



Transport Malta

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**Circular to All Licensed Motor Car Dealers and Car Agents**

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Transport Malta has announced that the financial initiatives for the purchase of new or used Plug-in Hybrid vehicles has been fully taken up and for this reason, the scheme will be available only for cars ordered by the 31st of May 2022. [www.transport.gov.mt](http://www.transport.gov.mt)

The €11,000 grant will be paid to all Plug-in Hybrid vehicles ordered until the 31st of May 2022, even if for any reason the vehicle is registered later this year or in 2023. In order to fulfil the requirements as stated above, vehicle importers are requested to present at Transport Malta, by not later than the 3rd June 2022, all copies of original receipts of deposits, orders or contracts for each Plugin Hybrid vehicle ordered which should include the name, address, ID card number of the purchaser, vehicle make and model, EU category and fuel type. The importer should also indicate if the purchaser will opt for the scrappage scheme.

Furthermore, please keep in mind the following conditions:

- a) The battery autonomy of the Plugin hybrid vehicle should be not less than 30 km (City) for vehicles registered until 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022 and 50km (City) for vehicles registered from the 1st January 2023 onwards;
- b) The Deminimis threshold of €200,000 for each single undertaking spread over three financial years still applies and hence all applicants which are undertakings or voluntary organisations with an economic activity must be informed that such amount cannot be exceeded.

A 'single undertaking' includes all enterprises having at least one of the following relationships with each other:

- a) one enterprise has a majority of the shareholders' or members' voting rights in another enterprise;
- b) one enterprise has the right to appoint or remove a majority of the members of the administrative, management or supervisory body of another enterprise;
- c) one enterprise has the right to exercise a dominant influence over another enterprise pursuant to a contract entered with that enterprise or to a provision in its memorandum or articles of association;
- d) one enterprise, which is a shareholder in or member of another enterprise, controls alone, pursuant to an agreement with other shareholders in or members of that enterprise, a majority of shareholders' or members' voting rights in that enterprise.

Enterprises having any of the relationships referred to in points (a) to (d) above through one or more other enterprises shall also be considered to be a single undertaking. All other conditions listed in the form VEH 051 and the respective notice on the Government Gazette shall still apply.

Kind Regards

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