

L.N. 344 of 2001

**MALTA TRAVEL AND TOURISM SERVICES ACT
(CAP. 409)**

**Tourism Services (Private Sector Contributions)
(Amendment) Regulations, 2001**

IN exercise of the powers conferred by articles 7(3) and 47 of the Malta Travel and Tourism Services Act, the Minister for Tourism acting on the recommendation of the Malta Tourism Authority has made the following regulations:-

Citation and
commencement.

L.N. 14 of 2001.

1. (1) The title of these regulations is the Tourism Services (Private Sector Contributions) (Amendment) Regulations, 2001, and they shall be read and construed as one with the Tourism Services (Private Sector Contributions) Regulations, 2001, hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations".

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st January, 2002.

Amends regulation
2 of the principal
regulations.

2. In regulation 2 of the principal regulations, immediately after the definition of "tourist areas" there shall be added the following new definition:-

"tour operator representative" means an incoming tourism agent acting as a representative of a tour operator for leisure travel".

Amends the First
Schedule to the
principal
regulations.

3. The First Schedule to the principal regulations shall be amended as follows:

(a) in section I thereof, for the fee "Lm 437.50 per establishment" corresponding to the item "First Class" there shall be substituted the fee "Lm 350 per establishment", and for the fee "Lm312.50 per establishment" corresponding to the item "Second Class" there shall be substituted the fee "Lm 175 per establishment";

(b) for section O thereof, there shall be substituted the following:-

“O. Travel Operators

First Column

Second Column

Licensee of Incoming
Tourism Agency

Incoming tourism activities
are those undertaken by:

Incoming tourism agencies
acting on their own behalf or as
representatives of a tour operator

Destination Management Companies

Incoming tourism agencies acting
as organised excursion operators

An incoming tourism agency
carrying out one or more activities
shall contribute as follows:

Licensee carrying out any one of
the above incoming tourism activities Lm 700

Licensee carrying out any two of
the above incoming tourism activities Lm 1,250

Licensee carrying out all three of
the above incoming tourism activities Lm 1,500

An incoming tourism agency
acting as a tour operator representative
shall pay a further contribution based
on incoming volume registered in the
previous year in excess of 5,000
tourists as hereunder:

In excess of 5,000 and
below 15,000 tourists Lm 30 for every 1,000 tourists

For every subsequent 1,000
up to 25,000 tourists Lm 25 for every 1,000 tourists

In excess of 25,000 tourists Lm 18 for every 1,000 tourists

Licensee of Organised
Excursion Operator

Main Office	Lm 625 per establishment
Branch/Sub-agency/Booking Outlet	Lm 437.50 per establishment

Licensee of Outgoing Travel Agency

Travel Agency (outgoing)	Lm 125
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Licensee of Shipping Agency/Airline Sales Agency	Lm 75"
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(c) in section S thereof, for the fee "Lm 375 per establishment" corresponding to the item "Licensee of Water Sports Club and Centre/Diving School" there shall be substituted the fee "Lm 250 per establishment".