Act (Cap. 289)	Minister responsible for finance
	Commissioners for Justice Act (Cap. 291)	Minister responsible for finance
	Land Registration Act (Cap. 296)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Government Savings Bank (Winding Up) Act (Cap. 307)	Minister responsible for finance
	Social Security Act (Cap. 318)	Minister responsible for finance
	Education Act (Cap. 605)	Minister responsible for finance
	Teaching and Allied Professions Act (Cap. 606)	
	Further and Higher Education Act (Cap. 607)	
	Students Maintenance Grants Regulations (S.L. 327.178)	Minister for Finance
	Home Ownership (Encouragement) (Subsidy on Interests on House Loans) (Private Sector) Regulations (S.L. 328.02)	Minister responsible for finance
	Local Loan Act (Cap. 329)	Minister responsible for finance
	Trusts and Trustees (Tourism Environmental Trust) Regulations (S.L. 331.09)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Malta Freeports Act (Cap. 334)	Minister responsible for finance
	Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency Act (Cap. 335)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Membership of the European Central Bank for Reconstruction and Development Act (Cap. 347)	Minister responsible for finance
	Broadcasting Act (Cap. 350)	Minister responsible for finance
	General Elections Act (Cap. 354)	Minister responsible for finance

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	Water Services Corporation Act (Cap. 355)	Minister responsible for finance
	Ecclesiastical Entities (Properties) Act (Cap. 358)	Minister responsible for finance
	Local Government Act (Cap. 363)	Minister responsible for finance Minister of finance
	Duty on Documents and Transfers Act (Cap. 364)	Minister responsible for finance
	Motor Vehicles Registration and Licensing Act (Cap. 368)	Minister responsible for finance
	Income Tax Management Act (Cap. 372)	Minister responsible for finance
	Prevention of Money Laundering Act (Cap. 373)	Minister responsible for finance
	Financial Institutions Act (Cap. 376)	Minister responsible for finance
	Consumers Affairs Act (Cap. 378)	Minister responsible for finance
	Bunkering (Fuels) Tax Act (Cap. 381)	Minister responsible for finance
	Excise Duty Act (Cap. 382)	Minister responsible for finance
	Companies Act (Cap. 386)	Minister responsible under the Retirement Pensions Act
	Companies Act (Cap. 386)	Minister responsible for finance
	Arbitration Act (Cap. 387)	Minister responsible for finance
	Security Service Act (Cap. 391)	Minister responsible for finance
	Local and Other Loans Act (Cap. 393)	Minister responsible for finance
	National Audit and National Audit Office Act (Cap. 396)	Minister for finance
	Condominium Act (Cap. 398)	Minister responsible for finance
	Electronic Communications Networks and Services (General) Regulations (S.L. 399.28)	Minister responsible for finance Minister for Finance

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	Value Added Tax Act (Cap. 406)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Travel and Tourism Services Act (Cap. 409)	Minister responsible for finance
	Civil Protection Act (Cap. 411)	Minister responsible for finance
	Equal Opportunities (Persons with Disability) Act (Cap. 413)	Minister responsible for Finance Minister of Finance Minister for Finance
	Malta Communications Authority Act (Cap. 418)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Standards Authority (Cap. 419)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Statistics Authority Act (Cap. 422)	Minister of finance
	European Union Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading System for Aviation Regulations (S.L. 423.51)	Minister responsible for finance
	Health and Safety at Work Act (Cap. 646.)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Council for Economic and Social Development Act (Cap. 431)	Minister of finance
	Malta Council for Economic and Social Development Act (Cap. 431)	Minister responsible for finance
	Veterinary Service Act (Cap. 437)	Minister responsible for finance
	Co-operative Societies Act (Cap. 442)	Minister responsible for finance
	Cultural Heritage Act (Cap. 445)	Minister responsible for finance
	Dwejra Opportunity Fund Regulations (S.L. 445.06)	Minister for Finance
	Mutual Recognition of Qualifications Act (Cap. 451)	Minister responsible for finance
	Employment and Industrial Relations Act (Cap. 452)	Minister of finance

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	Sports Act (Cap. 455)	Minister responsible for finance
	Equality for Men and Women Act (Cap. 456)	Minister responsible for finance
	Medicines Act (Cap. 458)	Minister responsible for finance
	Medicines Act (Cap. 458)	Minister of finance
	European Union Act (Cap. 460)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Enterprise Corporation Act (Cap. 463)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Enterprise Corporation Act (Cap. 463)	Minister of finance
	Maltese Language Act (Cap. 470)	Minister responsible for finance
	Eco-Contribution Act (Cap. 473)	Minister responsible for finance
	Eco-Contribution Act (Cap. 473)	Minister of finance
	Mediation Act (Cap. 474)	Minister responsible for finance
	National Archives Act (Cap. 477)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Film Commission Act (Cap. 478)	Minister responsible for finance
	Licensing of Private Maritime Security Companies Regulations (S.L. 480.05)	Minister responsible for finance
	Euro Adoption Act (Cap. 485)	Minister responsible for finance
	Administrative Justice Act (Cap. 490)	Minister responsible for finance
	Voluntary Organisations Act (Cap. 492)	Minister responsible for finance
	Authority for Transport in Malta Act (Cap. 499)	Minister responsible for finance
	Government Borrowing and Granting of Loans to the Hellenic Republic Act (Cap. 502)	Minister responsible for finance
	Aircraft Registration Act (Cap. 503)	Minister responsible for finance

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	Environment and Development Planning Act (Cap. 504)	Minister responsible for finance
	Participation and Guarantees under the European Financial Stability Facility Act (Cap. 505)	Minister of Finance
	Government Borrowing and Granting of Loans to Air Malta plc. Act (Cap. 506)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Competition and Consumer Affairs Authority Act (Cap. 510)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Malta Libraries Act (Cap. 511)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Building Regulation Act (Cap. 513)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Commissioner for Revenue Act (Cap. 517)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Sustainable Development Act (Cap. 521)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Participation and Granting of Financial Stability Support under the European Stability Mechanism Act (Cap. 523)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Health Act (Cap. 528)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Fiscal Responsibility Act (Cap. 534)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Arts Council Malta Act (Cap. 542)	Minister responsible for finance
	ŻFIN Malta Regulations (S.L. 542.04)	Minister of Finance
	Regulator for Energy and Water Services Act (Cap. 545)	Minister responsible for finance
	Malta Membership of the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank Act (Cap. 548)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Environment Protection Act (Cap. 549)	Minister responsible for finance
	Parliamentary Service Act (Cap. 562)	Minister for Finance

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	Lands Authority Act (Kap. 563)	Minister responsible for finance
	Institute of Tourism Studies Act (Cap. 566)	Minister responsible for finance
	Government Borrowing and Management of Public Debt Act (Cap. 575)	Minister responsible for finance
	Social Care Standards Authority Act (Cap. 582)	Minister responsible for finance
	Gaming Act (Cap. 583)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection Act (Cap. 585)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Data Protection Act (Cap. 586)	Minister responsible for finance
	Employment and Training Services Act (Cap. 594)	Minister responsible for finance
	Public Administration Act (Cap. 595)	Minister responsible for finance
	Public Finance Management Act (Cap. 601)	Minister responsible for finance
	Budget Measures Implementation Acts	Minister responsible for finance Minister for Finance
	Local Loan Acts	Minister responsible for finance
Financial Markets Regulation	Financial Markets Act (Cap. 345)	Minister responsible for the regulation of Financial Services
	Investment Services Act (Cap. 370)	Minister responsible for the regulation of Financial Services
	Banking Act (Cap. 371)	Minister responsible for the regulation of Financial Services
	Credit Institutions (Reorganisation and Winding-up) Regulations (S.L. 371.12)	Minister responsible for financial regulation
	Credit Institutions and Financial Institutions (Payment Accounts) Regulations (S.L. 371.25 and S.L. 376.12)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Financial Institutions Act (Cap. 376)	Minister responsible for finance
	Controlled Companies (Procedure for Liquidation) Act (Cap. 383)	Minister responsible for finance

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	Companies Act (Cap. 386)	Minister responsible under the Investment Services Act
	Insurance Business Act (Cap. 403)	Minister responsible for finance
	Financial Collateral Arrangements Regulations (S.L. 459.01)	Minister responsible for financial regulation
	Prevention of Financial Markets Abuse Act (Cap. 476)	Minister responsible for finance
	Securitisation Act (Cap. 484)	Minister responsible for finance
	Insurance Distribution Act (Cap. 487)	Minister responsible for the regulation of Financial Services
	Arbiter for Financial Services Act (Cap. 555)	Minister responsible for finance
Financial Services Regulation	Malta Financial Services Authority Act (Cap. 330)	Minister responsible for the regulation of Financial Services
	Distance Selling (Retail Financial Services) Regulations (S.L. 330.07)	Minister responsible for financial regulation
	Trusts and Trustees Act (Cap. 331)	Minister responsible for the regulation of Financial Services
	Retirement Pensions Act (Cap. 514)	Minister responsible for Finance
	Company Service Providers Act (Cap. 529)	Minister responsible for the regulation of Financial Services
	Malta Business Registry (Establishment as an Agency) Order (S.L. 595.27)	Minister responsible for financial regulation
Fisheries	Agriculture and Fishing Industries (Financial Assistance) Act (Cap. 146)	Minister responsible for the department of fisheries
	Agriculture and Fishing Industries (Financial Assistance) Act (Cap. 146)	Minister responsible for fisheries
	Business Promotion Act (Cap. 325) in so far as fisheries are concerned	Minister responsible for agriculture and fisheries
	Customs and Excise Tax Act (Cap. 395)	Minister responsible for fisheries
	Fisheries Conservation and Management Act (Cap. 425)	Minister responsible for fisheries

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	Fish Market Regulations (S.L. 425.02)	Minister who, for the time being, is responsible for the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries
	Fishing Vessels Regulations (S.L. 425.07)	Minister responsible for fisheries and aquaculture
	Producer Organisations Act (Cap. 447) in so far as fisheries are concerned	Minister responsible for agriculture and fisheries
	Fish Packing and Processing Establishments Regulations (S.L. 449.25)	Minister responsible for fishing and aquaculture
Foreign Affairs	Criminal Code (Cap. 9)	Minister for foreign affairs
	Criminal Code (Cap. 9)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Fiscal Exemptions (Institutions of the European Communities) Rules (S.L. 123.75)	Minister of Foreign Affairs and Investment Promotion
	Consular Conventions Act (Cap. 144)	Minister for the time being responsible for external affairs
	Diplomatic Immunities and Privileges Act (Cap. 191)	Minister responsible for external affairs
	Foreign Interference Act (Cap. 300)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Ratification of Treaties Act (Cap. 304)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	European Communities (Establishment of Delegation) Act (Cap. 344)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Ecclesiastical Entities (Properties) Act (Cap. 358)	Minister of foreign affairs
	Local Government (Twinning) Regulations (S.L. 363.141)	Minister responsible for Foreign Affairs
	National Interest (Enabling Powers) Act (Cap. 365)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Motor Vehicles Registration and Licensing Act (Cap. 368)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Ombudsman Act (Cap. 385)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs

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	Arbitration Act (Cap. 387)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Security Service Act (Cap. 391)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Ratification of Chemical Weapons Convention Act (Cap. 392)	Minister responsible for Foreign Affairs and Environment
	Tribunal for the Investigation of Injustices Act (Cap. 394)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Refund of Value Added Tax in Terms of Diplomatic and Consular Arrangements Regulations (S.L. 406.06)	Minister for Foreign Affairs
	Child Abduction and Custody Act (Cap. 410)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Patents and Designs Act (Cap. 417)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	International Protection Appeals Tribunal (Procedures) Regulations (S.L. 420.01)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Ratification of Treaties (Saint Angelo) Act (Cap. 429)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Veterinary Services Act (Cap. 437)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Licensing of Private Maritime Security Companies Regulations (S.L. 480.05)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Aircraft Registration Act (Cap. 503)	Minister of Foreign Affairs
	Council for Maltese Living Abroad Act (Cap. 515)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
	Arts Council Malta Act (Cap. 542)	Minister responsible for foreign affairs
Freedom of Information and Data Protection	Freedom of Information Act (Cap. 496)	Minister responsible for freedom of information and data protection
	Data Protection Act (Cap. 586)	Minister responsible for data protection
Gaming	Gaming Act (Cap. 583)	Minister responsible for the gaming sector
Government Investments	Drainage Facilities and Sewer Connection Regulations (S.L. 10.29)	Minister responsible for public works

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	Tunny Fisheries (Shares) Act (Cap. 129)	Minister responsible for industry
	Dockyard and Shipbuilding Yard (Restructuring) Act (Cap. 466)	Minister responsible for government investments
Gozo Affairs	Consumer Affairs Act (Cap. 378)	Minister responsible for Gozo affairs
	Malta Crafts Council Act (Cap. 421)	Minister responsible for Gozo
	Malta Council for Economic and Social Development Act (Gozo Regional Committee) Regulations (S.L. 431.02)	Minister for Gozo
	Cultural Heritage Act (Cap. 445)	Minister responsible for Gozo
	Dwejra Opportunity Fund Regulations (S.L. 445.06)	Minister for Gozo
	National Archives Act (Cap. 477)	Minister responsible for Gozo
	Malta Libraries Act (Cap. 511)	Minister responsible for Gozo
	Arts Council Malta Act (Cap. 542)	Minister responsible for Gozo
Health	Code of Police Laws (Cap. 10)	Minister responsible for public health
	Burials Ordinance (Cap. 17)	Minister responsible for public health
	Addolorata Cemetery Ordinance (Cap. 18)	Minister responsible for public health
	Medical and Kindred Professions Ordinance (Cap. 31)	Minister responsible for public health
	Health Care (Fees) Regulations (S.L. 35.28)	Minister responsible for health
	Prevention of Disease Ordinance (Cap. 36)	Minister responsible for public health
	Medical Officers of Health and D.M.O.'s Conditions of Appointment Regulations (S.L. 94.01)	Minister responsible for the Department of Health
	Elections for the Hospital Management Committee Regulations (S.L. 94.09)	Minister responsible for health

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	Dangerous Drugs Ordinance (Cap. 101)	Minister responsible for public health
	Raw Opium Rules (S.L. 101.01)	Minister responsible for health
	Internal Control of Dangerous Drugs Rules (S.L. 101.02)	Minister responsible for the Department of Health
	Clean Air Act (Cap. 200)	Minister responsible for public health
	Litter Act (Cap. 206)	Minister responsible for public health
	Control of Tattooing Act (Cap. 270)	Minister responsible for public health
	Tobacco (Smoking Control) Act (Cap. 315)	Minister responsible for public health
	Tobacco (Smoking Control) Act (Cap. 315)	Minister of health
	Requirements as to Advertisements, Methods of Advertising and Directions Applicable to Tattoo Advertising (S.L. 350.23)	Minister responsible for public health
	Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection Regulations (S.L. 365.15)	Minister responsible for health
	Health and Safety at Work Act (Cap. 646.)	Minister responsible for health
	Pesticides Control Act (Cap. 430)	Minister responsible for health
	Veterinary Services Act (Cap. 437)	Minister responsible for public health
	Food Safety Act (Cap. 449)	Minister responsible for public health
	Food Safety Act (Cap. 449)	Minister responsible for health promotion
	Mutual Recognition of Qualifications Act (Cap. 451)	Minister responsible for health
	Medicines Act (Cap. 458)	Minister responsible for public health
	Pharmacy Licence Regulations (S.L. 458.16)	Minister responsible for health

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	Procedure for the Erasure of Names of Professionals Complementary to Medicine Rules (S.L. 458.19)	Minister of Health
	Commissioner for Children Act (Cap. 462)	Minister responsible for health
	Health Care Professions Act (Cap. 464)	Minister responsible for health
	Health Care Professions Act (Cap. 464)	Minister of health
	Appeals Committee (Elections) Regulations (S.L. 464.05)	Minister responsible for health, elderly and community care
	Public Health Act (Cap. 465)	Minister responsible for public health
	Building Regulation Act (Cap. 513)	Minister responsible for public health
	Embryo Protection Act (Cap. 524)	Minister responsible for health
	Mental Health Act (Cap. 525)	Minister responsible for health
	Health Act (Cap. 528)	Minister responsible for health
	Exceptional Medicinal Treatment Committee Regulations (S.L. 528.08)	The person responsible for the Ministry for Health
	Drug Dependence (Treatment not Imprisonment) Act (Cap. 537)	Minister responsible for health
	Gender Identity, Gender Expression and Sex Characteristics Act (Cap. 540)	Minister responsible for health
	Biosafety Co-ordinating Committee Regulations (S.L. 549.31)	Minister responsible for public health
	Commissioner for Older Persons Act (Cap. 553)	Minister responsible for health
	Human Organs, Tissues and Cell Donation Act (Cap. 558)	Minister responsible for Health
Home Affairs	Maintenance of Public Good Order at Places of Entertainment Regulations (S.L. 10.40)	Minister responsible for home affairs
	Immigration Act (Cap. 217)	Minister responsible for the interior

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	Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection Regulations (S.L. 365.15)	Minister responsible for internal affairs
	Critical Infrastructures and European Critical Infrastructures (Identification, Designation and Protection) Order (S.L. 460.24)	Minister responsible for Home Affairs
	Commissioner for Children Act (Cap. 462)	Minister responsible for home affairs
	Drug Dependence (Treatment not Imprisonment) Act (Cap. 537)	Minister responsible for home affairs
	Passenger Name Record (Data) Act (Cap. 584)	Minister responsible for home affairs and national security
Immigration	Income Tax Act (Cap. 123)	Minister responsible for immigration
	Immigration Act (Cap. 217)	Minister responsible for immigration
	Extradition (Designated Foreign Countries) Order (S.L. 276.05)	Minister responsible for immigration
	International Protection Act (Cap. 420)	Minister responsible for immigration
	Free Movement of European Union Nationals and their Family Members Order (S.L. 460.17)	Minister responsible for immigration
	Development Notification Order (S.L. 552.08)	Minister responsible for immigration
Industrial Relations	Pensions Ordinance (Cap. 93)	Minister responsible for industrial relations
	Employment and Industrial Relations Act (Cap. 452)	Minister from time to time responsible for Employment and Industrial Relations
	Industrial Tribunal Procedure Rules (S.L. 452.18)	Minister from time to time in charge of the department of labour
Information	Re-Use of Public Sector Information Act (Cap. 546)	Minister responsible for public sector information
Investment Promotion	Aids to Industries Ordinance (Cap. 159)	Minister responsible for industry
	Malta Development Corporation Act (Cap. 202)	Minister responsible for industry

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	Business Promotion Act (Cap. 325)	Minister responsible for industry
	Malta Enterprise Corporation Act (Cap. 463)	Minister responsible for Malta Enterprise
	Constituted Bodies Notice (S.L. 463.01)	Minister of Finance and Economic Affairs
	Micro Loan Guarantee Regulations (S.L. 463.08)	Minister responsible for industry
Justice	Statute Law Revision Act	Minister responsible for the Law Commission
	Constitution of Malta	Minister responsible for justice
	Criminal Code (Cap. 9)	Minister responsible for justice Minister of justice
	Criminal Injuries Compensation Regulations (S.L. 9.12)	Minister for justice
	Code of Organization and Civil Procedure (Cap. 12)	Minister responsible for justice
	Commercial Code (Cap. 13)	Minister responsible for justice
	Civil Code (Cap. 16)	Minister responsible for justice
	Medical and Kindred Professions Ordinance (Cap. 31)	Minister responsible for justice
	Notarial Profession and Notarial Archives Act (Cap. 55)	Minister responsible for notarial affairs
	Notarial Profession and Notarial Archives Act (Cap. 55)	Minister responsible for justice
	Functions and Duties of the Notarial College and Notarial Council Regulations (S.L. 55.01)	Minister responsible for justice
	Examination of Title Regulations (S.L. 55.06)	Minister responsible for notarial affairs
	Reletting of Urban Property (Regulation) Ordinance (Cap. 69)	Minister responsible for justice
	Commissioner for Oaths Ordinance (Cap. 79)	Minister responsible for justice

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	Utilities and Services (Regulation of Certain Works) Act (Cap. 81)	Minister responsible for justice
	Land Acquisition (Public Purposes) Ordinance (Cap. 88)	Minister responsible for justice
	Attorney General Ordinance (Cap. 90)	Minister responsible for the agency
	Dangerous Drugs Ordinance (Cap. 101)	Minister responsible for Justice
	Witnesses (Fees) Ordinance (Cap. 108)	Minister responsible for justice
	Developed Land (Valuation) Ordinance (Cap. 110)	Minister responsible for justice
	Qualifying Employment in Maritime Activities and the Servicing of Offshore Oil and Gas Industry Activities (Personal Tax) Rules (S.L. 123.182)	Minister responsible for Justice
	Police Act (Cap. 164)	Minister responsible for justice
	Agricultural Leases (Reletting) Act (Cap. 199)	Minister responsible for justice
	Merchant Shipping Act (Cap. 234)	Minister responsible for justice
	Maintenance Orders (Reciprocal Enforcement) Act (Cap. 242)	Minister responsible for justice
	Marriage Act (Cap. 255)	Minister responsible for justice
	Extradition Act (Cap. 276)	Minister responsible for justice
	Electro-Magnetic Recording of Proceedings Act (Cap. 284)	Minister responsible for justice
	Juvenile Court Act (Cap. 287)	Minister responsible for justice
	War Damage (Repeal) Act (Cap. 289)	Minister responsible for justice
	Commissioners for Justice Act (Cap. 291)	Minister responsible for justice
	Partition of Inheritances Act (Cap. 308)	Minister responsible for justice

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	Social Security Act (Cap. 318)	Minister responsible for justice
	Permanent Commission Against Corruption Act (Cap. 326)	Minister responsible for justice
	Malta Financial Services Authority Act (Cap. 330)	Minister responsible for justice
	Broadcasting Act (Cap. 350)	Minister responsible for justice
	Civil Aviation (Security) Act (Cap. 353)	Minister responsible for Justice
	General Elections Act (Cap. 354)	Minister responsible for justice
	Development Planning Act (Cap. 356)	Minister responsible for justice
	Income Tax Management Act (Cap. 372)	Minister responsible for justice
	Prevention of Money Laundering Act (Cap. 373)	Minister responsible for justice
	Consumer Affairs Act (Cap. 378)	Minister responsible for justice
	Small Claims Tribunal Act (Cap. 380)	Minister responsible for justice
	Hours and Places of Sittings of Small Claims Tribunal Rules (S.L. 380.02)	Minister of Justice
	Controlled Companies (Procedure for Liquidation) Act (Cap. 383)	Minister responsible for justice
	Ombudsman Act (Cap. 385)	Minister responsible for justice
	Arbitration Act (Cap. 387)	Minister responsible for justice
	Tribunal for the Investigations of Injustices Act (Cap. 394)	Minister responsible for justice
	Value Added Tax Act (Cap. 406)	Minister responsible for justice
	Malta Travel and Tourism Services Act (Cap. 409)	Minister responsible for justice
	Child Abduction and Custody Act (Cap. 410)	Minister responsible for justice

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	Copyright Act (Cap. 415)	Minister responsible for justice
	Patents and Designs Act (Cap. 417)	Minister responsible for justice
	Malta Communications Authority Act (Cap. 418)	Minister responsible for justice
	Plant Quarantine Act (Cap. 433)	Minister responsible for justice
	Legal Procedures (Ratification of Conventions) Act (Cap. 443)	Minister responsible for justice
	Cultural Heritage Act (Cap. 445)	Minister responsible for justice
	Special Funds (Regulation) Act (Cap. 450)	Minister responsible for justice
	Employment and Industrial Relations Act (Cap. 452)	Minister responsible for justice
	International Criminal Court Act (Cap. 453)	Minister responsible for justice
	International Maintenance Obligations Order (S.L. 460.25)	Minister responsible for justice
	Commissioner for Children Act (Cap. 462)	Minister responsible for justice
	Health Care Professions Act (Cap. 464)	Minister responsible for justice
	Social Work Profession Act (Cap. 468)	Minister responsible for justice
	Psychology Profession Act (Cap. 471)	Minister responsible for justice
	Eco-Contribution Act (Cap. 473)	Minister responsible for justice
	Mediation Act (Cap. 474)	Minister responsible for justice
	Rome Convention on Contractual Obligations (Ratification) Act (Cap. 482)	Minister responsible for justice
	Administrative Justice Act (Cap. 490)	Minister responsible for justice
	Aircraft Registration Act (Cap. 503)	Minister responsible for foundations

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	Environment and Development Planning Act (Cap. 504)	Minister responsible for justice
	Protection of Children (Hague Convention) Act (Cap. 507)	Minister responsible for justice
	Malta Competition and Consumer Affairs Authority Act (Cap. 510)	Minister responsible for justice
	Protection of Minors (Registration) Act (Cap. 518)	Minister responsible for justice
	Embryo Protection Act (Cap. 524)	Minister responsible for justice
	Mental Health Act (Cap. 525)	Minister responsible for justice
	Protection of the Whistleblower Act (Cap. 527)	Minister responsible for justice
	Drug Dependence (Treatment not Imprisonment) Act (Cap. 537)	Minister responsible for Justice
	Counselling Profession Act (Cap. 538)	Minister responsible for justice
	Financing of Political Parties Act (Cap. 544)	Minister responsible for Justice
	Cohabitation Act (Cap. 571)	Minister responsible for justice
	Government Lands Act (Cap. 573)	Minister responsible for justice
	Gaming Act (Cap. 583)	Minister responsible for justice
	Data Protection Act (Cap. 586)	Minister responsible for justice
Lands	Civil Code (Cap. 16)	Minister responsible for Lands
	Land Acquisition (Public Purposes) Ordinance (Cap. 88)	Minister responsible for lands
	Commissioner of Land Ordinance (Cap. 169)	Minister responsible for land
	Disposal of Government Land Act (Cap. 268)	Minister responsible for land
	Cultural Heritage Act (Cap. 445)	Minister responsible for lands

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	Sports Act (Cap. 455)	Minister responsible for land
	National Archives Act (Cap. 477)	Minister responsible for lands
	Arts Council Malta Act (Cap. 542)	Minister responsible for lands
	Environment Protection Act (Cap. 549)	Minister responsible for lands
	Government Lands Act (Cap. 573)	Minister responsible for land Minister responsible for lands
Land Registration	Land Registration Act (Cap. 296)	Minister responsible for land registry
	Condominium Act (Cap. 398)	Minister responsible for land registry
Libraries	Malta Libraries Act (Cap. 511)	Minister responsible for the Malta Libraries and its libraries
	Gozo Public Library Regulations (S.L. 511.01)	Minister responsible for the Public Libraries
	Committee of Management of the National Malta Library Rules (S.L. 511.04)	Minister of Education
Local Government	Local Government Act (Cap. 363)	Minister responsible for local government
	Private Guards and Local Wardens Act (Cap. 389)	Minister responsible for local government
	Trading Licences Act (Cap. 441)	Minister responsible for local government
Medicines	Medicines Act (Cap. 458)	Minister who is designated by the Prime Minister as being responsible for the Medicines Authority
National Archives	National Archives Act (Cap. 477)	Minister responsible for the national archives
National Parks	Fees for the Use of the Facilities of the National Park - Ta' Qali - Regulations (S.L. 35.22)	Minister responsible for national parks
Non-governmental and Voluntary Organisations	Voluntary Organisations Act (Cap. 492)	Minister responsible for social policy
Nuclear Safety	Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection Act (Cap. 585)	Minister responsible for matters related to and incidental to this Act

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Occupational Health and Safety	Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection Regulations (S.L. 365.15)	Minister responsible for occupational health and safety
	Health and Safety at Work Act (Cap. 646.)	Minister responsible for occupational health and safety
Parliamentary Affairs	Auditor General and National Audit Office Act (Cap. 396)	Minister responsible for parliamentary affairs
Passports	Fees for Passports and Visas Regulations (S.L. 35.24)	Minister responsible for passports
	Passports Ordinance (Cap. 61)	Minister for the time being responsible for matters relating to passports
Plant Health	Plant Quarantine Act (Cap. 433)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Food Safety Act (Cap. 449)	Minister responsible for plant health
Police	Criminal Code (Cap. 9)	Minister responsible for the police
	Code of Police Laws (Cap. 10)	Minister responsible for the police
	Explosives Ordinance (Cap. 33)	Minister responsible for the police
	Coal (Protection) Owners Ordinance (Cap. 43)	Minister responsible for the police
	Traffic Regulation Ordinance (Cap. 65)	Minister responsible for the police
	Public Meetings Ordinance (Cap. 68)	Minister responsible for police
	Conduct Certificates Ordinance (Cap. 77)	Minister responsible for the Police
	Racecourse Betting Ordinance (Cap. 78)	Minister responsible for the police
	Dangerous Drugs Ordinance (Cap. 101)	Minister responsible for the police
	Police Licenses Act (Cap. 128)	Minister responsible for the police
	Police Licences Regulations (S.L. 128.01)	Minister responsible for Police
	Police Act (Cap. 164)	Minister responsible for the Police
	Public Collections Act (Cap. 279)	Minister responsible for the police

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	Dogs Act (Cap. 312)	Minister responsible for the police
	Private Guards and Local Wardens Act (Cap. 389)	Minister responsible for the police
	Placing on the Market of Pyrotechnic Articles Regulations (S.L. 427.70)	Minister responsible for the Police
	Arms Act (Cap. 480)	Minister responsible for the police
	New Roads and Road Works Regulations (Cap. 499.57)	Minister responsible for the police
	Development Notification Order (S.L. 552.08)	Minister responsible for the Malta Police Force
	Data Protection Act (Cap. 586)	Minister responsible for the Police
Ports and Maritime Transport	Code of Police Laws (Cap. 10)	Minister responsible for ports
	Petroleum (Importation, Storage and Sale) Ordinance (Cap. 25)	Minister responsible for ports
	Requisition of Lighters and Tugboats Regulations (S.L. 117.19)	Minister responsible for ports
	Port Workers Ordinance (Cap. 171)	Minister responsible for ports
	Merchant Shipping Act (Cap. 234)	Minister responsible for shipping
	Carriage of Goods by Sea (Regulation) Act (Cap. 283)	Minister responsible for ports
	Malta Freeports Act (Cap. 334)	Minister responsible for freeports
	Ports and Shipping Act (Cap. 352)	Minister responsible for transport
	Bunkering (Fuels) Tax Act (Cap. 381)	Minister responsible for ports
	Oil Pollution (Liability and Compensation) Act (Cap. 412)	Minister responsible for shipping

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	Work Place (Minimum Health and Safety Requirements for the Protection of Workers from Risks Resulting from Exposure to Vibration) Regulations (S.L. 424.31)	Minister responsible for the safety of the crew on board vessels
	Ports Regulations (S.L. 499.01)	Minister responsible for ports
	Mooring Services Regulations (S.L. 499.03)	Minister responsible for ports and shipping
	Commercial Vessels Regulations (S.L. 499.23)	Minister responsible for maritime transport
	Vessel Traffic Monitoring and Reporting Requirements Regulations (S.L. 499.34)	Minister responsible for shipping and ports
	Small Ships Regulations (S.L. 499.52)	Minister responsible for ports, transport and maritime affairs
	Malta Marittima (Establishment as an Agency) Order (S.L. 595.16)	Minister responsible for the development and growth of the maritime sector
Postal Services	Postal Services Act (Cap. 254)	Minister responsible for posts
Probation and Parole	Probation Act (Cap. 446)	Minister responsible for the probation services
Product Standards	Malta Standards Authority Act (Cap. 419)	Minister responsible for Malta Standards Authority
	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Enforcement (E-Research) Committee (S.L. 427.67)	Minister responsible for the Malta Standards Authority
	Metrology Act (Cap. 454)	Minister responsible for standards and metrology
	Measuring Instruments Regulations (S.L. 454.15)	Minister responsible for standards and metrology
Protection of Intellectual Property	Copyright Act (Cap. 415)	Minister responsible for the protection of copyright and neighbouring rights
	Copyright Act (Cap. 415)	Minister responsible for the Industrial Property Office

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	Certain Permitted Uses of Orphan Works Regulations (S.L. 415.05)	Minister responsible for intellectual property
	Patents and Designs Act (Cap. 417)	Minister responsible for the protection of industrial property
	Patents and Designs Act (Cap. 417)	Minister responsible for the Industrial Property Office
	Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights (Regulation) Act (Cap. 488)	Minister responsible for intellectual property
	Trademarks Act (Cap. 597)	Minister responsible for the protection of Industrial Property
Public Administration	Pensions Ordinance (Cap. 93)	Minister responsible centrally for personnel policies in the public service
	Housing Authority Act (Cap. 261)	Minister responsible centrally for personnel policies in the public service
	Malta Statistics Authority Act (Cap. 422)	Minister responsible centrally for personnel policies in the public service
	Maltese Language Act (Cap. 470)	Minister centrally responsible for staff policy in the public service
	Malta Film Commission Act (Cap. 478)	Minister responsible centrally for personnel policies in the public service
	Malta Competition and Consumer Affairs Authority Act (Cap. 510)	Minister responsible in general for personnel policies in the public service
	Embryo Protection Authority Regulations (S.L. 524.01)	Minister responsible centrally for personnel policies in the public service
	Arts Council Malta Act (Cap. 542)	Minister responsible centrally for personnel policies in the public service

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	Regulator for Energy and Water Services Act (Cap. 545)	Minister responsible in general for personnel policies in the public service
	Environment Protection Act (Cap. 549)	Minister responsible in general for personnel policies in the public service
	Institute of Tourism Studies Act (Cap. 566)	Minister responsible for personnel policies in general in the public service
	Public Administration Act (Cap. 595)	Minister responsible for the public administration Minister with responsibility for the public administration
Public Registry	Civil Code (Cap. 16)	Minister responsible for the Public Registry
	Public Registry Act (Cap. 56)	Minister responsible for the Public Registry
	Housing (Decontrol) Ordinance (Cap. 158)	Minister responsible for the Public Registry
	Marriage Act (Cap. 255)	Minister with responsibility relating to marriages
	Marriage Act (Cap. 255)	Minister responsible for the Public Registry
	Civil Unions Act (Cap. 530)	Minister responsible for the Public Registry
Public Works	Code of Police Laws (Cap. 10)	Minister responsible for public works
	Utilities and Services (Regulation of Certain Works) Act (Cap. 81)	Minister responsible for infrastructure Minister for infrastructure
	Sand (Preservation) Act (Cap. 127)	Minister responsible for public works
	Special Developments Areas Act (Cap. 149)	Minister responsible for public works
	Inġiniera Act (Cap. 321)	Minister responsible for works

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	Application for the Issue of a Warrant Regulations (S.L. 321.01)	Minister responsible for infrastructure
	Periti Act (Cap. 390)	Minister responsible for works
	Mutual Recognition of Qualifications Act (Cap. 451)	Minister responsible for works
	Abandonment, Dumping and Disposal of Waste in Streets and Public Places or Areas Regulations (S.L. 549.40)	Minister responsible for public infrastructure
Registration of Companies	Merchant Shipping (Shipping Organisations – Private Companies) Regulations (S.L. 234.42)	Minister responsible for registration of commercial partnerships
	Companies Act (Cap. 386)	Minister responsible for the registration of commercial partnerships
Resources	Environment and Planning Review Tribunal Act (Cap. 551)	Minister responsible for the Environment and Resources Authority
Rights of Persons with Disability	Equal Opportunities (Persons with Disability) Act (Cap. 413)	Minister responsible for disability and the development of this sector
	Maltese Sign Language Recognition Act (Cap. 556)	Minister responsible for the rights of persons with a disability
	Persons within the Autism Spectrum (Empowerment) Act (Cap. 557)	Minister responsible for persons with disability
Road Transport	Code of Police Laws (Cap. 10)	Minister responsible for transport
	Code of Police Laws (Cap. 10)	Minister responsible for the Malta Transport Authority
	Traffic Regulation Ordinance (Cap. 65)	Minister responsible for transport

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	Motor Vehicles Insurance (Third Party Risks) Ordinance (Cap. 104)	Minister responsible for transport
	Local Council (Street Naming) Regulations (S.L. 363.10)	Minister responsible for infrastructure
	Controlled Parking Schemes (Residents and Commercial) Regulations (S.L. 363.80)	Minister responsible for transport
	Motor Vehicles Registration and Licensing Act (Cap. 368)	Minister responsible for transport
	Registration and Licensing of Motor Vehicles Regulations (S.L. 368.02)	Minister responsible for land transport
	Arbitration Act (Cap. 387)	Minister responsible for transport
	Alternative Fuels Order ~(S.L. 460.32)	Minister responsible for transport
	International Carriage of Goods by Road Act (Cap. 486)	Minister responsible for road transport
	Authority for Transport in Malta Act (Cap. 499)	Minister responsible for transport
	New Roads and Road Works Regulations (Cap. 499.57)	Minister responsible for the roads
	Building Regulation Act (Cap. 513)	Minister responsible for roads
Security Service	Official Secrets Act (Cap. 50)	Minister from time to time designated by the Prime Minister as being responsible for the security services
	Security Service Act (Cap. 391)	Minister from time to time designated as being responsible for the security service

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	Licensing of Private Maritime Security Companies Regulations (S.L. 480.05)	Minister responsible for the Security Services
Social Dialogue	Malta Council for Economic and Social Development Act (Cap. 431)	Minister responsible for Social Dialogue
	Malta-EU Steering and Action Committee – MEUSAC (Establishment as an Agency) Order (S.L. 595.23)	Minister responsible for Social Dialogue
Social Housing	Housing Act (Cap. 125)	Minister responsible for housing
	Housing Authority Act (Cap. 261)	Minister responsible for housing
	Home Ownership (Encouragement) Act (Cap. 328)	Minister responsible for housing
	Housing (Extension) Act (Cap. 360)	Minister responsible for housing
	Condominium Act (Cap. 398)	Minister responsible for housing
Social Policy	Code of Police Laws (Cap. 10)	Minister responsible for social policy
	Civil Code (Cap. 16)	Minister responsible for social policy
	Donated Supplies (Prohibition of Sale) Act (Cap. 145)	Minister responsible for the Department of Social Services
	Children and Young Persons (Care Orders) Regulations (S.L. 285.01)	Minister responsible for social policy
	Malta Council for Economic and Social Development Act (Cap. 431)	Minister responsible for social policy
	Mutual Recognition of Qualifications Act (Cap. 451)	Minister responsible for social policy

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	Social Work Profession Act (Cap. 468)	Minister responsible for social policy
	Psychology Profession Act (Cap. 471)	Minister responsible for social policy
	Foster Care Act (Cap. 491)	Minister responsible for social policy
	Adoption Administration Act (Cap. 495)	Minister responsible for social policy
	Mental Health Act (Cap. 525)	Minister responsible for social policy
	Drug Dependence (Treatment not Imprisonment) Act (Cap. 534)	Minister responsible for social policy
	Counselling Profession Act (Cap. 538)	Minister responsible for the counselling profession
	Social Care Standards Authority Act (Cap. 582)	Minister responsible for social welfare
	Psychotherapy Profession Act (Cap. 587)	Minister responsible for the psychotherapy profession
Social Security	Widows' and Orphans' Pensions Act (Cap. 58)	Minister from time to time responsible for the Department of Social Security
	Pensions Ordinance (Cap. 93)	Minister from time to time responsible for the Department of Social Security
	Malta Armed Forces Act (Cap. 220)	Minister from time to time responsible for the Department of Social Security
	Prisons Act (Cap. 260)	Minister from time to time responsible for the Department of Social Security
	Members of Parliament Pensions Act (Cap. 280)	Minister from time to time responsible for the Department of Social Security
	Port Workers Ordinance (Cap. 171)	Minister responsible for social security

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	Social Security Act (Cap. 318)	Minister from time to time in charge of the Department of Social Security
	International Protection Act (Cap. 420)	Minister responsible for social security
Sports	Statute for the Institute for Physical Education and Sport (S.L. 327.92)	Minister responsible for sport
	Sports Act (Cap. 455)	Minister responsible for sports
	Commercialisation of Sports Facilities Regulations (S.L. 455.12)	Minister responsible for Sport
State Aid	Business Promotion Act (Cap. 325)	Minister responsible for finance
Tourism	Aids to Industries Ordinance (Cap. 159)	Minister responsible for tourism
	Litter Act (Cap. 206)	Minister of Tourism
	Ministry of Tourism Act (Cap. 274)	Minister to whom responsibility for tourism has been assigned
	Trusts and Trustees (Tourism Environmental Trust) Regulations (S.L. 331.09)	Minister responsible for Tourism
	Business Promotion Act (Cap. 325)	Minister responsible for tourism
	National Minimum Conditions (Schools Teaching English as a Foreign Language) Regulations (S.L. 327.65)	Minister responsible for tourism
	Malta Travel and Tourism Services Act (Cap. 409)	Minister responsible for tourism
	Malta Crafts Council Act (Cap. 421)	Minister responsible for tourism
	Cultural Heritage Act (Cap. 445)	Minister responsible for tourism

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	Mutual Recognition of Qualifications Act (Cap. 451)	Minister responsible for tourism
	Environmental Management Construction Site Regulations (S.L. 552.09)	Minister responsible for tourism
	Institute of Tourism Studies Act (Cap. 566)	Minister responsible for tourism Minister for Tourism
Veterinary Services	Prevention of Disease Ordinance (Cap. 36)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Compensation for Slaughtered Animals Regulations (S.L. 36.18)	Minister responsible for the Department of Agriculture
	Prevention of Disease amongst Animals Regulations (S.L. 36.20)	Minister from time to time in charge of the department
	Animals (Control of Importation) Ordinance (Cap. 86)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Cattle Breeding Ordinance (Cap. 97)	Minister responsible for agriculture
	Veterinary Services Act (Cap. 437)	Minister responsible for veterinary services
	Acceptance of Pure-Bred Breeding Animals of the Bovine Species for Breeding Purposes Regulations (S.L. 437.05)	Minister responsible for veterinary affairs
	Food Safety Act (Cap. 449)	Minister responsible for veterinary services
Waste Management	Eco-Contribution Act (Cap. 473)	Minister responsible for waste management
Welfare of Victims of Crime	Victims of Crime Act (Cap. 539)	Minister responsible for the welfare of victims of crime
Youth	Youth Work Profession Act (Cap. 533)	Minister responsible for youth

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	Aġenzija Żgħażagħ (Establishment as an Agency) Order (S.L. 595.02)	Minister responsible for Aġenzija Żgħażagħ