

Our Client's name Our Client's address

Reg. No.: 201623711R

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Professional services for Malta FZ LLC (without travel)	Notes	Year 1 €	Year 2 €
Malta free zone company formation fees (without travel)	1.	3,500	550
Assistance to secure office premises within the free zone	2.	1,950	0
Estimated Malta Government registration fees	3.	375	250
Malta FZ corporate bank account opening fees (without travel)	4.	4,950	0
Tax and VAT registration fees	5.	950	0
Estimate of annual accounting and tax fees	6.	0	2,400
Total Healy Consultants Group PLC fees payable this month	7.	11,725	0
Estimate of Healy Consultants Group PLC fees payable after 12 months	8.		3,200

**Note:** this invoice needs to be tailored for each Client. The above services and fees represent the average requirements of our Clients. I recommend you carefully read the notes below to confirm and understand all services required by your Firm, eliminating the risk of unwanted fee surprises during the engagement;

#### Notes to invoice above

 Healy Consultants Group PLC fees to efficiently and effectively complete Malta free zone company registration within <u>5 weeks</u> by i) choosing the optimum regulatory license for our Client's business activities; ii) reserving a free zone company name with the <u>Companies Registry</u>; iii) settling our accountant and lawyer fees and iv) preparing a high quality free zone company incorporation application for the Malta Financial Services Authority (<u>MFSA</u>);

All <u>engagement fees</u> are agreed and paid up front and agree to the fees published on our country web pages. Consequently, there are no hidden fees, surprises or ambushes throughout the engagement. All engagement deadlines are agreed up front in the form of a <u>detailed project plan</u>, mapping out <u>deliverables</u> by week throughout the engagement term;



Every week during the engagement, Healy Consultants Group PLC will email our Client a <u>detailed status</u> <u>update</u>. Our Client is immediately informed of engagement problems together with solutions. Your dedicated engagement manager is reachable by phone, Skype, live chat and email and will communicate in your preferred language;

- Healy Consultants Group PLC will be happy to assist your Firm find a suitable warehouse or industrial space in any of the Malta free zones. Our one-time fee for the same amounts to €1,950. The rental fees will be payable directly to the Free Zone Authority
- 3. This fee is an estimate of government costs payable during your Firm's engagement. For transparency purposes, all government fee payments will be supported by original receipts and invoices. Examples of government costs include i) reserving the free zone company name with the Registry of Companies; ii) preparation of free zone company deeds and articles of association with the court; iii) obtain the trade license and iv) register employees with Employing Training Center (ETC). Following engagement completion, Healy Consultants Group PLC will refund our Client any excess of funds received over actual Government costs paid;
- 4. Healy Consultants Group PLC will be pleased to open a Malta free zone corporate bank account without our Client's travel. It is a time consuming task, and Healy Consultants Group PLC will shelter our Client from the associated administrative challenges. As you can appreciate, it is a difficult task to obtain bank account approval through a newly formed free zone company when shareholders, directors and bank signatories reside overseas. Healy Consultants Group PLC will prepare a business plan for the bank to optimize the probability of corporate bank account approval.

Depending on our Client's business and nationality, there is a 20% probability the banks will request a bank signatory to travel for a one-hour bank interview. Healy Consultants Group PLC will try its best to negotiate with the bank for a travel exemption. If our Client must travel to Malta for corporate bank account opening, Healy Consultants Group PLC will refund our Client €950;

If our Client is not comfortable with only a Malta corporate bank account, Healy Consultants Group PLC will be pleased to open <u>an international corporate bank account</u> (click link) outside of Malta. Examples include New York, Germany, Liechtenstein, Austria, Bulgaria, South Africa, Australia, London, South America or Dubai. All banks will be top tier banks in these countries with excellent internet banking services. Example of our global banking partners include HSBC, Standard Chartered Bank, Citibank, Barclays, Standard bank, ANZ bank, VTB bank, UBS, Credit Suisse;

The banks enjoy the ultimate power of approval of corporate bank account applications. Consequently, guaranteed success is outside of Healy Consultants Group PLC's control. What is inside our control is the preparation and submission of a high-quality bank application that maximizes the likelihood of approval. To date, we enjoy a high approval record because of <u>our global banking relationships</u> and determination.







Global banks continue to tighten corporate bank account opening procedures, their internal compliance departments completing more thorough due diligence of Clients. Consequently, our Clients should expect the bank account approval period to take up to 4 weeks. Furthermore, global banks now require evidence of proof of business in the country where the corporate bank account will be, including sales contracts or lease agreement;

- In accordance with Malta tax regulations, each entity must register for corporate tax and VAT at the <u>Office</u> of the Commissioner for Revenue;
- 6. For an active trading free zone company, these <u>accounting and tax</u> fees are an estimate of Healy Consultants Group PLC fees to efficiently and effectively discharge your annual free zone company accounting and tax obligations. Following receipt of a set of draft accounting numbers from your free zone company, Healy Consultants Group PLC will more accurately advise accounting and tax fees. For a dormant free zone company, Healy Consultants Group PLC fees are only US\$950;
- 7. All fees quoted in this invoice correspond to fees quoted <u>on Healy Consultants Group PLC's website</u>. Please review this invoice carefully to identify errors. During the rush of the business day, it is possible that Healy Consultants Group PLC inadvertently made fee calculation errors, typing errors or omitted services or omitted historic fee payments from Clients. In the unfortunate event you identify invoice errors, please revert to me directly re the same. I apologize in advance if I or my staff made invoice errors;
- 8. Assuming our Clients re-engage Healy Consultants Group PLC in year 2, this fee is an estimate of the fees payable next year, 12 months after the date of free zone company registration;
- 9. The fees quoted in this invoice are a prediction of the fees required to efficiently and effectively complete this engagement in a timely manner. If during the engagement Healy Consultants Group PLC realizes that the project is more complex than anticipated, requiring a large additional investment of time, my Firm will revert to request additional fees;
- 10. Before confirming approval for registration of the company in the applicable zone, the Zone authorities may require our Client to provide i) a feasibility study and ii) an environnmental impact study (EIS) for their manufacturing investment project. To complete the same, Healy Consultants Group PLC will i) prepare a quality business plan to secure confirmation of interest from multiple zones and thereafter ii) prepare and submit a quality feasibility study and EIS to our Client's preferred zone. After review of the documents, the zone authority will also confirm business setup capital including i) exact type of foreign certificate required ii) paid-up capital required to secure the same iii) manufacturing permits and licenses to be secured;

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- 11. Depending on the specific nature of the business of our Client, the FTZ authority and the Maltese Government can require our Client to obtain a manufacturing license before our Client is legally allowed to commence manufacturing operations. If needed, Healy Consultants Group PLC will be happy to assist our Client to i) prepare and collate all the required due diligence documents; ii) obtain and prepare all the required application forms and iii) submit a quality manufacturing license application with the relevant authority. Additional fees will apply for these services;
- 12. Engage Healy Consultants Group PLC to <u>project manage</u> business set up in every country on the planet. We are the best in the <u>world</u> at what we do, timely completing <u>the A to Z</u> of every country engagement;
- 13. In accordance with Malta Free zone company Law, the minimum share capital is €1,200. Before incorporation, at least 20% of the share capital must be deposited into a temporary bank account. To optimize engagement efficiency and minimize delays, Healy Consultants Group PLC is happy to deposit these funds on behalf of our clients;
- 14. If our Client and Healy Consultants Group PLC properly plan this engagement, our Clients will <u>not</u> have to travel during this engagement. Healy Consultants Group PLC will efficiently complete company registration and corporate bank account opening in a timely manner without our Client's presence. Instead, our Client will need to i) sign and get documents legalized in the embassy in their country of origin; and ii) courier the originals to Healy Consultants Group PLC's office;



- 15. Depending on our Client's business and nationality, the Maltese Government may require a special regulatory license to carry on your business in the country. Healy Consultants Group PLC will assist our Client secure license approval; there may be additional engagement fees. However, the Government enjoys ultimate power of approval of free zone company registrations and business licenses;
- 16. In October 2020, the Maltese authorities introduced a <u>mandatory FDI approval requirement</u> for all non-EU investors. The <u>National Foreign Direct Investment Screening Office</u> must be notified of all investments from non-EU companies/ individuals.
- 17. If our Client requires nominee shareholder and director <u>services (click link)</u>, Healy Consultants Group PLC will be pleased to assist. Our fee for professional, passive nominee corporate shareholder amounts to €2,100 per annum. Our fee to be both nominee director and shareholder amounts to €6,600 per annum. Being the sole shareholders and sole director of a Client's free zone company exposes Healy Consultants Group PLC to reputation, litigation and financial risk;
- 18. If required, Healy Consultants Group PLC will be pleased to assist your firm to secure employee visa approvals. Our fee is €4,950 for the first employee, €3,950 for the second employee, €2,950 per employee thereafter. Our employee visa fees includes preparation of a quality visa application and submitting to the correct Government immigration officers. The Government enjoys ultimate power of approval of visa applications. Consequently, guaranteed success is outside of Healy Consultants Group PLC' control. What is inside our control is the preparation and submission of a high quality immigration visa application that maximizes the likelihood of visa approval;
- 19. Some of our Clients request Healy Consultants Group PLC to provide temporary shared <u>office space</u> for 6 months until their preferred business premises is found. If your Firm requires this service, our one-time fee is €950. Monthly rental thereafter is paid directly to the landlord, independently of Healy Consultants Group PLC;



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20. It is important our Clients are aware of their personal and corporate tax obligations in their country of residence and domicile. Let us know if you need Healy Consultants Group PLC help to clarify your local and international annual tax reporting obligations;

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- 21. Monthly, quarterly and mid-year Government tax obligations include quarterly VAT and corporation tax return filing. If you need our help, Healy Consultants Group PLC can complete monthly Government reporting for a monthly fee of €860. Healy Consultants Group PLC monthly support will include i) receive in Dropbox the monthly invoices from our client; ii) label monthly bank statement transactions; iii) preparation and submission of VAT returns and iv) submission of monthly employee payroll reporting;
- 22. Some of our Clients require an <u>immediate Malta solution</u>. With this strategy, within a day Healy Consultants Group PLC can supply our Client i) an existing dormant Malta company number; ii) an already approved Malta corporate bank account number; and iii) a business address. Turnkey solutions are attractive to those entrepreneurs who wish to immediately close a country deal, sign a contract or invoice a customer;
- 23. During the engagement, shareholders and directors' documents may need to be translated into the local language; before the Government and Bank approves free zone company registration and corporate bank account opening respectively. Consequently, our Client should budget for possible additional translation and embassy attestation fees. Either our Client or Healy Consultants Group PLC can complete this administrative task;

As always, Healy Consultants Group PLC will negotiate with all third parties to eliminate or reduce additional engagement costs. For transparency purposes, all third-party fee payments will be supported by original receipts and invoices. Examples of possible third-party payments include i) embassy fees; ii) notary public costs; iii) official translator fees;

- 24. As stipulated on our <u>business website</u> and in section 3 of our engagement letter, Healy Consultants Group PLC will only commence the engagement following i) settlement of our fees and ii) completion and signing of our legal engagement letter;
- 25. Healy Consultants Group PLC will only incorporate your free zone company after 75% of <u>due diligence</u> <u>documentation</u> is received by email. Healy Consultants Group PLC will only open a corporate bank account after 100% of the Client's original due diligence documentation is received by courier;
- 26. During the annual renewal engagement with our Client, our in-house <u>Legal and Compliance Department</u> (click link) reviews the quality and completeness of our Client file. Consequently, Healy Consultants Group PLC may revert to our Client to ask for more up to date <u>due diligence documentation</u>;
- 27. To assist our Clients to minimize foreign exchange costs, we offer the payment in SG\$, Euro, Pounds or €. Kindly let me know in which currency your Firm prefers to settle our fees and I will send an updated invoice, thank you;
- 28. Some of our Clients engage Healy Consultants Group PLC to <u>recruit (click link)</u> local employees. We have a lot of experience in this area and we are quite skilled at securing quality candidates for our Clients;

Thank you for your business and we look forward to working closely with you over the coming weeks as we project manage your Malta business set up engagement.

Best regards,

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