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L.N. 194 of 2017

COMPANIES ACT
(CAP. 386)

Companies Act (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations, 2017

IN exercise of the powers conferred by article 425 of the Companies Act, the Minister for Finance, acting on the advice of the Malta Financial Services Authority, has made the following regulations:-

Citation and commencement.

S.L. 386.03

1. (1) The title of these regulations is the Companies Act (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations, 2017, and shall be read and construed as one with the Companies Act (Fees) Regulations, hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations".

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st January 2017 and shall apply to fees falling due on or after the said date.

Amends the Schedule to the principal regulations.

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

(a) paragraphs (d), (e), (f) (g), (h), (i), (j), (k), (l), (m), (n), (o), (p), (q), (r), (s), (t) and (u) thereof shall be renumbered as paragraphs (e), (f) (g), (h), (i), (j), (k), (l), (m), (n), (o), (p), (q), (r), (s), (t), (u) and (v) respectively;

(b) immediately after paragraph (c) thereof there shall be added:

(i) in the first column thereof, the words "(d) Registration of a European Economic Interest Grouping:"; and

(ii) in the second column thereof, the fee of "€1,000";

(c) in the first column of paragraph (j), as renumbered, thereof, for the words "annual return of an investment company with variable sare capital:", there shall be substituted the words "annual return of an investment company with variable share capital:";

(d) paragraph (l), as renumbered, thereof shall be amended as follows:

(i) for the first column thereof, there shall be

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substituted the following:

"(l) Review by the Registrar of a prospectus where Malta is the home member state, other than a prospectus in relation to securities in respect of which an application for admission to listing has been made or is to be made to the listing authority:"; and

(ii) in the second column thereof, the prescribed fee of "€1,200", shall be substituted by the fee of "€1,500";

(e) in the first column of paragraph (m), as renumbered, thereof immediately after the words "the Continuation of Companies Regulations", there shall be added the words "or the Transfer of Registered Office of a European Company (SE) Regulations";

(f) in the second column of paragraph (n), as renumbered, thereof the prescribed fee of "€0.35" shall be substituted by the fee of "€0.50";

(g) for paragraph (o), as renumbered, thereof:

(i) for the first column thereof, there shall be substituted the following:

"(o) For certified true copies:

(i) in unbound form:

(ii) in bound form:"; and

(ii) in the second column thereof, there shall be inserted the fee of "€5" next to indent (i) and the fee of "€10" next to indent (ii);

(h) in the second column of paragraph (p), as renumbered, thereof the prescribed fee of "€7.50" shall be substituted by the fee of "€10";

(i) paragraph (q), as renumbered, thereof shall be amended as follows:

(i) in the first column thereof, immediately after the words "article 80 of the Companies Act,", there shall be added the words "and in terms of regulation 21 of the Merchant Shipping (Shipping Organisations - Private

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Companies) Regulations,"; and

(ii) in the second column thereof, the prescribed fee of "€25",shall be substituted by the fee of "€50";

(j) in the second column of paragraph (r), as renumbered, thereof the prescribed fee of "€15", shall be substituted by the fee of "€20 per page";

(k) in the second column of paragraph (s), as renumbered, thereof the prescribed fee of "€8 per name" shall be substituted by the fee of "€10 per name";

(l) in the first column of paragraph (v), as renumbered, thereof immediately after the words "inspections and downloads of documents" there shall be added the words "in electronic format"; and

(m) immediately after paragraph (v), as renumbered, thereof there shall be added the following:

(i) in the first column thereof, the words:

"(w) Issue of certificate upon the conversion of a commercial partnership in terms of article 332 of the Companies Act:

(x) Issue of altered certificate of registration upon change of status of a company in terms of article 213 of the Companies Act:"; and

(ii) in the second column thereof, the fee of "€100" next to each of the new paragraphs (w) and (x).

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