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Statute

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1. Name

1.1 The name of the Association shall be the Malta Model Aircraft Flying Association herein after called the MMAFA or the Association.

2. Definition

2.1 The Malta Model Aircraft Flying Association is a non-profitable Association of people who as a hobby enjoy building and/or flying model aircraft for pleasure and for participation in non-competitive and competitive events.

3. Aims

3.1 The aims of the Association are to foster friendship and understanding between model aircraft enthusiasts, young and old alike and also to promote a general interest in aviation especially the acquisition of a more intimate knowledge of the physics of flight, model aircraft engines, electronics and the operation of radio control equipment.

4. Legal Representation

4.1 The legal representation for the Association shall be vested upon the incumbent President.

4.2 **Ta' Qali Model Aircraft Flying Site**

Any significant issue and/or development which may affect the Malta Model Aircraft Flying site at Ta' Qali must be subject to AGM or EGM approval

5. Membership

5.1 Persons over 18 years of age may join the Association as Full members.

5.1.1 Persons over 65 years of age shall be considered as members who shall pay a reduced rate.

5.1.2 Persons under 18 years may join as Junior members.

5.2 New applicants have to apply on the club Application Form (Annex 1) and shall be seconded by two Committee members.

5.3 The Committee has the right to refuse applications without giving reasons.

5.3.1 A new member shall be subject to a probationary period of 12 months, during which time said member shall not be entitled to a key to the flying site and may not be present alone at the flying site at any time.

5.3.2 A new member may attend but shall not vote at an AGM / EGM held during the probationary period.

5.3.3 At the end of the 12 month probationary period, the member shall be confirmed by the committee with full site access and voting rights provided that the member had conducted himself /herself in accordance with the Statute and Standing regulations.

5.3.4 Membership may be revoked by the committee at any time during the probationary period if said member does not conduct himself/herself in accordance with the Statute and/or Standing regulations and after having ignored verbal and /or written warnings and/or instructions by the Committee to comply.

5.4 The Committee or members may from time to time propose that Full Members be given Honorary Membership. Such Members shall be given such title following a two thirds majority vote in any AGM/EGM.

5.5 The categories of membership are as follows:

- Honorary members
- Full members
- Junior members

- Non-flying members
- Members aged over 65 years
- Family membership

the above hereinafter called "members"

5.6 All members and new member applicants are to declare any interest in any commercial activity involving the use of UAS (Unmanned Aircraft Systems) of any type as this may constitute a conflict of interest with the Association's definition and activity (Art.2)

6. Administration

6.1 The Association shall be governed by a Committee elected by its members every year as set out in article (8.0). The number of members to be elected shall be 7 but not less than 5 at any time and neither the President, Secretary, nor Treasurer may occupy more than one designation at the same time.

6.2 7 Member Committee it shall consist of:

- President
- Vice-President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Public Relations Officer
- Two members

6.3 5 Member Committee it shall consist of:

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Public Relations Office

7. Sub-Committees

7.1 The Committee may delegate work to sub-committees consisting of two or more full members, not necessarily Committee members and chaired by the Vice President.

8. Elections

8.1 Unless there is a vote of no confidence in the Committee, there shall be one election every year during a General Meeting.

8.2 If during an election a tie between nominated members exists, another vote shall be taken to establish who of the tied nominees is to serve on the Committee.

8.3 The President shall be elected by the greatest number of preference votes (P) during elections.

8.4 Elections shall be coordinated by two election tellers who shall be voluntarily chosen from the members present at the meeting.

8.5 Only paid up members and honorary members, excluding any members on probation, are allowed to vote in any election.

9. Nominations

9.1 No member can be nominated for election to the Committee if the said member forms part of the committee of any other radio control model club. Likewise, no Committee member can seek election on the committee of any other radio control model club.

9.1.1 Members who have declared any commercial interest in accordance with art. 5.6 are not eligible to serve on the committee.

9.1.2 Members who are Politically Exposed Persons (PEPs) are not eligible to serve on the committee.

09.2 A member can only be nominated to sit on the Committee if he has been a Full Member for at least two consecutive years.

09.3 Those members of the committee whose term of office has expired may be nominated again to serve a further term.

10. Complaints

10.1 A member who has any complaint shall inform the Committee in writing, and the matter will be brought up during the following Committee meeting.

10.2 When a member makes a protest to the Committee, the member has the right to be present when the protest is discussed at the Committee meeting.

10.3 For disputes arising during or after competitive events, an independent Commission of three members acceptable to both or all parties is to be nominated by the Committee to seek a just solution. The Commission's decision shall be final and binding.

11. Absenteeism

11.1 Every Committee member shall do his utmost to attend all meetings.

11.2 A Committee member who for valid reasons cannot attend a Committee meeting must inform the Secretary in advance. His reasons for absence will be declared and recorded in the minutes book by the Secretary or his stead.

11.3 A Committee member who for invalid reasons is absent from three consecutive Committee meetings may be replaced by a newly elected member.

12. Resignations

12.1 If any Committee member wishes to resign, then he must submit his resignation in writing to the President or the Secretary.

12.1.1 In the event of the resignation of the President, an EGM shall be called within 30 working days and fresh elections shall be held to elect a new President and Committee. In the meantime, the remaining committee members shall continue to administer the Association with the sole task of calling an EGM and holding another election. Existing committee members may be nominated again for re-election together with new nominees who may wish to contest.

12.2 In the event of a resignation of a committee member other than the President, a new committee member shall be appointed from those members who contested the last election in the order of the number of votes cast. Should no such members be available, the committee shall exercise the right to co-opt one member of the association who is fully paid up and has been a member for at least two consecutive years or is an honorary member.

12. 3 If however further members of the committee resign during the term of office, and no nominees from the previous election are still available to serve, an extraordinary general meeting shall be called to seek nominations to fill the vacant positions.

13. Committee meetings

13.1 These shall be held as and when required but not less than four times annually.

13.2 The Secretary shall keep a record of the minutes of every meeting and this record shall be

read by the Secretary for approval by the Committee at the next meeting. If the secretary is absent, another Committee member nominated by the members present may take his place.

13.3 When during a Committee Meeting, the Committee has given equal number of votes for and against the proposal the President shall give the casting vote. The President's vote decides whether the proposal is passed or not. This shall be recorded by the Secretary in the Minutes of the meeting.

14. Other meetings

14.1 An Annual General Meeting must be held every year either in January or February. At this meeting the Treasurer shall present his report audited by two members appointed during the previous AGM. An up-to-date inventory of the Association's material assets shall also be presented.

14.2 An Extraordinary General meeting may be held at any time following a call by any member having the backing of at least one third of the members.

14.3 An Extraordinary General Meeting may be called at any time by the Committee provided that the Secretary or his substitute mails the notice to all members at least seven days before the meeting.

14.4 Only paid-up members are allowed to participate in all the Association's meetings.

15. Quorum

15.1 For a 7 (Seven) Committee: A quorum for Committee Meetings shall consist of at least four members. In addition, the President or the Vice President shall chair the meeting.

15.1.1 For a 5 (Five) Committee: A quorum for Committee Meetings shall consist of at least three members plus a proxy declared by the absentee member. In addition, the President or shall chair the meeting.

15.2 A quorum for General Meetings shall consist of 30 members including the members of the Committee.

16. Membership Fees

16.1 Honorary members shall not pay any membership fees.
Full members shall pay an annual fee of €85
Members aged 65 years and over shall pay an annual fee of €60
Junior members shall pay an annual fee of €55
Family Memberships:€85 for an adult family member and €40 for each junior member
Non flying members shall pay an annual fee of €40

16.2 Membership Fees are to be paid by not later that the end of December for the forthcoming year covering January to December.

16.3 Fees include insurance cover for third party risks at Ta' Qali. Members not paying their fee by the end of February will have their membership terminated.

16.4 The Committee reserves the right to alter these fees if the need arises after approval by a General Meeting.

16.5 Pro-Rata Member Payments applies in accordance with the Application Form Annex 1

16.6 A copy of the Association's third party insurance cover is to be provided to all members.

16.7 Tertiary, University and Specialist Course Students attending education courses of one year duration or more, shall be entitled to a yearly rate of Eur55 (same as junior members) during their Academic course. Such students must provide Official documentation confirming their status**.**

17. Finance

17.1 The Treasurer shall keep an up-to-date record of all income and expenditure incurred by the Association.

17.2 All the expenses incurred by the Association must have the approval of the Committee.

17.3 The Association shall keep records of the incoming and outgoing funds keeping a truthful and clear picture of the financial status of the Association including income tax returns.
17.4 The Committee shall appoint a qualified accountant for the Association, if required.
17.5 The accountant shall co-ordinate and give necessary directions to the Treasurer.
17.6 The Committee shall cause to be kept proper books of accounts and other records in respect of its operations and shall cause to be prepared a statement of accounts in respect of each financial year.
17.7 The accounts of the Association shall be audited by an auditor or auditors to be appointed By the Committee either externally or by appointing two members of the Association. A report must be provided.

18. Rules

18.1 The Committee has the power to issue rules, Policies and Procedures from time to time and every member must abide by these rules. Any rules so made must be communicated by circular to all members and every new member shall be given a copy by the secretary.
18.2 All members shall also abide by all rules and regulations of the European Union Aviation Safety Agency (EASA), and by the M.M.A.F.A Standing Regulations as approved by Transport Malta Civil Aviation Directorate, including any respective amendments.
18.3 Every Committee member shall have the power to stop any member from flying at Ta' Qali if the latter's actions or equipment create a hazard to other members and the public.
18.4 The Committee is also empowered to suspend the membership of any member if said member does not conduct himself / herself in accordance with the Statute and Standing regulations and ignores verbal and/or written warnings and/or instructions by the Committee to comply. However, the committee will, beforehand, have appointed an independent commission made up of three MMAFA members acceptable to both parties as arbiters with the objective of seeking a just solution. The member facing suspension has the right to plead his/her case before this commission.

19. Operation of R/C Equipment

19.1 Members still using 35mHz frequency may only operate their UAS/RC equipment on radio frequencies allocated and available to the MMAFA.

20. Limitation of use of site

20.1 The association has the lease from the Government of Malta of the flying site at Ta' Qali. The association binds itself not to make use of the site for any activity other than aero modelling. Third parties will not be permitted to make use of the site for any activity whatsoever, except for the authorization of the Committee and in adherence with the Governmental Lease agreement. The Association, however, may grant permission to the Aviation Museum Foundation to utilize the site for the occasional (maximum of 14 days annually) positioning flights of its restored aircraft.

21. Dissolution

21.1 In the event of dissolution of the Association, all the property of the Association without any exception shall be liquidated and the proceeds shall be applied in favour of another non-profit organisation with similar purposes as the Association, and selected by the administration in charge of the liquidation.

22. Statute

22.1 A copy of the statute shall be available for downloading on the association's website, www.mmafataqali.com

22.2 For further details regarding procedures, the book "ABC of Chairmanship" by Lord Citrine shall apply.

23. Statute Amendments

23.1 The Statute may be amended only at Annual or Extraordinary General Meetings provided that two-thirds majority of the members present is obtained.

23.2 Proposed amendments are to be submitted in writing to the Secretary at least 14 days before the AGM or EGM.

23.3 In the event that an Extraordinary Meeting is called in order to change the Statute the proposed change is to be submitted along with the signed request by the proposer/s and one third of the paid up members.

24. Pecuniary gains

24.1 The Association may obtain a pecuniary gain from its activities when such gain is not received or credited to any private interest but is exclusively utilised for the purposes of the Association.

24.2 The Association may buy or sell or otherwise deal in goods or services where such activities are exclusively related to its principal purposes.

25. Integrity Officer

25.1 The Association shall appoint an Integrity Officer through a transparent and independent process approved by a simple majority vote of the Committee.

25.2 The Integrity Officer shall be appointed for a term of one year and may be reappointed.

25.3 The Integrity Officer shall be a member of the Association's Committee and shall be independent in the exercise of their functions. The Integrity Officer shall report to the Honorary Secretary of the Association. Any actual or potential conflict of interest shall be declared, and the Integrity Officer shall recuse themselves from any discussion, investigation, or decision in which such a conflict arises.

25.4 The Integrity Officer is responsible for promoting, monitoring, and enforcing integrity, ethics, and good conduct within the Association.

25.5 The Integrity Officer shall act with impartiality, confidentiality, and independence at all times.

25.6 The Integrity Officer Shall:

a) Receive, assess, and investigate complaints or reports related to breaches of integrity, ethics, or misconduct (including corruption, abuse, harassment, and discrimination).
b) Oversee the implementation and enforcement of the Association's Integrity Policies and Code of Conduct.
c) Recommend disciplinary or corrective measures to the appropriate bodies or Disciplinary Committee.

25.7 Independence and Protection

a) The Integrity Officer shall perform their duties without interference from any person or body within the Association.
b) The Integrity Officer shall have access to all relevant documents and information necessary for their work.

c) No person shall be sanctioned or discriminated against for reporting, in good faith, an integrity-related concern to the Integrity Officer.
d) The Association shall ensure adequate resources and protection for the Integrity Officer to carry out their duties effectively.

25.8 Confidentiality

a) All integrity reports, investigations, and related documents shall be treated as confidential.
b) The Integrity Officer shall disclose information only when necessary and in accordance with applicable laws and the Association's regulations.

25.9 Removal

The Integrity Officer may only be removed from office by a two-thirds majority vote of the Committee for serious misconduct, incapacity, or proven conflict of interest.

26. Discipline

26.1 Any member who voluntarily or involuntarily commits offences which infringe the MMAFA rules, policies, procedures M.M.A.F.A Standing Regulations and any other related misconduct will result in disciplinary action. The Committee will review each case on its own merits and will direct disciplinary action as deemed fit in accordance with the below process.

A. **Minor Offence** – Informal Discussion & Verbal Warning.
B. **Serious Offence** – Written Warning.
C. **Very Serious Offence** – Suspension which may lead to Expulsion.

26.2 **Offences leading to verbal warning** – In case of Minor Offences, such as but not limited, to failure to adhere to Association Policies and Procedures, these are normally satisfied with a Verbal Warning from the Committee, and a note of the conversation is kept on file.
In case of three (3) repetitive Minor Offences leading to a Verbal Warning, the third offence will lead to a Written Warning.

26.3 **Offences Leading to Written Warning** - When Serious Offences occur, such as, but not limited to, gross negligence, insubordination to directions by the Committee Members, actions leading to damage or loss to the Association, the member will be issued with a Written Warning.
In case of a second Written Warning offence within a period of one (1) year, the member will be issued with a Final Written Warning which remains valid for one (1) year. Should the member commit any other offence within the one (1) year period, the member may be liable to expulsion. Repetitive similar offence/s within a period of six months can lead to expulsion.

26.4 **Offences Leading to suspension or dismissal –** In case of very serious offences, including but not limited to those outlined below, the Member may be liable to either suspension or outright expulsion.

i. Extremely Gross Negligence
ii. Repetitive offences for which a warning has already been issued
iii. Repetitive or gross insubordination to instructions from the Committee
iv. Stealing, bribery, fraud or wilful damage from/or to Association property.
v. Using physical violence, threatening, harassment, intimidation and/or assault

vi. *Misappropriation of items or goods which are the property of the Association, its members and or its service providers.*

vii. *Serious Criminal offences both within and outside the Association premises that fall within the jurisdiction of the Maltese Court of Justice whereby the Member is found guilty.*

The above is not an exhaustive list but is merely intended as a guideline to explain the gravity of the actions committed in case dismissal is being considered.

Disciplinary Process:

a) Reporting: Following the alleged commission of an offence, a written report by the Integrity Officer will be filed with the Committee containing the details of the case/misconduct.

b) Investigation and Charge: Once the report has been submitted, an investigation into the circumstances of the case will be carried out immediately and a Charge against the member will be issued by the Integrity Officer. The Charge is to be issued within reasonable time and in such a way so as not to prejudice investigations for the Committee to ascertain that a valid case does exist for the member to be so charged.

The Charge shall be made in writing and shall contain a description of the offence and a brief summary of the facts leading to that alleged offence.

c) Contestation: The member being served with such a Charge will have five (5) working days within which to contest the Charge. If the member decides to contest the Charge, this should be done in writing and delivered to the Committee within the afore-mentioned stipulated time period. Where the member does not contest such a Charge, he/she would be deemed to have admitted the Charge whereby the Committee shall deliver judgment.

d) Disciplinary Board: In the case of a Contestation of Charge being duly received by the Committee, the Committee shall appoint a Disciplinary Board which shall be composed of three members, with the Chairperson being a non-member and having Legal Background, and two other members one of which being a member of the Association and the other being a non-member.

e) Hearing: The member will be notified of a date and time that a hearing in front of the Association's Disciplinary Board will be convened, at least five (5) working days prior to the hearing date, when the member will have the opportunity to state his/her own case. If the member so chooses, he/she is free to be assisted by any third party of his/her own choice. In case of a member who does not present himself for the hearing, the case will proceed, and a decision is still taken in his/her absence.

f) Decision: The decision of the Association's Disciplinary Board may be Appealed before the Association's Appeals Board within 5 working days from the delivery of the decision by both parties.

g) **Suspension of member:** A member may be suspended by the Association's Committee during the course of investigations and/or disciplinary proceedings, and/or criminal proceedings, where, in the Committee's opinion, his/her retention is in conflict with his/her membership in the Association.

The period of suspension for alleged offences within the Association will not exceed one (1) year. For alleged criminal offences within and outside the Association there will be no such limit.

If, at the conclusion of the investigations and proceedings into alleged offences within the Association, the member is found not guilty of what he/she had been suspended for, he/she will be fully reinstated in his/her former post.

In the case of members found not guilty of alleged criminal cases outside the Association, the member will be fully re-instated in his/her former post but will not be refunded for the pay withheld.

27. Appeals Board

27.1 The Appeals Board shall be competent to take cognisance of and decide upon appeals and petitions against decisions of the other bodies of the Association according to the Statute and regulations of the Association, provided that such decisions may be appealed and provided that such decisions are not final and binding in accordance with the provisions of this Statute or in accordance with the other rules and regulations of the Association. However, in the case of a decision which is final and binding, if it is alleged that a substantial breach of procedural rules was committed by the first and last instance competent body, an appeal may be lodged but only in so far as such an allegation is concerned and not on the merits of the case. In case that the Board finds that a substantial breach of procedural rules was committed by the first and last instance body it shall refer back the case to such a body for a new hearing and decision on the merits of the case in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Association.

27.2 The Board shall consist of a Chairperson and two (2) Members. The composition of the Appeals Board must include a lawyer, one (1) member and one (1) non-member.

The Board shall be assisted by a Secretary who shall be responsible for administrative matters.

27.3 Decisions of the Appeals Board shall be taken in accordance with the simple majority of votes. The Chairperson of the Board shall have both an original and a casting vote.

27.4 An appeal shall not be valid unless the interested party, within three (3) working days of the notification to him of the decision against which an appeal is to be lodged, had given to the Honorary Secretary of the Association a written notice of his intention to appeal.

An appeal shall be lodged by means of a petition. A petition of appeal must, under pain of nullity, be in the form and manner established by the Committee, made in writing and must include the reasons for the appeal. Furthermore, under pain of nullity, it must be:

i. filed with the Honorary Secretary of the Association and signed by the party making the appeal.

ii. accompanied by a deposit of a fee of one hundred euro (€100);

iii. *filed within fourteen (14) days from the date of notification of the decision against which an appeal is to be lodged.*

The nullity of an appeal for any reason mentioned in this clause shall be decided by the Chairperson of the Board alone without any hearing and the decision in writing shall be given "in camera". In such a case, the Chairperson shall decide also whether the deposit, if a deposit had been made, shall be forfeited or refunded in whole or in part.

27.5 The deposit of the appeal shall be automatically forfeited in favour of the Association if the appeal is not upheld.

27.6 If the appeal is only partially upheld, the Board shall, at its discretion, decide as to what amount, if any, shall be forfeited in favour of the Association.

27.7 If in the opinion of the Board a frivolous or an irresponsible appeal was lodged, besides the automatic forfeiture of the deposit in favor of the Association, the Board may impose on the appellant a fine.

27.8 The President of the Association and the Honorary Secretary of the Association or any one of them, or any other Committee member of the Association as directed by the President, have the right to defend any appealed decision. However, the Committee may appoint another person who will have the right and the duty to support and defend any appealed decision before the Appeals Board. This person shall be preferably a person who has a legal background and shall be known as the "Defender of Appealed Decisions". The Committee may appoint other persons to perform the duties of the Defender of Appealed Decisions when the Defender of Appealed Decisions is unable to perform his duties.

27.9 In the case where an appeal has been filed following a decision of the first instance where there was more than one party to the matter decided, the party or parties who had obtained a favourable decision by the first instance shall have the right to be a party to the appeal and is entitled to support and defend the decision appealed against before the Appeals Board together with an Officer of the Association or the Defender of Appealed Decisions.

27.10 The Board is empowered to regulate its own procedure, provided that the following rules are observed:

i. *The appellant shall be given at least three (3) days' notice of the date, place and time of the hearing, provided that an appellant and an appealed party may renounce to this time limit.*
ii. *Each party to an appeal shall have the right to object only once against a member of the Appeals Board. Such objection shall be for a cause. The fact that a member of the Board had been the Chairperson or a member of the Board when a decision on an appeal based on the same or similar facts and/or on the same rules on which the present appeal is based was taken, shall not qualify as a valid cause for upholding an objection against a member of the Board. The decision whether to uphold or reject such an objection is decided upon by the Board.*
iii. *In the case that an objection against a member of the Board is accepted, even where the member objected to is the Chairperson, the Chairperson of the Board shall substitute the member objected to by another member from the Panel of Substitute Members.*
iv. *As a rule, no oral evidence is allowed during a hearing but the Board may ask for evidence which has already been tendered to be heard orally. In exceptional circumstances, the Board may allow new evidence to be produced by the parties provided that the party requesting it proves to the satisfaction of the Board either that he could not produce such evidence before*

the body of first instance or he could not reasonably have known of such evidence before the appealed decision had been taken by the body of first instance. Furthermore, the Board may ask for the production of additional evidence, which may include video-evidence.

27.11 If an appeal is not upheld, the Board shall also decide on the expenses of the appeal to be paid by the appellant, and which expenses shall include those of the Defender of the Decisions. If an appeal is upheld, the Board shall decide whether the deposit of the appeal is to be refunded in full or in part to the appellant as well as on whether the appellant should pay any expenses.

27.12 All decisions of the Board, including those relating to the forfeiture of the deposit in full or in part and those relating to costs, shall be final and binding on all parties.

All the decisions of the Board shall be in writing.

The Chairperson of the Board shall deposit any decision of the Board with the Honorary Secretary of the Association and shall cause a copy of the decision to be notified to all parties as soon as practicable after the decision.

28. Club Affiliation

28.1 Any club wishing to affiliate with M.M.A.F.A. shall be required to pay an annual affiliation fee equivalent to one full adult membership fee, as stipulated in Article 16.1, and submit the prescribed application form. The affiliation fee shall be payable no later than 31 December of the preceding year and shall cover the period from 1 January to 31 December.

28.2 M.M.A.F.A. and the affiliated club may allow members of either organisation to participate in each other's events.

28.3 Each organisation shall be responsible for ensuring that any of its members participating in such events comply with the host organisation's insurance policy, rules, policies, procedures, and Standing Regulations.

28.4 M.M.A.F.A. may terminate the affiliation of any club if it:

a) Fails to comply with the provisions of this Statute, Standing Regulations, or any policies issued by M.M.A.F.A.;

b) Fails to maintain the required affiliation fee payments;

c) Acts in a manner that may bring M.M.A.F.A., the sport of model flying, or its members into disrepute;

28.5 Before any affiliation is terminated, the affiliated club shall be given written notice of the alleged breach and shall be granted fourteen (14) calendar days from the date of such notice to make representations to the M.M.A.F.A. Committee.

28.6 Any decision to terminate an affiliation shall be taken by a majority vote of the M.M.A.F.A. Committee and communicated in writing to the affiliated club.

28.7 An affiliated club may terminate its affiliation with M.M.A.F.A. at any time by providing written notice to the Committee. Any affiliation fees already paid shall not be refundable.

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29. Signatories: *This approved Statute is being signed by the Committee of 2026. Regardless of any changes of any Committee member/s elected or seconded as the case maybe this Statute shall remain in force until such time as it is amended by an AGM/EGM.*

President *Mr. Josef Gatt*	***Vice President*** *Mr. Joseph Briffa*
Secretary *Mr. Alan Mercieca*	***Treasurer*** *Mr. Edward Portelli*
PRO *Mr. Laurence Dalmas*	***Site Manager*** *Mr. Alvin Formosa*
Assistant to Committee *Mr. Mario Pule*	

Annex 1 – Membership Application Form (PAGE 01)

Malta Model Aircraft Flying Association

New Membership Application - Effective from Effective 14th April 2025 **Page 1 of 2**

This application is condsidered INVALID for processing if not properly filled and do not have attached the Check list and the documentation required.

The Committee

I the undersigned wish to apply to be considered becoming a member of the Malta Model Aircraft Flying Association as a:

Mark "X" as applicable				Application/Date (DDMMYY)			Office use:
Flying Member		Non Flying Member		Day	Month	20	

In accordance with the Statute of the Association I accept that my application may be rejected without prejudice and it being obliged to give me the reasong why it was rejected

Applicant Surname & Name :								PHOTO
Address:								
Locality:		Post Code						
I.D. card No.		Date of Birth DD/MM/YY					65+	
Tel/Mobile No.		Email:						

Complete next sections (a) and (b). DO NOT LEAVE BLANK. Write NONE if not applicable

(a)	*I am a member of another Radio Control Club even if in another State . Name the Club and whether you are a normal member or a committee member*
(b)	Please provide details of any Commercial Interests you may have involving the use of Radio Control Model Aircraft or any other type if UAS.

Annual membership fees, for the period from 1st January to 31st December (Mark "X" as applicable)

Full Member Age 18 to 65	*Full Member Age 65 +*	*Junior Member Under age18*	*Tertiary/University & Special Student Member*	*Family Membership*		*Non Flying Member*
				Adult Family Member	*Each Junior Member*	
85 €	60 €	55 €	55 €	85 €	40 €	40 €

MEMBERSHIP FEE WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED AFTER YOU HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT YOUR APPLICATION HAS BEEN APPROVED.

No Cash Payments will be accepted

Payment of membership fees shall be effected via the following options stating your assigned membership number

Option A:		Mobile to Mobile to 79528713
Option B:		Bank Transfer to I BAN: MT66VALL22013000000040014962916

I confirm that the above information and the documentation attached are true and correct.

Applicants Signature :

If applicant is under 18 years of age:

Surname and Name of Parent of Guardian	
Parent/Guardian ID card No.	
Signature of Parent/Guardian	

Notes:

(1) Provide payment of initial membership fees as stated above shall apply if joining the Association between 1s September and 31st December.

(2) Members of the same family up to the first degree and residing in the same address of an already paid up full member will be charged as Family membership fee up to the 18th birthday date.

(3) The information on this form shall be retained by the MMAFA only for the purpose of databases,to communicate with you as the need arise and forany submissions required by Insurers, legal or Government entities

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For an application to be considered you must send the Application, marked and signed Docs Check List and the docs as marked.

With the application and Documents do not pay the membership fee. The fee is due to be paid once the Committee approves your membership

Mark with an X in the box provided as a document attachment to the Application From

Mandatory		
1	Filled in Application Form	
2	Two Recent Colour Passport Size Photo	
3	Valid Identity Document Front and Back (in colour)	
4	Police Conduct Certificate	

Optional for Committee consideration		
5	Proof of any flying Experience for grading other than as a trainee. (add copy of your latest RC Aircraft Flying Cub Membership Card and flying grade)	

If **(5)** is applicable - your signature confirms your acceptance to sit for the Multi Choice Test a and obtain a minimum pass mark of 75%.
The Committee reserves the right to request a check flight for the grade to be issued on the MMAFA membership card.

I, _____ the undersigned herby confirms that all documentation attached are true and correct. I further agree that I cannot exercise my flying rights before I am confirmed as a member, I am registered on the MMAFA/TMCAD I-Dronect, and signed that I have read, understood and abide with the current Standing Regulations of the MMAFA

Surname and Name

_____ _____ _____

Signature of Applicant *Identity Document Nr:* *Date*

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