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Repubblika ta' Malta Ministeru għall-Finanzi Dipartiment tat-Teżor

Hruġ ta' Stocks tal-Gvern ta' Malta Hruġ Magħqud (Combined Issuance)

3.00% Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta 2030 (IV)

Investituri mhux Professjoni (Retail) - ISIN: MT0000014028

Investituri Wholesale (B' Irkant) - ISIN: MT0000014036

Wara l-ħlas tal-ewwel imghax l-istock jingħaqad taħt ISIN: MT0000014044

u

3.50% Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta 2035 (III)

Investituri mhux Professjoni (Retail) - ISIN: MT0000014051

Investituri Wholesale (B' Irkant) - ISIN: MT0000014069

Wara l-ħlas tal-ewwel imghax l-istock jingħaqad taħt: ISIN: MT0000014077

Hruġ Magħqud (Combined Issuance) ta' Euro 300,000,000 soġġett għal Dritt li jiżdied b'ammont sa massimu ta' Euro 150,000,000 oħra fil-każ li d-domanda tkun aktar mill-ammont offrut

Data taċ-Ċirkolari tal-Offerta: 7 ta' Frar, 2025

ĊIRKOLARI TAL-OFFERTA

1. Hruġ ta' Stocks tal-Gvern ta' Malta

L-Accountant General qiegħed joffri s-somma totali ta' Euro 300,000,000 nominali, fi Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta, f'xi wieħed jew f'kull wieħed minn dawn iż-żewġ Stocks imsemmija hawn taħt:

- (1) **3.00% Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta 2030 (IV); u**
- (2) **3.50% Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta 2035 (III).**

2. Generali

Din iċ-Ċirkolari tal-Offerta qiegħda tinħareg skont l-artikolu 25(1) tal-Att dwar Self tal-Gvern u l-Amministrazzjoni tad-Dejn Pubbliku (Kap. 575 tal-Ligijiet ta' Malta), ir-regola 6(3) tar-Regolamenti tal-istocks tal-Gvern ta' Malta u skont l-arrangamenti kif deskritti fil-Prospett Generali tal-istocks tal-Gvern ta' Malta relatati mal-hruġ ta' Stocks tal-Gvern ta' Malta ppublikat fil-Gazzetta tal-Gvern tat-30 ta' Novembru 2018 flimkien mal-emendi sussegwenti li ġew ippubblikati tramite Notifikazzjoni tal-Gvern Nru. 176 ippubblikat fil-Gazzetta tal-Gvern ta' nhar il-Ħamis id-9 ta' Frar 2023. It-termini tal-Prospett Generali jaapplikaw ghall-istocks tal-Gvern ta' Malta msemmija aktar 'l fuq u ghall-metodu li bih qeqħdin jinħarġu (ħruġ magħqud) ħlief meta specifikament jiġi provdut mod ieħor.

Il-Malta Stock Exchange plc, kumpanija pubblika b' responsabbiltà limitata legalment irreġistrata u validament eżistenti taħt il-ligijiet ta' Malta bin-numru tar-registrazzjoni tal-kumpanija C 42525 u bl-uffiċċju tagħha rregistrat f' Garrison Chapel, Castille Place, il-Belt Valletta, VLT 1063, Malta, ġiet appuntata esklusivament bħala Registration Manager tat-Teżor **ghall-parti tal-hruġ intenzjonat ghall-investituri mhux professjonali (retail)**.

3. Hlas ta' Mgħax

L-imghax fuq kull Stock jithallas kull sitt xhur b'lura u jinħadem skont sub-artikoli 4.1 (a) sa 4.1 (d) tal-Prospett Generali.

(a) Imghax bir-rata ta' 1.50% tat-3.00% Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta 2030 (IV) jithallas kull sitt xhur b'lura fil-5 ta' Mejju u fil-5 ta' Novembru ta' kull sena waqt il-kors tal-istock ħlief għall-ewwel ħlas ta' mgħax li jsir fil-5 ta' Mejju 2025 kif ġej:

(i) Fil-każ ta' applikazzjonijet sottomessi mill-membri tal-pubbliku taħt sub-artikolu 5 (a) aktar 'l ifsel (ħruġ mhux kompetitiv) li jiġu aċċettati, l-ewwel ħlas ta' mgħax isir bir-rata ta' 0.580110% u jkopri mgħax imħallas b'lura għall-perjodu mill-24 ta' Frar 2025 (id-data tal-ħruġ) sal-4 ta' Mejju 2025 (iż-żewġ dati inkluži);

(ii) Fil-każ ta' offerti sottomessi minn investituri wholesale taħt sub-artikolu 5 (b) aktar 'l ifsel (ħruġ b'irkant) li jiġu aċċettati, l-ewwel ħlas ta' mgħax isir bir-rata ta' 0.571823% u jkopri mgħax imħallas b'lura għall-perjodu mid-data meta jsir il-ħlas tal-irkant, il-25 ta' Frar 2025 (id-data tal-ħruġ) sal-4 ta' Mejju 2025 (iż-żewġ dati inkluži).

(b) Imghax bir-rata ta' 1.75% tat-3.50% Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta 2035 (III) jithallas kull sitt xhur b'lura fit-18 ta' Ĝunju u fit-18 ta' Diċembru ta' kull sena waqt il-kors tal-istock ħlief għall-ewwel ħlas ta' mgħax li jsir fit-18 ta' Ĝunju 2025 kif ġej:

(i) Fil-każ ta' applikazzjonijet sottomessi mill-membri tal-pubbliku taħt sub-artikolu 5 (a) aktar 'l ifsel (ħruġ mhux kompetitiv) li jiġu aċċettati, l-ewwel ħlas ta' mgħax isir bir-rata ta' 1.096154% u jkopri mgħax imħallas b'lura għall-perjodu mill-24 ta' Frar 2025 (id-data tal-ħruġ) sas-17 ta' Ĝunju 2025 (iż-żewġ dati inkluži);

(ii) Fil-każ ta' offerti sottomessi minn investituri wholesale taħt sub-artikolu 5 (b) aktar 'l ifsel (irkant) li jiġu aċċettati, l-ewwel ħlas ta' mgħax isir bir-rata ta' 1.086538% u jkopri mgħax imħallas b'lura għall-perjodu mid-data meta jsir il-ħlas tal-irkant, il-25 ta' Frar 2025 (id-data tal-ħruġ) sas-17 ta' Ĝunju 2025 (iż-żewġ dati inkluži).

4. Maturità

L-istocks li ser jinħarġu ser jinfidew kif jidher hawn taħt:

- (a) **It-3.00% Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta 2030 (IV)** għandu jinfeda b'paritā fil-5 ta' Novembru 2030; u
- (b) **It-3.50% Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta 2035 (III)** għandu jinfeda b'paritā fit-18 ta' Diċembru 2035.

5. Hruġ u Metodu ta' kif isiru l-Applikazzjonijiet

Il-hruġ tal-istocks tal-Gvern ta' Malta għandu jsir permezz ta' hruġ magħqu (combined issuance) magħmul minn żewġ elementi, (1) porzjon ta' hruġ mhux kompetittiv tipikament għas-settur ta' investituri mhux professjonal (retail) u fl-istess hin, (2) porzjon ta' hruġ b'irkant kompetittiv ghall-investituri wholesale.

a) Investituri mhux Professjonal (Retail Investors):

Applikazzjonijiet fil-parti mhux kompetittiva tal-hruġ jistgħu jsiru minn investituri eligibbli mhux professjonal (retail) f'isimhom għall-benefiċċju tagħhom jew flimkien ma' individwu eligibbli wieħed jew aktar. L-applikazzjonijiet għandhom isiru skont is-sub-artikolu 6.2 sa sub-artikolu 6.7 tal-Prospekt Ĝenerali.

i) Applikazzjonijiet magħmula taħt il-hruġ mhux kompetittiv għandhom isiru għal minimu ta' €100 sa ammont massimu ta' €499,900 nominali kull persuna f'multipli ta' €100, f'xi wieħed jew aktar miż-żewġ Stocks, bil-prezz fiss li jiġi stabilit għal kull Stock skont Artiklu 7 tal-Prospekt Ĝenerali.

ii) L-applikazzjonijiet kollha għandhom isiru fuq il-formola preskritta. Formoli tal-applikazzjoni jistgħu jinkisbu mingħand u jiġi depożitati għand il-membri kollha tal-Borża ta' Malta u Provdituri ta' Servizzi ta' Investiment oħra awtorizzati, sa mhux aktar tard mid-data u l-ħin tal-gheluq kif indikat fl-Artikolu 6 (a) aktar 'l-isfel. L-Applikazzjonijiet jistgħu jitniżżlu wkoll minn fuq is-sit elettroniku tat-Teżor (<https://treasury.gov.mt/formoli-tapplikazzjoni/>).

iii) Applikazzjonijiet li jsiru f'isem 'Nominee a/c' u/jew 'Clients a/c' għan-nom ta' klijenti jiġu accettati biss jekk dawn ikollhom magħħom lista' bin-numru tal-karta tal-identità, jew fil-każ ta' korp ġuridiku, in-numru ta' identità relevanti tal-klijenti rispettivi tagħhom. L-ammont li jaġi kawwaw għal klijenti waħda u/jew żewġ persuni jew aktar flimkien li jissotomettu applikazzjoni taħt 'Nominee a/c' u/jew 'Clients a/c' ma jistgħux jeċċedu €499,900 nominali kull persuna f'xi wieħed jew aktar miż-żewġ Stocks.

b) Investituri Wholesale (Irkant):

L-applikazzjonijiet fil-parti kompetittiva tal-hruġ għandhom isiru permezz ta' offerti b'irkant b'mod kompetittiv skont Artikolu 8 tal-Prospekt Ĝenerali.

i) Kull applikazzjoni f'xi wieħed jew aktar miż-żewġ Stocks għandhom ikunu magħmulin f'offerti b'irkant għal minimu ta' €500,000 nominali u f'multipli ta' €500,000. Applikanti taħt din il-kategorija ma jistgħux jaġi kawwaw ukoll taħt is-sub-artiklu 5 (a).

ii) Offerti li jridu jsiru fuq il-formoli preskrittivi għandhom jintbagħtu permezz ta' e-mail fl-indirizzi indikati fuq il-formola tal-applikazzjoni jew permezz ta' fax fuq 2596 7210 jew jintefgħu fil-Kaxxa tal-Offerti tat-Teżor, il-Floriana u għandhom jaślu sa mhux aktar tard mid-data u l-ħin tal-gheluq kif indikat fl-Artikolu 6 (b) aktar 'l-isfel.

iii) Formoli tal-applikazzjoni jistgħu jinkisbu mingħand il-membri kollha tal-Borża ta' Malta u Provdituri ta' Servizzi ta' Investiment oħra awtorizzati, jew jistgħu jitniżżlu wkoll minn fuq is-sit elettroniku tat-Teżor (<https://treasury.gov.mt/formoli-tapplikazzjoni/>).

c) L-Accountant General jirriżerva d-dritt li jirrifjuta kull applikazzjoni jew parti minnha sottomessa kemm (i) fil-parti mhux kompetittiva tal-ħruġ (retail) jew (ii) fil-parti kompetittiva tal-ħruġ (irkant).

d) Ebda applikazzjoni ma tista' tigi rtirata wara l-ħin tal-ġħeluq.

6. Ftuh u Hin tal-Ġħeluq tal-Applikazzjonijiet għall-Investituri Mhux Professjonali (retail) u tal-Offerti b'Irkant

L-applikazzjonijiet jifthu u jagħlqu fil-ħinijiet u d-dati kif indikati f'paragrafi 6(a) u 6(b) aktar 'l isfel, jew aktar kmieni fid-diskrezzjoni tal-Accountant General:

a) Investituri mhux professjonali (Retail):

L-applikazzjonijiet mill-investituri mhux professjonali (retail) jifthu **t-Tnejn , is-17 ta' Frar 2025 fit-8.30 a.m. u jagħlqu l-Erbgħa, d-19 ta' Frar 2025 fis-2.30 p.m.**

b) Wholesale (Irkant):

Wara l-ġħeluq tal-applikazzjonijiet għall-investituri mhux professjonali (retail) ser ikun hemm irkant għall-investituri wholesale. L-applikazzjonijiet magħmulin f'offerti kompetittivi, jifthu nhar **il-Ġimgħa, l-21 ta' Frar 2025 fit-8.30 a.m. u jagħlqu f'nofsinhar (CET) tal-istess ġurnata.**

7. Pubblikazzjoni tal-Prezz Fiss Marbut mal-Parti tal-Ħruġ Mhux Kompetittiv (Retail)

L-Accountant General iħabbar il-prezz fiss għal kull Stock offrta taħt il-parti mhux kompetittiva ta' dan il-ħruġ intenzjonat għall-investituri mhux professjonali (retail) nhar **il-Hamis, it-13 ta' Frar 2025** wara l-ġħeluq tas-suq sekondarju tal-Borża ta' Malta. Il-prezzijiet fissi jiġu ppubblikati mid-Dipartiment tal-Informazzjoni tal-Gvern ta' Malta permezz ta' Stqarrija għall-Istampa u jiġu ppubblikati wkoll fuq is-sit elettroniku tat-Teżor (<https://treasury.gov.mt/stock-tal-gvern-ta-malta/>).

8. Allokazzjoni

L-Allokazzjoni ssir skont is-sub-artikoli 10.1 (a) sa 10.1 (e) tal-Prospett Ģenerali tal-istock tal-Gvern ta' Malta. L-applikazzjonijiet sottomessi mill-investituri mhux professjonali (retail) li applikaw bil-prezz fiss imħabbar minn qabel taħt il-parti mhux kompetittiva tal-ħruġ ser jiġu allokat i-ewwel.

9. Għażla ta' Over-allotment

Is-somma ta' flus li għandha tingabar f'xi wieħed jew aktar miż-żewġ Stocks tkun ta' Euro 300,000,000. L-Accountant General jirriserva d-dritt li jżid is-somma li għandha tingabar b'ammont addizzjonali sa massimu ta' Euro 150,000,000 oħra f'każ li d-domanda tkun aktar mill-ammont offrut.

10. Fungibility

L-Accountant General iżomm id-dritt li joħroġ, fil-futur, ammonti addizzjonali minn kull Stock imsemmi fi tranches oħra. Fil-każ ta' aktar ħruġ minn dawn l-istocks, huma jkollhom l-istess driddi jippani bħall-istocks eżistenti, u jkunu soġġetti għall-istess termini u kondizzjonijiet li jaapplikaw għal dawn l-istocks. Fil-każ li dawn l-istocks jerġgħu jinħarġu fil-futur dawn għandhom jiġi integrati mal-istock eżistenti u jitqiesu bħala Stock wieħed.

11. Negozju fil-Borża ta' Malta

a) Skont l-Att dwar is-Swieq Finanzjarji (Kap. 345 tal-Ligijiet ta' Malta), saret applikazzjoni għand l-Awtorità għas-Servizzi Finanzjarji ta' Malta biex kull Stock jiġi elenkat fil-Lista Uffiċċjali u jkun jista' jiġi negozjat fis-suq regolat tal-Borża ta' Malta.

b) Fil-5 ta' Mejju 2025 wara l-pagament tal-ewwel imghax kif muri f'sub-artikoli 3(a) (i) u 3(a) (ii) kull ammont allokat fit-3.00% Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta 2030 (IV) jiġi integrat u wara jitqies bħala Stock wieħed taħt ISIN MT0000014044.

c) Fit-18 ta' Ġunju 2025 wara l-pagament tal-ewwel imghax kif muri f'sub-artikoli 3(b) (i) u 3(b) (ii) kull ammont allokat fit-3.50% Stock tal-Gvern ta' Malta 2035 (III) jiġi integrat u wara jitqies bħala Stock wieħed taħt ISIN MT0000014077.

12. Hlas ghall-Bejgh tal-istocks

a) Investituri mhux Professjonalni (Retail):

L-ammont dovut mingħand l-investituri mhux professjonalni (retail) għall-applikazzjonijiet magħmula taħt il-parti tal-hruġ mhux kompetittiv għandu jithallas mal-applikazzjoni skont is-sub-artikolu 13.1 (a) tal-Prospett Ġenerali.

b) Investituri Wholesale (Irkant):

L-offerenti li l-offerti tagħhom jiġu milquġha fl-irkant għandhom iħallsu l-ammont dovut skont is-sub-artikoli 13.1 (b) sa 13.1 (e) tal-Prospett Ġenerali. Għaldaqstant, il-ħlas tal-offerti milquġha għandu jsir sa mhux aktar tard **mill-10.00 ta' filghodu (CET) tat-Tlieta, l-25 ta' Frar 2025 skont il-konvenzjoni tas-suq T+2.**

13. Liġi Applikabbli u ġurisdizzjoni

Il-legislazzjoni rilevanti li taħħtha qiegħdin jinħarġu l-istocks tal-Gvern ta' Malta hi (a) l-Att dwar Self tal-Gvern u l-Amministrazzjoni tad-Dejn Pubbliku (Kap. 575 tal-Ligijiet ta' Malta), (b) ir-Regolamenti dwar l-istocks tal-Gvern ta' Malta u (c) l-Prospett Ġenerali tal-istock tal-Gvern ta' Malta.

Kull proċeduri legali li jkollhom x'jaqsmu ma' dawn il-prospetti li jirregolaw il-hruġ tal-istocks tal-Gvern ta' Malta għandhom ikunu regolati u nterpretati skont il-ligijiet ta' Malta. Il-Qrati Maltin għandhom ġurisdizzjoni esklussiva biex jisimgħu u jiddeċiedu f'kull tilwima li tista' tinqala' taħt dawn il-prospetti.

14. Klawsoli ta' Azzjonijiet Kollettivi (KAK)

Dawn l-istocks huma soġġetti għall-Klawsoli ta' Azzjonijiet Kollettivi li sommarju tagħhom jinsab fil-Prospett Ġenerali tal-istock tal-Gvern ta' Malta. Il-KAK shah u fid-dettal kollu tagħhom jinsab fuq is-sit elettroniku tat-Teżor (<https://treasury.gov.mt/klawzoli-ta-azzjoni-kollettiva/>). Skont id-deċiżjoni tal-Kunsill Ewropew tal-24 u l-25 ta' Marzu 2011, u skont paragrafu 3 tal-Artikolu 12 tat-Trattat li jistabbilixxi l-Mekkaniżmu ta' Stabbilità Ewropea (ESM), il-mudell KAK sar mandatorju għat-titoli ġoddha tal-gvern li jimmaturaw 'l fuq minn sena maħruġa mill-pajjiżi taż-żona euro, mill-1 ta' Jannar 2013 'il-quddiem.

Nota: Il-valur tal-investiment jista' jitla' jew jinżel matul iż-żmien li l-istock ikun fis-suq.

It-Teżor

Direttorat tal-Amministrazzjoni tad-Dejn Pubbliku

Il-Furjana - Malta



Republic of Malta Ministry for Finance Treasury Department

Issue of Malta Government Stocks Combined Issuance

3.00% Malta Government Stock 2030 (IV)

Retail Investors - ISIN: **MT0000014028**

Wholesale Investors (Auction) - ISIN: **MT0000014036**

ISIN following the merge of the Stock after the first interest payment:

MT0000014044

and

3.50% Malta Government Stock 2035 (III)

Retail Investors - ISIN: **MT0000014051**

Wholesale Investors (Auction) - ISIN: **MT0000014069**

ISIN following the merge of the Stock after the first interest payment:

MT0000014077

Combined Issuance of Euro 300,000,000 subject to an over-allotment option up to a maximum of Euro 150,000,000 in the event of oversubscription

Date of issue of the Offering Circular: 7th February, 2025

OFFERING CIRCULAR

1. Issuance of Malta Government Stocks

The Accountant General is offering an aggregate nominal amount of Euro 300,000,000 of Malta Government Stocks which are being offered and made available in any one or any combination of the following two stocks:

- (1) **3.00% Malta Government Stock 2030 (IV);** and
- (2) **3.50% Malta Government Stock 2035 (III).**

2. General

This Offering Circular is issued in terms of article 25(1) of the Government Borrowing and Management of Public Debt Act (Cap. 575 of the Laws of Malta), Regulation 6(3) of the Malta Government Stocks Regulations and in terms of the arrangements described in the General Prospectus of the Malta Government Stocks related to the issuance of Malta Government Stocks published on the Government Gazette of the 30th November 2018 together with its subsequent amendments published by virtue of Government Notice No. 176 in the Government Gazette of Thursday the 9th of February 2023. The terms of the General Prospectus apply to the above Malta Government Stocks and to the combined issuance described in this Offering Circular except where expressly varied.

The Malta Stock Exchange plc, a public limited liability company duly registered and validly existing under the laws of Malta with company registration number C 42525 and with its registered office at Garrison Chapel, Castille Place, Valletta, VLT 1063, Malta has been appointed as exclusive Registration Manager to The Treasury Department in relation to the **non-competitive part of this issuance intended for retail investors.**

3. Payment of Interest

Interest on each Stock is payable half yearly in arrears and is calculated in accordance with sub-articles 4.1(a) to 4.1(d) of the General Prospectus.

(a) Interest at the rate of 1.50% in respect of the 3.00% Malta Government Stock 2030 (IV) shall be payable semi-annually in arrears on the 5th of May and the 5th of November in every year for the duration of the Stock save for the first interest payment which will be on the 5th of May 2025 as follows:

(i) In the case of accepted applications submitted by members of the public under sub-article 5 (a) below (non-competitive issue), the first interest payment will be made at the rate of 0.580110% and will include accrued interest for the period from the 24th of February 2025 (the issue date) up to and including the 4th of May 2025 (both dates inclusive);

(ii) In the case of accepted bids submitted by wholesale investors under sub-article 5 (b) (auction system), the first interest payment will be made at the rate of 0.571823% and will include accrued interest for the period from the settlement date of the auction, the 25th of February 2025 (the issue date) up to and including the 4th of May 2025 (both dates inclusive).

(b) Interest at the rate of 1.75% in respect of the 3.50% Malta Government Stock 2035 (III) shall be payable semi-annually in arrears on the 18th of June and the 18th of December in every year for the duration of the Stock save for the first interest payment which will be paid on the 18th of June 2025 as follows:

(i) In the case of accepted applications submitted by members of the public under sub-article 5 (a) below (non-competitive), the first interest payment will be made at the rate of 1.096154% and will include accrued interest for the period from the 24th of February 2025 (the issue date) up to and including the 17th of June 2025 (both dates inclusive);

(ii) In the case of accepted bids submitted by wholesale investors under sub-article 5 (b) below (auction system), the first interest payment will be made at the rate of 1.086538% and will include accrued interest for the period from the

settlement date of the auction, the 25th of February 2025 (the issue date) up to and including the 17th of June 2025 (both dates inclusive).

4. Maturity

The Stocks on issue shall be redeemed as follows:

- (a) The **3.00% Malta Government Stock 2030 (IV)** will be repaid at par on the **5th of November 2030**; and
- (b) The **3.50% Malta Government Stock 2035 (III)** will be repaid at par on the **18th of December 2035**.

5. Issuance and Method of Application

The issuance of the Malta Government Stocks shall be done by way of combined issuance, composed of two elements, (1) a portion by non-competitive issuance typically for retail investors and simultaneously, (2) a portion by competitive auction for wholesale investors.

a) Retail Investors:

Applications for the non-competitive part of the issuance can be made by eligible retail investors in their own name for their own benefit or jointly with one or more eligible persons. The applications shall be made in accordance with sub-article 6.2 to sub-article 6.7 of the General Prospectus.

i) Application forms submitted under the non-competitive element of the issuance must be made for a minimum of €100 up to a maximum amount of €499,900 nominal per person in multiples of €100 in any or each of the two Stocks at the fixed price to be established for each Stock in accordance with Article 7 of the General Prospectus.

ii) All applications are to be made on the prescribed form. Application forms may be obtained from and lodged with any of the members of the Malta Stock Exchange and other Authorised Investment Service Providers by not later than the closing date and time indicated at Article 6 (a) below. The Applications can also be downloaded from Treasury's website at (<https://treasury.gov.mt/en/application-forms/>).

iii) Applications in the name of 'Nominee a/c' and/or 'Clients a/c' for and on behalf of clients will only be accepted if accompanied by a list showing the identity card number or in case of a body corporate, the relevant identification number of their respective clients. The amount applied for by any single person or jointly with one or more eligible person as joint applicants, listed under the 'Nominee a/c' and/or 'Clients a/c' must not exceed €499,900 in nominal value per person in any or each of the two Stocks.

b) Wholesale investors (Auction):

The applications for the competitive part of the issuance shall be made on a competitive basis by auction in accordance with Article 8 of the General Prospectus.

(i) Each application in any or each of the two Stocks must be in the form of a competitive bid for a minimum nominal value of €500,000 and in multiples of €500,000 each thereafter. Applicants under this category are precluded from applying also under sub-article 5 (a).

(ii) Bids on the prescribed application forms are to be transmitted by e-mail at the e-mail addresses indicated on the application form or by fax on 2596 7210 or lodged by hand at the Treasury Tender Box at the Treasury's premises in Floriana and are to be received by not later than the closing date and time indicated at Article 6 (b) below.

(iii) Application forms may be obtained from all members of the Malta Stock Exchange, other authorised Investment Service Providers or downloaded from Treasury's website at (<https://treasury.gov.mt/en/application-forms/>).

c) The Accountant General reserves the right to reject any application or part thereof submitted either in the (i) non-competitive part (retail) or (ii) competitive part of the issuance (auction).

d) All applications will be irrevocable after the closing time.

6. Opening and Latest Time for Submission of Retail Applications and Auction Bids

The applications open and close on the time and dates as indicated in paragraphs 6(a) and 6(b) below, or earlier at the discretion of the Accountant General:

a) Retail Investors

Applications for retail investors open at **8.30 a.m. on Monday, the 17th of February 2025** and close at **2.30 p.m. on Wednesday, the 19th of February 2025**.

b) Wholesale Investors (Auction)

After the closure of the application window reserved for retail investors, there shall be a bidding window for wholesale investors. Applications (bids) for participation in the competitive auction open at **8.30 a.m. on Friday, the 21st of February 2025** and close on **the same day at noon (CET)**.

7. Publication of the Fixed Price linked to the Non-Competitive part of the Issue (Retail)

The Accountant General will announce the fixed price of each Stock offered under the Non-competitive element of the combined issuance (Retail) on **Thursday, the 13th of February 2025**, after the close of business of the secondary market of the Malta Stock Exchange. The fixed price will be published by a Press Release to be issued by the Department of Information of the Government of Malta as well as on Treasury's website (<https://treasury.gov.mt/en/dmd-news/>).

8. Allotment

Allotment will be made in accordance with sub-articles 10.1(a) to 10.1(e) of the Malta Government Stock General Prospectus. Retail investors who applied at the pre-announced fixed price under the non-competitive element of the issuance will be allocated first.

9. Over-allotment Option

The sum of money to be raised in any one or any combination of the two Stocks shall in the aggregate be Euro 300,000,000. The Accountant General reserves the right to increase the sum of money to be raised by an additional amount of up to a maximum of Euro 150,000,000 in the event of oversubscription.

10. Fungibility

The Accountant General reserves the right to issue, in future, additional amounts of each of the mentioned Stocks in further tranches. In the event of such further issues of these Stocks, they will carry the same rights as the existing Stocks and will be subject to the terms and conditions applicable to these Stocks. Further issues of these Stocks will be integrated with the respective existing Stock and will be deemed to be one Stock.

11. Trading on the Malta Stock Exchange

- a) Pursuant to the Financial Markets Act (Cap. 345 of the Laws of Malta), an application has been made to the Malta Financial Services Authority for the Stocks to be admitted to the Official List of the Malta Stock Exchange (MSE) and to be admitted for trading on the MSE's regulated market.
- b) On the 5th of May 2025 after the payment of the first interest as indicated in sub-articles 3(a) (i) and 3(a) (ii) any amount allotted in the 3.00% Malta Government Stock 2030 (IV) shall be integrated and thereafter shall be deemed to be one Stock under ISIN MT0000014044.
- c) On the 18th of June 2025 after the payment of the first interest as indicated in sub-articles 3(b) (i) and 3(b) (ii) any amount allotted in the 3.50% Malta Government Stock 2035 (III) shall be integrated and thereafter shall be deemed to be one Stock under ISIN MT0000014077.

12. Settlement of Payment for Sale of Stock

(a) Retail Investors:

The amount due by retail investors in respect of applications submitted under non-competitive applications shall be settled with the applications in accordance with sub-article 13.1 (a) of the General Prospectus.

(b) Wholesale Investors (Auction):

Successful bidders at the auction shall settle the amount due in accordance with sub-articles 13.1(b) to 13.1(e) of the General Prospectus. For this purpose, the latest time and date for settlement of successful bids shall take place on **Tuesday, the 25th of February 2025 at 10.00 a.m. (CET) on a T+2 basis.**

13. Governing Law and Jurisdiction

The relevant legislation under which Malta Government Stocks are being issued are (a) The Government Borrowing and Management of Public Debt Act (Cap. 575 of the Laws of Malta), (b) the Malta Government Stocks Regulations and (c) the Malta Government Stock General Prospectus.

Any legal proceedings arising under these prospectuses governing the issuance of Malta Government Stocks will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Malta. The Courts of Malta will have exclusive jurisdiction in relation to any dispute that may arise out or in connection with Malta Government Stocks issued under these prospectuses.

14. Collective Action Clauses (CACs)

These Stocks are subject to the Collective Action Clauses, a summarised version of which can be found in the Malta Government Stock General Prospectus. The full terms of the CACs can be found on Treasury's website (<https://treasury.gov.mt/en/collective-action-clauses/>). Pursuant to the decision of the European Council of 24th-25th March 2011, and in accordance with Paragraph 3 of Article 12 of the European Stability Mechanism (ESM) Treaty, the model Collective Action Clauses became mandatory in all new euro area government securities with maturity above one year issued on or after 1st January 2013.

Note: The value of the investment may go up or down during the tenor of the Stock.

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