

L.N. 138 of 1995

**INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT ACT
(CAP. 325)**

Qualifying Companies (Support Services) Regulations, 1995

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 3(1)(f) of the Industrial Development Act the Minister for Economic Services has made the following regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Qualifying Companies (Services) Regulations, 1995. Citation.

2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires — Interpretation.
 - “the Act” means the Industrial Development Act;
 - “the Corporation” means the Malta Development Corporation;
 - “Minister” means the Minister responsible for industry;
 - “qualifying support service” means a service carried on or carried out by a qualifying company whose sole trade or business consists in an activity specified in regulation 3 of these regulations.

3. Without prejudice to the provisions of regulation 5 of these regulations, the following activity is hereby designated as a qualifying support service for the purposes of paragraph (f) of subsection (1) of section 3 of the Act: Qualifying support services.
 - the provision of services directly required in the development, production and distribution of feature films, commercials and television programmes including the provision of studio facilities, film sets, filming equipment, management, personnel, marketing and other executive services.

4. Any project proposed by a company carrying out an activity mentioned in regulation 3 of these regulations shall not obtain any benefit or incentive under the Act unless it is approved by the Corporation in advance, and shall therefore only qualify for such benefit or incentive so long as it complies with all the conditions and obligations of such approval. Approval by the Corporation.

5. In these regulations, any reference to any authorisation, approval, exemption or other permission by or from the Corporation shall only be valid if given in writing by the Corporation. Authorisation.

