



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE



Transport Malta

## Port Notice No. 10 of 2025

To: **Ship Agents**  
**Bunker Operators**  
**Maritime Services Providers**  
**Terminal Operators**

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### Sanctions and Restrictive Measures

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The purpose of this Port Notice is to remind all concerned of the applicable sanctions and restrictive measures in force, including those being adopted to respond to the actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine.

The necessary information and Guidance Notes are available on the website of the Sanctions Monitoring Board: <https://smb.gov.mt>

All concerned are reminded to take note of the latest information and of their obligations in terms of the National Interest (Enabling Powers) Act (Chapter 653 of the Laws of Malta). The necessary due diligence, within the strict framework of their authority and competences, must be carried out to ensure that any vessel intending to call at Maltese ports and/or territorial waters and anchorages is not subject to, whether directly or indirectly, or affected by any sanctions or other restrictive measures. This also applies, but always within the framework of their authority and competences, for the importation, directly or indirectly, of cargo of the typology referred to in the sanctions list.

Furthermore, such due diligence must also be carried out regarding vessels receiving services outside territorial waters.

With respect to any vessel calling Maltese waters and ports, due diligence must be carried out and declared prior to the submission of a pre-arrival notification. This declaration shall be submitted to the Authority through the national single window system, tmSW, in the “General Remarks” section.

For any services to be provided outside territorial waters, the service provider must submit to [portoperations.tm@transport.gov.mt](mailto:portoperations.tm@transport.gov.mt) a declaration of the due diligence undertaken. This declaration shall include all the relevant particulars of the vessel to which the service is to be provided, including its ownership, the cargo carried onboard, the type of service to be provided, and any other information or documentation that may be requested. The service provider shall also submit a notification in the applicable section of the tmSW.



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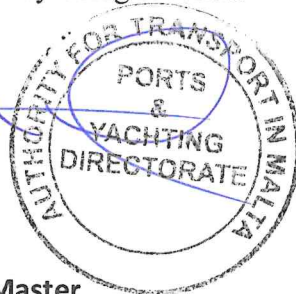
All concerned are further reminded and strongly advised to:

- i. ensure that the website of the Sanctions Monitoring Board is regularly consulted for any and all applicable sanctions in force, and to subscribe to their notifications;
- ii. familiarise themselves with the sanctions and restrictive measures in place;
- iii. comply at all times with their obligations in line with the applicable measures; and
- iv. extend full cooperation for the effective implementation and enforcement.

All concerned are hereby being advised that no authorisation or clearance will be given by the Authority unless there is full compliance.

Port Notice 03/2022 is hereby being revoked.

**Captain Fritz Farrugia**  
**Chief Officer & Harbour Master**  
**Ports & Yachting Directorate**



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