

## COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENT

### Malta International Airport plc (the “Company”)

### Traffic Results – September 2017

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#### QUOTE

Traffic at Malta International Airport in September registered an increase of more than 89,000 passenger movements over the same month last year, with a total of 626,488 guests welcomed at MIA.

This translated into an increase of 16.7 per cent over 2016. Moreover, September was the third consecutive month at the airport to surpass the 600,000 mark in terms of passenger numbers.

Standing at 86.7 per cent, September’s seat load factor (SLF) remained constant, in spite of the increase in both aircraft movements (14.6 per cent) and seat capacity (17.0 per cent).

The United Kingdom continued to lead Malta International Airport’s list of top markets, contributing 146,160 passenger movements to September’s total traffic, and growing by 4.7 per cent over last year mainly due to an increase in capacity as a result of the Cruise & Fly operation.

On the other hand, the rest of the top markets, these being Italy (10.5 per cent), Germany (25.8 per cent) and France (17.6 per cent) all registered double-digit growth. Spain, which is the fifth largest market, is maintaining its year-to-date progress, with a hefty 43.8 per cent increase in passenger movements in September, partly stemming from increased flight frequencies to Madrid.

#### UNQUOTE

Signed:



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COMPANY SECRETARY

#### Note

Some changes in data collection have come into effect as from January 2017, with the numbers reported being marginally different to those reported in previous years. This, however, does not have a material impact on our reported results. If further details are required, kindly contact the Marketing & Brand Development team via [communications@maltairport.com](mailto:communications@maltairport.com).

#### About Malta International Airport

Malta International Airport is the only airport serving the Maltese Islands, connecting the tiny island state to more than 80 destinations in Europe, North Africa and the Middle East, through over 30 partner airlines. With 97% of all Malta’s tourists flying through it, the airport handles more than 5 million passengers and over 15,000 tonnes of freight annually. Since becoming fully operational in 1992, the terminal has received continuous investment and now accommodates more than 20 retail outlets, 14 catering establishments and parking for over 1,500 cars. Malta International Airport owns SkyParks Business Centre, which contains nearly 10,000m<sup>2</sup> of Malta’s hardest working office space and 4,000m<sup>2</sup> of retail and amenities for the business and local community. The building is eco-certified by BREEAM and has become one of Malta’s most sought-after corporate addresses.

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