Digital Tachograph



Place

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Application for a Driver Card

Before filling this form, read carefully the practical information on the second page of this form. Please write clearly in black ink.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

The signature must be in black ink and must be

completely within the inner box.



Details of Driver

(Surname, name/s, date and place of birth as registered on the driving licence)

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Surname		
Name/s		
Date of Birth - Day Month Year Year		
Place of Birth		
Preferred working language (if other than English)		
Driving Liconco		
Driving Licence		
Country of Issue		
Name of Issuing Authority		
Driving Licence number		
Address of driver (address where card will be sent)		
Surname and Name/s (if different from those appearing of driving licence)		
Address		
Post Code		
Declaration 1, the undersigned, surname and name		
 - declare, under oath, that I have my normal residence in Malta* - declare that the information given is correct and true and that 		
a false declaration will lead to prosecution		
Date: Day Month Year Year		
Data held on your Driver Card may be exchanged with the appropriate authorities in other Member States for enforcement purposes.		

* Normal residence means the place where a person habitually lives, for at least 195 days in a calendar year, because of occupational ties, or, in case of a person with no occupational ties, because of personal ties which show close links between that person and the place where he is living; provided that, the normal residence of a person whose occupational ties are in a different place from his personal ties and who consequently lives in turn in different places situated in two or more Member States shall be regarded as being the place of his personal ties, provided that such a person returns there regularly; this last condition need not be met where the person is living in a Member State in order to carry out a task of a definite duration.

Receipt of application for a Driver Card (to be kept by the applicant)

(to be kept by the applicant)

Application No. (ID No. + Form No.)

Other personal information		
Daytime Telephone Number	Mobile Number	
Fax Number		
E-Mail Address		
Collecting the Driver Card (please tick the relevant box)		
To be collected personally or by another person on my behalf at The Transport Malta, Land Transport Directorate, A3 Towers, Arcade Street, Paola. Transport Malta Centre, Pantar Road, Lija.		

If the card is being collected personally, the driver must present his/her Identity Card or Passport. If it is being collected by another person on behalf of the applicant, that other person must present that person's Identity Card and the Identity Card of the driver.

Payment (please tick the relevant box)

Cheque in the name of Transport Malta

Money Order

Fees

ε _____ for a new or renewed card

€ _____ for a replaced card if stolen, lost or because of change in details

Replacement of card due to malfunction: Free of charge

Practical Information

- 1. Under EC rules, drivers and owners of most vehicles covered by a European authorisation and used for the international carriage of goods or for the international carriage of passengers shall follow EC drivers' hours rules and tachograph rules.
- 2. The introduction of the digital tachograph, instead of the analogue tachograph, in goods carrying vehicles and in buses became mandatory as from May 2006, under Council Regulation (EEC) No. 3821/85 on recording equipment in road transport as amended by Council Regulation (EC) No. 2135/98 and Regulation (EC) No. 561/2006.
- 3. The digital tachograph system is based on the use of smart cards by drivers, companies, calibration workshops and enforcement officers.
- 4. The card you are applying for is the Company Card which allows for displaying, downloading and printing of the data stored in the recording equipment fitted in the company's vehicle or vehicles in order to carry our checks on driver's hours etc and to maintain records for examination by authorised inspecting officers.
- 5. The Company Card is issued by the Transport Malta with a validity period of five years and you are only authorised to use the card issued to you.
- 6. The loss or theft or malfunctioning of a card shall be reported immediately to the Authority and an application made for a replacement card within 7 days of its loss, theft or malfunction. In the later case, the malfunctioning card should be returned to the Authority. If the card is lost or stolen, the company must present a signed declaration together with its application for a replacement.
- 7. The theft of a company card must be formally declared to the police.
- 8. A driver may only drive a vehicle fitted with a digital tachograph without using the driver card if that card has been lost, damaged, malfunctioning or stolen until the card has been replaced. However, the driver must throughout the period he/she is without a card, keep a record of all driving activities.
- 9. A card may be suspended or withdrawn if it has been falsified or if the person using it is not the legal holder, or the card has been obtained by false declaration or forged documents.
- 10. An application for renewal must be made at least 15 days in advance of expiry date of the card.

AUTHORITY FOR TRANSPORT IN MALTA TRANSPORT MALTA

Land Transport Directorate A3 Towers, Arcade Street, Paola PLA1212, Malta

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