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MINISTERU TAL-FINANZI

**Ghotja ta' Darba fuq Xiri ta' Sistemi Fotovoltajki
ghall-Użu Domestiku u fuq Xiri ta' Materjal
ta' Insulazzjoni Termika għall-Bjut
ta' Residenzi Domestiċi**

BIEX il-Gvern ikompli jinċentiva l-użu ta' enerġija alternattiva, il-Prim Ministru u l-Ministru tal-Finanzi qed iniedi dawn l-Iskemi li ġejjin biex jinkoraġġixxi l-użu ta' sistemi fotovoltajki għall-użu domestiku, u l-użu ta' materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut ta' residenzi domestiċi.

Id-9 ta' Frar, 2006

SKEMA A

Sistemi Fotovoltajki

1. Tifsir

F'din l-iskema, kemm-il darba r-rabta tal-kliem ma teħtieġx xorta oħra:

'Malta' tfisser il-gżejjer Maltin;

'applikant' tfisser persuna residenti f'Malta, li hija sid ta' residenza f'Malta u li għalget it-18-il sena fid-data ta' l-applikazzjoni jew qabel;

'residenza' tfisser kwalunkwe residenza domestika f'Malta;

'data effettiva' tfisser l-1 ta' Jannar, 2006;

'riċevuta fiskali' tfisser riċevuta kif imfissra fit-Tlettax-il Skeda ta' l-Att ta' l-1998 dwar it-Taxxa fuq il-Valur Miżjud (Att Numru XXIII ta' l-1998) u tinkludi kull regolament magħmul taht l-istess Att;

'sistema fotovoltajka' tfisser apparat għall-użu domestiku li jkun ġie stallat f'residenza, liema apparat jintuża biex permezz tiegħu l-enerġija tax-xemx tiġi mibdula f'enerġija elettrika, liema apparat ikun stallat mas-sistema nazzjonali ta' l-elettriku u liema apparat ikun inxtara minn Malta fid-data effettiva jew wara;

'valur tax-xiri tas-sistema fotovoltajka' tfisser il-valur aħħari tax-xiri tas-sistema fotovoltajka, li tikkonsisti biss fil-panels, fl-inverters u fil-cabling mill-panels għall-inverters, u kif hekk murija fl-irċevuta fiskali.

2. Min jista' japplika għall-ghotja taht din l-Iskema

Din l-Iskema tapplika għall-infiq li jsir darba biss fuq

No. 135

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

**A Once-Only Grant on the Purchase of Photovoltaic
Systems for Domestic Use and on the Purchase
of Thermal Roof Insulation Materials for Roofs
of Domestic Residences**

IN order to further encourage the use of alternative sources of energy, the Prime Minister and Minister of Finance has made the following Schemes that aim to contribute to an increase in the use of photovoltaic systems for domestic use, and an increase in the use of thermal insulation materials for roofs of domestic residences.

9th February, 2006

SCHEME A

Photovoltaic Systems

1. Interpretation

In this Scheme, unless the context otherwise requires:

'Malta' means the islands of Malta;

'applicant' means any person, who is a resident of Malta, is the owner of a residence in Malta and is 18 years of age or over on the day of application;

'residence' means any domestic residence in Malta;

'effective date' means the 1 January, 2006;

'fiscal receipt' means a receipt as defined in the Thirteenth Schedule to the Value Added Tax of 1998 (Act XXIII of 1998) and also includes any regulation made by the same act;

'photovoltaic system' means an appliance for domestic use that is installed in a residence, through which appliance solar energy is converted into electric energy, which appliance is connected to the national electric grid system and which appliance is purchased from Malta on or after the effective date;

'purchase price of photovoltaic system' means the final purchase price of the photovoltaic system, composed only of the panels, inverters and the cabling from the panels to the inverters, and as so depicted on the fiscal receipt.

2. Area of applicability

This Scheme applies to the expenditure that is incurred

il-valur tax-xiri ta' sistema fotovoltajka li jsir mill-applikant fid-data effettiva jew wara. Applikant huwa eligibbli għal għotja waħda biss fuq xiri ta' sistemi fotovoltajki.

3. Infiq li għandu jiġi rrapportat

L-infiq li għandu jiġi rrapportat huwa dwar il-valur tax-xiri tas-sistema fotovoltajka kif muri fl-irċevuta fiskali.

4. Kif wieħed japplika u d-dokumenti li għandhom jiġu pprovduti

(i) Applikazzjonijiet taħt din l-Iskema għandhom isiru fuq il-formola murija fl-Ewwel Skeda li tinsab ma' din l-Iskema u għandu jkun fihom dak it-tagħrif, dettalji u dokumenti kollha kif meħtieġa fl-imsemmija formola u skond din l-Iskema.

(ii) L-applikazzjonijiet għandu jkollhom mehmuża magħhom id-dokumenti li ġejjin:

(a) kopja tal-Karta ta' l-Identita' ta' l-applikant, jew xi dokument uffiċjali ieħor fin-nuqqas ta' Karta ta' l-Identita';

(b) l-irċevuta fiskali originali tal-valur tax-xiri tas-sistema fotovoltajka;

(c) dokument uffiċjali ta' l-azjenda, li tissupplixxi s-sistema fotovoltajka, li jelenka d-dettalji tekniċi ta' dan l-apparat, flimkien mas-*serial numbers* tal-*panels* u ta' l-*inverters* u l-isem u n-numru tal-Karta ta' Identita' tax-xerrej/applikant;

(d) ċertifikat mahruġ minn persuna kwalifikata fl-inġinerija elettrika li tikkonfema d-dettalji tekniċi tas-sistema fotovoltajka mixtrija u stallata;

(e) ċertifikat mahruġ mill-Korporazzjoni Enemalta li jikkonferma li s-sistema fotovoltajka mixtrija tkun giet imqabba mas-sistema nazzjonali ta' l-elettriku;

(f) kopja tal-awtorizzazzjoni jew ta' notifika approvata, kif aċċettata jew mahruġa mill-Awtorità ta' Malta dwar ir-Riżorsi, u dan skond ir-Regolamenti ta' l-2004 dwar l-Elettriku (Avviż Legali numru 511 ta' l-2004);

(g) kull dokument ieħor li l-Ministeru tal-Finanzi jista' jitlob minn żmien għal żmien.

(iii) Ikunu jikkwalifikaw biss għall-għotja msemmija fil-paragrafu 5 ta' din l-Iskema dawk l-applikazzjonijiet li jkunu jikkonformaw mad-dispożizzjonijiet ta' din l-Iskema.

(iv) Ngħarrfu wkoll li s-sistemi fotovoltajki għandhom jiġu stallati biss skond il-linji ta' gwida rigward il-kontroll tal-iżvilupp imposti mill-Awtorità ta' Malta dwar l-

once only on the purchase of a photovoltaic system by the applicant on or after the effective date. The applicant is entitled to only one grant on the purchase of photovoltaic systems.

3. Expenditure to be reported

The expenditure to be reported is in respect of the purchase price of the photovoltaic system as shown on the fiscal receipt.

4. Manner of application and supporting documents

(i) Applications under this Scheme shall be made in the form, set out in the First Schedule to this Scheme and shall contain all the information, details and documents as required in the said form and in terms of this Scheme.

(ii) Applications shall be accompanied by the documents shown hereunder;

(a) a copy of the Identity Card of the applicant, or any other official document in the absence of an Identity Card;

(b) the original fiscal receipt relating to the purchase of the photovoltaic system;

(c) an official document bearing the letter head of the supplier listing the technical details of the photovoltaic system, together with the serial numbers of the panels and the inverters and name and I.D. card number of purchaser/applicant;

(d) a certificate endorsed by an electrical engineer, confirming the technical details of the purchased and installed photovoltaic system ;

(e) an Enemalta Corporation certificate confirming that the purchased photovoltaic system was connected with the national electric grid system;

(f) a copy of the authorisation or approved notification form, as accepted or issued by the Malta Resources Authority in accordance with the Electricity Regulations of 2004 (Legal Notice number 511 of 2004);

(g) any other document which the Ministry of Finance may, from time to time, require.

(iii) Only those applications that are found to conform with the provisions of this Scheme shall be eligible for payment of the grant referred to in paragraph 5 of the Scheme.

(iv) It is hereby also being notified that the photovoltaic systems should be installed strictly as per Malta Environment and Planning Authority (MEPA)

Ambjent u l-Ippjanar (MEPA). F'każ ta' nuqqas ta' osservazzjoni ta' dawn ir-regolamenti l-Ministeru tal-Finanzi jirriserva d-dritt li tittiehed lura l-ghotja kollha li tkun inghatat.

(v) Applikazzjonijiet taht din l-Iskema, inkluż id-dokumenti mehtieġa li jintbagħtu ma' l-applikazzjoni, għandhom ikunu indirizzati lill-Ministeru tal-Finanzi, Maison Demandols Triq Nofsinar, il-Belt Valletta, fi żmien *tliet xhur* mid-data tax-xiri tas-sistema fotovoltajka

5. Ghotja li tithallas taht din l-Iskema

Applikanti li jikkwalifikaw jistgħu japplikaw għall-ghotja ta' darba biss ta' 20% fuq il-valur tax-xiri ta' sistema fotovoltajka ta' kapacita minima ta' wiehed *kilowatt peak, plus or minus five per cent* (1kW +/-5%) u dan sa massimu ta' hames mitt lira maltin (Lm500). Applikanti huma wkoll eligibbli għal ghotja addizzjonali ta' mitejn u hamsin lira maltin (Lm250) għal kull *kilowatt peak, plus or minus five per cent* (1kWp +/-5%) stallati addizzjonali mas-sistema, u dan suggett għal massimu *input power* totali ta' 3.7 *kilowatt peak* (3.7kWp). Porzjonijiet ta' *kilowatt peak* stallati addizzjonalment fuq il-minimu ta' *kilowatt peak* wiehed (1kWp) jiġu trattati *pro rata*.

6. Hlas ta' l-ghotja

L-ghotja tithallas lill-applikant permezz ta' *cheque* fl-indirizz li jidher fuq l-applikazzjoni.

7. Validità ta' l-applikazzjoni

Ma jitqiesx li tkun saret applikazzjoni kemm-il darba din ma tkunx shiħa u dettaljata f'kull aspekk materjali tagħha u kemm-il darba ma jkunx fiha t-tagħrif kollu mehtieġ u kemm-il darba ma jkollhiex meħmuż magħha d-dokumentazzjoni mitluba fl-imsemmija applikazzjoni.

8. Tul ta' din l-Iskema

Din l-Iskema tibqa' fis-seħħ għal żmien ta' sena mill-1 ta' Jannar, 2006 sakemm din l-Iskema ma tiġix mitmuma permezz ta' Notifikazzjoni fil-Gazzetta tal-Gvern, u tiġgedded b'mod awtomatiku għal żminijiet oħra ta' sena l-wiehed sakemm ma tiġix mitmuma permezz ta' Notifikazzjoni fil-Gazzetta.

9. Emendi għall-Iskema

Il-Ministru responsabbli għall-Finanzi iżomm id-dritt li jagħmel kull tibdil f'din l-Iskema bil-pubblikazzjoni ta' dak it-tibdil fil-Gazzetta.

10. Dispożizzjonijiet tranzitorji

Applikazzjonijiet taht din l-Iskema għal sistemi fotovoltajki li nxtraw bejn l-1 ta' Jannar 2006 u d-data tal-pubblikazzjoni ta' din in-Notifikazzjoni, għandhom jitqiesu bħala applikazzjonijiet validi taht din l-Iskema. F'dawn il-

development control guidelines. The Ministry of Finance reserves the right to cause the forfeiture of the grant if such regulations are not adhered to.

(v) Applications under this Scheme, including the documents that are to be submitted with the application, shall be submitted/sent to the Ministry of Finance, Maisons Demandols South Street, Valletta, not later than *three months* from the date of purchase of the photovoltaic system.

5. Grant payable under this Scheme

Eligible applicants may apply for a once-only grant of 20% on the purchase price of a photovoltaic system with a minimum installed size of one kilowatt peak, plus or minus five per cent (1kWp +/-5%) and this subject to a maximum grant of five hundred Maltese Liri (Lm500). Applicants are also eligible to an additional grant of two hundred and fifty maltese liri (Lm250) for every additional installed kilowatt peak, plus or minus five per cent (1kWp +/-5%), subject to a total maximum input power of 3.7 kilowatt peak (3.7kWp). Fractions of a kilowatt peak installed additionally above the minimum of one kilowatt peak(1kWp) are treated *pro rata*.

6. Payment of Grant

The grant will be paid to the applicant by cheque posted to the address shown on the application.

7. Validity of application

An application shall not be deemed to have been submitted unless it is full and complete in all material respects and unless it contains all the information and is accompanied by all the documentation requested therein.

8. Duration of the Scheme

This Scheme shall remain in force for a period of one year from the 1st January, 2006 unless terminated beforehand by a notice in the Government Gazette, and shall be renewed for further periods of one year unless a Notice to the contrary is published in the Gazette.

9. Amendments to the Scheme

The Minister responsible for Finance reserves the right to make any amendments to this Scheme by the publication of the said amendments in the Gazette.

10. Transitory provisions

Applications made under this Scheme for photovoltaic systems purchased between the 1st January 2006 and the date of publication of this Notice shall be deemed to be valid applications under this Scheme. In such cases

kazijiet l-applikazzjonijiet għandhom jintbagħtu *fi żmien tliet xhur* mid-data tal-pubblikazzjoni ta' din in-Notifikazzjoni.

11. Inċentivi Tal-Korporazzjoni Enemalta

Niġbdu l-attenzjoni ta' l-applikanti li l-Korporazzjoni Enemalta qed toffri wkoll skemi ta' inċentivi addizzjonali oħra dwar l-użu ta' sistemi fotovoltajki. Għal aktar informazzjoni dwar dawn l-iskemi wiehed għandu jirrikorri għand il-Korporazzjoni Enemalta.

L-EWWEL SKEDA

(ara l-Applikazzjoni f'paġna 1196)

SKEMA B

Materjal ta' Insulazzjoni Termika għall-Bjut ta' Residenzi Domestiċi

1. Tifsir

F'din l-iskema, kemm-il darba r-rabta tal-kliem ma teħtieġ xorta oħra:

'Malta' tfisser il-gżejjer Maltin;

'applikant' tfisser persuna residenti f'Malta, li hija sid ta' residenza f'Malta u li għalqet it-18-il sena fid-data ta' l-applikazzjoni jew qabel;

'residenza' tfisser kwalunwe residenza domestika f'Malta;

'data effettiva' tfisser l-1 ta' Jannar, 2006;

'riċevuta fiskali' tfisser riċevuta kif imfissra fit-Tlettax-il Skeda ta' l-Att ta' l-1998 dwar it-Taxxa fuq il-Valur Miżjud (Att Numru XX111 ta' l-1998) u tinkludi kull regolament magħmul taħt l-istess Att;

'materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut' tfisser materjal użat permanenti fil-kostruzzjoni ta' saqaf ta' residenza sabiex iżid ir-reżistenza għall-passaġġ tas-sħana f'dak is-saqaf u liema materjal ikun inxtara minn Malta fid-data effettiva jew wara. Il-materjali ta' hawn taħt huma esklużi u ma jistgħux jikkwalifikaw għal din l-ghotja:-

- (i) kontrabejt normali tar-ramel u siment,
- (ii) it-torba tal-bjut,
- (iii) membrani strutturali tal-konkos, ħadid (bħal pjanċi tal-ħadid *corrugated*, sakemm dawn ta' l-aħħar ma jkunux mwahħlin apposta fil-fabbrika ma' l-insulazzjoni termika tal-bjut), ġebli li tinqata' mill-barrieri u njam,
- (iv) *membranes* tal-bjut li fihom il-qatran jew lastiku u *compounds* li jinkludu żebgħa magħmula apposta biex tirrifletti r-raġġi UV,
- (v) xibka li tintuża fl-agrikoltura biex tipprovdi id-dell,

applications shall be submitted within *three months* from the date of publication of this Notice.

11. Enemalta Corporation Incentives

The attention of the applicants is being drawn to the fact that Enemalta Corporation is also offering a number of other additional incentive schemes regarding the use of photovoltaic systems. Further information can be obtained from Enemalta Corporation.

FIRST SCHEDULE

(see Application on page 1196)

SCHEME B

Thermal Insulation Materials for Roofs of Domestic Residences

1. Interpretation

In this Scheme, unless the context otherwise requires:

'Malta' means the islands of Malta;

'applicant' means any person, who is a resident of Malta, is the owner of a residence in Malta and is 18 years of age or over on the day of application;

'residence' means any domestic residence in Malta;

'effective date' means the 1st January, 2006;

'fiscal receipt' means a receipt as defined in the Thirteenth Schedule to the Value Added Tax of 1998 (Act XX111 of 1998) and also includes any regulation made by the same act;

'roof thermal insulation material' means a type of material that is permanently introduced in the roof construction of a residence to improve the resistance to the passage of heat of that building fabric, and which material is purchased from Malta on or after the effective date. The following materials shall be excluded for the purpose of this grant:-

- (i) normal cement/sand screed (*kontrabejt*),
- (ii) stone chippings used for *torba*,
- (iii) structural membranes in concrete steel (such as corrugated steel sheeting unless the latter is factory-bonded to the roof insulation), natural stone and wood,
- (iv) bituminous or rubberised roofing membranes and compounds including paints for UV protection,
- (v) agricultural shading nets,

- (vi) madum tas-siment, ċeramika jew ġebbla li tinqata' mill-barrieri,
 (vii) kull tip ta' oġġett jew struttura li tipprovdi d-dell.

'valur tax-xiri tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut' tfisser il-valur aħhari tax-xiri tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut ta' residenzi domestiċi kif muri fl-irċevuta fiskali.

2. Min jista' japplika għall-għotja taht din l-Iskema

Din l-Iskema tapplika għall-infiq li jsir darba biss fuq il-valur tax-xiri tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut li jsir mill-applikant fid-data effettiva jew wara. Applikant huwa eliġibbli għal għotja waħda biss fuq xiri ta' materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika.

3. Infiq li għandu jiġi rrapportat

L-infiq li għandu jiġi rrapportat huwa dwar il-valur tax-xiri tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut kif muri fl-irċevuta fiskali.

4. Kif wiehed japplika u dokumenti li għandhom jiġu pprovduti

(i) Applikazzjonijiet taht din l-Iskema għandhom isiru fuq il-formula murija fit-Tieni Skeda li tinsab ma' din l-Iskema u għandu jkun fihom dak it-tagħrif, dettalji u dokumenti kollha kif meħtieġa fl-imsemmija formola u skond din l-Iskema.

(ii) L-applikazzjonijiet għandu jkollhom mehmuża magħhom id-dokumenti li ġejjin:

(a) kopja tal-karta ta' l-Identità ta' l-applikant, jew xi dokument uffiċjali ieħor fin-nuqqas ta' Karta ta' l-Identità;

(b) l-irċevuta fiskali oriġinali tal-valur tax-xiri tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut;

(ċ) dokument uffiċjali ta' l-azjenda, li tissupplixxi l-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut, li jelenka d-dettalji ta' dan il-materjal skond kif jidher fil-formola tal-applikazzjoni, flimkien ma' l-isem u n-numru tal-Karta ta' Identità tax-xerrej/applikant;

(d) ċertifikat maħruġ minn perit bil-*warrant* li jiċċertifika li l-materjal mixtri, huwa insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut u li tali insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut ġiet applikata fil-bejt tar-residenza li jidher fl-applikazzjoni, u liema ċertifikat jispeċifika wkoll il-*U-Value* ta' l-insulazzjoni termika kif użata fil-bejt;

(e) kull dokument ieħor li l-Ministeru tal-Finanzi jista' jitlob minn żmien għal żmien.

(iii) Ikunu jikkwalifikaw biss għall-għotja msemmija fil-paragrafu 5 ta' din l-Iskema dawk l-applikazzjonijiet li

- (vi) tiles of cement, ceramic or natural stone material,
 (vii) any shading devices.

'purchase price of roof thermal insulation material' means the final purchase price of the roof insulation material for domestic residences as shown on the fiscal receipt.

2. Area of applicability

This Scheme applies to the expenditure that is incurred once only on the purchase of a roof thermal insulation material for domestic residences by the applicant on or after the effective date. The applicant is entitled to only one grant on the purchase of roof insulation material.

3. Expenditure to be reported

The expenditure to be reported is in respect of the purchase price of the roof thermal insulation as shown on the fiscal receipt.

4. Manner of application and supporting documents

(i) Applications under this Scheme shall be made in the form, set out in the Second Schedule to this Scheme and shall contain all the information, details and documents as required in the said form and in terms of this Scheme.

(ii) Applications shall be accompanied by the documents shown hereunder;

(a) a copy of the Identity Card of the applicant, or any other official document in the absence of an Identity Card;

(b) the original fiscal receipt relating to the purchase of the roof insulation material;

(c) an official document bearing the letter head of the supplier of the roof thermal insulation material, listing details of the roof insulation material as required in the application form and as well as the name and I.D. card number of purchaser/applicant;

(d) a certificate endorsed by a warranted architect certifying that the material purchased is roof thermal insulation and that the roof thermal insulation was applied to the roof of the premises indicated in the application form, and which certificate also specifies the U-Value of the thermal insulation material as applied to the roof;

(e) any other document which the Ministry of Finance may, from time to time, require.

(iii) Only those applications that are found to conform with the provisions of this Scheme shall be eligible for

jkunu jikkonformaw mad-dispożizzjonijiet ta' din l-Iskema.

(iv) Applikazzjonijiet taht din l-Iskema, inkluż id-dokumenti mehtieġa li jintbagħtu ma' l-applikazzjoni, għandhom ikunu indirizzati lill-Ministeru tal-Finanzi, Maison Demandols, Triq Nofsinhar, il-Belt Valletta, fi żmien *tliet xhur* mid-data tax-xiri tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut.

5. Għotja li tithallas taht din l-Iskema

Applikanti li jikkwalifikaw jistgħu japplikaw għall-għotja ta' darba biss ta' 25% fuq il-valur tax-xiri tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut, sa massimu ta' mitt lira Maltija (Lm100).

6. Hlas tal-għotja

L-għotja tithallas lill-applikant permezz ta' *cheque* fl-indirizz li jidher fuq l-applikazzjoni.

7. Validità ta' l-applikazzjoni

Ma jitqiesx li tkun saret applikazzjoni kemm-il darba din ma tkunx shiħa u dettaljata f'kull aspett materjali tagħha u kemm-il darba ma jkunx fiha t-tagħrif kollu mehtieġ u kemm-il darba ma jkollhiex mehmuż magħha d-dokumentazzjoni mitluba fl-imsemmija applikazzjoni.

8. Tul ta' din l-Iskema

Din l-Iskema tibqa' fis-seħħ għal żmien ta' sena mill-1 ta' Jannar, 2006 sakemm din l-Iskema ma tiġix mitmuma permezz ta' Notifikazzjoni fil-Gazzetta tal-Gvern, u tiġġedded b'mod awtomatiku għal żminijiet oħra ta' sena l-wieħed sakemm ma tiġix mitmuma permezz ta' Notifikazzjoni fil-Gazzetta.

9. Emendi għall-Iskema

Il-Ministru responsabbli għall-Finanzi jżomm id-dritt li jagħmel kull tibdil f'din l-Iskema bil-pubblikazzjoni ta' dak it-tibdil fil-Gazzetta.

10. Dispożizzjonijiet tranżitorji

Applikazzjonijiet taht din l-Iskema għall-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut li nxtraw bejn l-1 ta' Jannar 2006 u d-data tal-pubblikazzjoni ta' dan l-avviż, għandhom jitqiesu bħala applikazzjonijiet validi taht din l-Iskema. F'dawn il-każijiet l-applikazzjonijiet għandhom jintbagħtu *fi żmien tliet xhur* mid-data tal-pubblikazzjoni ta' dan l-avviż.

IT-TIENI SKEDA

(ara l-Aplikazzjoni f'pagna 1202)

payment of the grant referred to in paragraph 5 of the Scheme.

(iv) Applications under this Scheme, including the documents that are to be submitted with the application, shall be submitted/sent to the Ministry of Finance, Maisons Demandols South Street, Valletta, not later than *three months* from the date of purchase of the roof thermal insulation material.

5. Grant payable under this Scheme

Eligible applicants may apply for a once-only grant of 25% on the purchase price of the roof thermal insulation material subject to a maximum grant of one hundred Maltese Liri (Lm100)

6. Payment of Grant

The grant will be paid to the applicant by cheque posted to the address shown on the application.

7. Validity of application

An application shall not be deemed to have been submitted unless it is full and complete in all material respects and unless it contains all the information and is accompanied by all the documentation requested therein.

8. Duration of the Scheme

This Scheme shall remain in force for a period of one year from the 1st January, 2006 unless terminated beforehand by a Notice in the Government Gazette, and shall be renewed for further periods of one year unless a Notice to the contrary is published in the Gazette.

9. Amendments to the Scheme

The Minister responsible for Finance shall have the right to make any amendments to this Scheme by the publication of the said amendments in the Gazette.

10. Transitory provisions

Applications made under this Scheme for roof thermal insulation material purchased between the 1st January 2006 and the date of publication of this notice shall be deemed to be valid applications under this Scheme. In such cases applications shall be submitted within *three months* from the date of publication of this notice.

SECOND SCHEDULE

(see Application on page 1202)



Numru ta' Referenza

Ministeru tal-Finanzi
Triq Nofsinhar,
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**APPLIKAZZJONI GHAL GHOTJA TA' DARBA FUQ XIRI TA' SISTEMA
FOTOVOLTAJKA GHAL UŻU DOMESTIKU**

Jiena _____ Nru. Tal-I.D. _____ u li noqghod

qed napplika ghal ghotja ta' darba fuq xiri ta' sistema fotovoltajka ghal użu
domestiku.

Mudell u *serial numbers* tal-panels _____

Mudell u *serial numbers* tal-inverters _____

Il-massimu ta' *input power f'kilowatt peak* (kWp) tas-sistema fotovoltajka

Din is-sistema fotovoltajka xtrajta fil-/fl- (data) _____

u nstallajta fir-residenza hawn fuq imsemmija, ***u dan skond il-linji ta' gwida rigward
il-kontroll tal-iżvilupp imposti mill-Awtorita' ta' Malta dwar l-Ambjent u l-Ippjanar
(MEPA).***

Il-valur tax-xiri tas-sistema fotovoltajka huwa ta' Lm _____

Qed nibghat ukoll l-irčevuta fiskali originali tal-valur tax-xiri tas-sistema fotovoltajka.

VAT No. _____

Nitlob sabiex il-għotja tithallas lura kif jidher hawn taht:

Isem _____

Indirizz _____

Niddikjara li d-dettalji u l-informazzjoni f'din l-applikazzjoni huma korretti. Niddikjara wkoll li din it-talba hija waħda finali.

Isem sħiħ ta' l-applikant

Firma

Data

Nru. tat-telefon

Din l-applikazzjoni għandha tkun indirizzata lill-Ministeru tal-Finanzi, Maison Demandols, Triq Nofsinhar, Valletta, flimkien mad-dokumenti meħtieġa fi żmien tliet xhur mid-data tax-xiri tas-sistema fotovoltajka għal użu domestiku.

Id-dokumenti hawn taht imsemmija huma meħtieġa:-

- (i) Kopja tal-karta ta' l-Identita' ta' l-applikant
- (ii) L-irċevuta fiskali oriġinali tax-xiri tas-sistema fotovoltajka għal użu domestiku
- (iii) Dokument uffiċjali, maħruġ mill-azjenda li tkun issupplixxit is-sistema fotovoltajka, li jelenka d-dettalji tekniċi tas-sistema, speċjalment *l-input power* massimu f'*kilowatt peak* (kWp) tas-sistema fotovoltajka mixtrija, flimkien mas-*serial numbers tal-panels u l-inverters* u flimkien ma' l-isem u n-numru tal-Karta ta' l-Identita' tax-xerrej/applikant
- (iv) Ċertifikat maħruġ minn enġinier kwalifikat fl-enerġerija elettriċa li jikkonferma d-dettalji tekniċi tas-sistema fotovoltajka mixtrija w installata
- (v) Ċertifikat maħruġ mill-Korporazzjoni Enemalta li jikkonferma li s-sistema fotovoltajka mixtrija għet imqabba mas-sistema nazzjonali tal-elettriku
- (vi) Kopja tal-awtorizzazzjoni jew ta' notifikazzjoni approvata, kif aċċettata jew maħruġa mill-Awtorita' ta' Malta dwar ir-Riżorsi, u dan skond ir-Regolamenti tal-2004 dwar l-Elettriku (Avviż Legali numru 511 tal-2004)

Ngharrfu wkoll li s-sistema fotovoltajka trid tkun ġiet stallata biss skond il-linji ta' gwida rigward il-kontroll tal-iżvilupp imposti mill-MEPA. F'każ ta' nuqqas ta' osservazzjoni ta' dawn ir-regolamenti l-Ministeru tal-Finanzi jirriserva d-dritt li tittiehed lura l-ghotja kollha li tkun inghatat.

It-taghrif personali mogħti fuq din il-formola huwa protett u użat skond l-Att Dwar il-Protezzjoni u l-Privatezza tad-Data.

It-taghrif mogħti fuq din l-applikazzjoni ser jintuża mill-Ministeru tal-Finanzi u mid-Dipartiment tal-VAT.



Reference Number

Ministry of Finance
South Street,
Valletta
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**APPLICATION FOR A ONCE-ONLY GRANT ON THE PURCHASE OF A
PHOTOVOLTAIC SYSTEM FOR DOMESTIC USE**

I _____ I.D. number _____ residing at

wish to apply for a once-only grant on the purchase of a photovoltaic system for domestic use.

Model and serial numbers of the panels _____

Model and serial numbers of the inverters _____

Maximum input power in kilowatt peak (kWp) of the photovoltaic
system _____

I bought this photovoltaic system for domestic use on the (date) _____

and ***I had it installed strictly as per Malta Environment and Planning Authority***

(MEPA) development control guidelines at the above mentioned residence.

The purchase price of this photovoltaic system is Lm _____

I am also submitting the original fiscal receipt of the purchase of this photovoltaic system

VAT No. _____

I request that payment of the grant will be made as follows:

Name _____

Address _____

I declare that the details and the information in this application are correct. I also declare that this claim is final.

Name in full of applicant

Signature

Date

Tel. number

This application, together with all the relevant documents, is to be submitted/sent to the Ministry of Finance, Maison Demandols, South Street Valletta, within three months from the date of purchase of the photovoltaic system for domestic use.

The following documents are requested:-

- (i) A copy of the I.D. card of the applicant
- (ii) The original fiscal receipt of the purchase of the photovoltaic system
- (iii) An official document, bearing the supplier's letter head, listing the technical details of the photovoltaic system, in particular the maximum input power in kilowatt peak of the purchased system together with the serial numbers of the panels and inverters, and name and I.D. card number of purchaser/applicant
- (iv) A certificate endorsed by an electrical engineer, confirming the technical details of the purchased and installed photovoltaic system
- (v) An Enemalta Corporation certificate confirming that the purchased photovoltaic system was connected with the national grid system
- (vi) A copy of the authorisation or approved notification form, as accepted or issued by the Malta Resources Authority in accordance with the Electricity Regulations of 2004 (Legal Notice number 511 of 2004)

It is hereby being notified that the photovoltaic system should be installed strictly as per MEPA development control guidelines. The Ministry of Finance reserves the right to cause the forfeiture of the grant if such regulations are not adhered to.

Personal information provided on this form is protected and used in accordance with the Data Protection Act.

The information shown on this application form will be used by the Ministry of Finance and the VAT Department



Numru ta' Referenza

Ministeru tal-Finanzi
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**APPLIKAZZJONI GHAL GHOTJA TA' DARBA FUQ XIRI TA' MATERJAL
 TA' INSULAZZJONI TERMIKA GHALL-BJUT TA' RESIDENZI
 DOMESTIČI**

Jiena _____ Nru. Tal-I.D. _____ u li noqgħod

qed napplika għal għotja ta' darba fuq xiri ta' materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut ta' residenzi domestiċi .

Detalji tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut (aġti deskrezzjoni tiegħu)

Dan il-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut xtraju fil-/fl- (data)

u stallajtu fir-residenza f' dan l-indirizz:-

N.B. F'Dawk il-postijiet fejn għad m'hemmx indirizz uffiċċjali, trid tiġi annessa pjanta ta-sit (site plan) fi skala ta' 1/2500 li tindika il-posizzjoni tar-residenza permezz tal-koordinati ġeografici. Din il-pjanta tas-sit trid tkun iffirmata minn perit bil-warrant u trid tindika wkoll in-numru tal-permessi ta' l-istess sit.

Il-valur tax-xiri tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut huwa ta' Lm _____.

Qed nibgħat ukoll l-irċevuta fiskali oriġinali tal-valur tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut.

VAT No. _____

Nitlob sabiex il-ghotja titħallas kif jidher hawn taħt:

Isem _____

Indirizz _____

Niddikjara li d-dettalji u l-informazzjoni f'din l-applikazzjoni huma korretti. Niddikjara wkoll li din it-talba hija wahda finali.

Isem sħiħ ta' l-applikant

Firma

Data

Nru. tat-telefon

Din l-applikazzjoni għandha tkun indirizzata lill-Ministeru tal-Finanzi, Maison Demandols, Triq Nofsinhar, Valletta, flimkien mad-dokumenti meħtieġa fi żmien *tliet xhur* mid-data tax-xiri tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut ta' residenzi domestiċi.

Id-dokumenti hawn taħt imsemmija huma meħtieġa:-

- (i) Kopja tal-karta ta' l-Identita' ta' l-applikant
- (ii) L-irċevuta fiskali oriġinali tax-xiri tal-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut
- (iii) Dokument ufficjali, maħruġ mill-azjenda li tkun issupplixxit il-materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut fejn jelenka d-dettalji fiżiċi u kimiċi tal-insulazzjoni mixtrija, u l-isem u n-numru tal-Karta ta' l-Identita' tax-xerrej/applikant

Id-dettalji fiżiċi u kimiċi tal-materjal tal-insulazzjoni termika iridu jinkludu dan li ġej:-

- (a) taħt liema *standard* sar il-prodott,
- (b) it-*thermal conductivity* 'k' tal-materjal,
- (ċ) taħt liema klassi ta' kontra n-nirien jaqa' l-materjal (*Fire Resistance Class* u *Spread of Flame*),
- (d) id-densita' tal-materjal,
- (e) jekk hux suxxettibli għall-attakk minn *fungi*,

(f) ir-resistenza tal-materjal għal ilma.

Fil-każ ta' prodotti ta' insulazzjoni termika li jaqgħu taħt l-Avviż Legali 270 tal-2001 'Regolamenti tal-2001 dwar Prodotti ta' Kostruzzjoni' tal-Att Numru V tal-2001 'Dwar is-Sigurezza tal-Prodotti', u li huma nklużi fil-lista mandatorja ta' prodotti li hija ppublikata minn żmien għal-żmien mill-*Malta Standards Authority* ikun meħtieġ iċ-ċertifikat CE.

(iv) Ċertifikat maħruġ minn perit bil-*warrant* li jiċċertifika li l-materjal mixtri huwa materjal ta' insulazzjoni termika għall-bjut, li tali materjal gie applikat fil-bejt tar-residenza tal-applikant indikata fl-applikazzjoni, u li tali ċertifikat jispeċifika wkoll l-*U-Value* li din l-insulazzjoni termika tipprovdi meta tkun mqiegħda fil-post.

It-tagħrif personali mogħti fuq din il-formola huwa protett u użat skond l-Att Dwar il-Protezzjoni u l-Privatezza tad-Data.

It-tagħrif mogħti fuq din l-applikazzjoni ser jintuża mill-Ministeru tal-Finanzi u mid-Dipartiment tal-VAT.



Reference Number

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**APPLICATION FOR A ONCE-ONLY GRANT ON THE PURCHASE OF A
ROOF THERMAL INSULATION MATERIAL FOR ROOFS FOR
DOMESTIC RESIDENCES**

I _____ I.D. number _____ residing at

wish to apply for a once-only grant on the purchase of roof thermal insulation material for domestic residences.

Details of the roof thermal insulation material (give a brief description)

I bought this roof thermal insulation material on the (date) _____

and I had it installed at the following residence (write down the address):-

N.B. In the case of a residence with no official address, a 1/2500 scale site plan indicating the location of such residence through the geographical coordinates has to be submitted. This site plan has to be endorsed by a warranted architect and must indicate the reference permit numbers of such a site.

The purchase price of this roof thermal insulation material is Lm _____

I am also submitting the original fiscal receipt of the purchase of this roof thermal insulation material.

VAT No. _____

I request that payment of the grant will be made as follows:

Name _____

Address _____

I declare that the details and the information in this application are correct. I also declare that this claim is final.

Name in full of applicant

Signature

Date

Tel. number

This application, together with all the relevant documents, is to be submitted/sent to the Ministry of Finance, Maison Demandols, South Street Valletta, within three months from the date of purchase of the roof thermal insulation material for domestic residences.

The following documents are requested:-

- (i) A copy of the I.D. card of the applicant
- (ii) The original fiscal receipt of the purchase of the roof thermal insulation material
- (iii) An official document, bearing the supplier's letter head, listing the physical and chemical details of the purchased roof thermal insulation material, and name and I.D. card number of purchaser/applicant

The physical and chemical details of the roof thermal insulation material must include the following:-

- (a) the standard of the manufacture of the material,
- (b) the thermal conductivity 'k' of the material,
- (c) the Fire Resistance Class and Spread of Flame of the material,
- (d) the density of the material,

- (e) whether the material is fungi resistant,
- (f) the water penetrating resistance of the material.

In the case of thermal insulation materials that are listed in Legal Notice number 270 of 2001-‘Regulations of 2001 regarding Construction Products’- of Act V of 2001, regarding the safety of products, and that are included in the mandatory list of products that is published from time to time by the Malta Standards Authority, a CE certificate would be required.

(iv) A certificate endorsed by a warranted architect certifying that the material purchased is roof thermal insulation material, that such roof thermal insulation material was applied to the roof of the applicant’s residence as indicated in this application form, and which certificate specifies also the U-Value that such a thermal insulation material provides when it is applied to the roof.

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The information shown on this application form will be used by the Ministry of Finance and the VAT Department.