

Department of Contracts
Notre Dame Ravelin
Floriana

To Ministries
and Government Departments

10 August 2021

SUPPLY OF ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY NATIONAL FLAGS

1. Ministries and Head of Departments are hereby informed that National Flags supplied and delivered to all Government Departments and Entities, are to be procured from:

Zaffarese Signs + Display Ltd
Zaffarese Buildings
San Gwakkinn Road
MRIEHEL

Tel: 2148 4305
Fax: 2148 4306
Email: admin@zaffarese.com

at the rates shown hereunder. Prices are delivered, exclusive of VAT, but inclusive of Customs Import Duty, ECO Contribution (if any) and other charges as applicable.

Item No	DESCRIPTION	Rate per Flag €
1.1	Flags, National outdoor type in accordance with the attached specifications. Approx Meas: 275cm X 183cm	43.00
1.2	Flags, National outdoor type in accordance with the attached specifications. Approx Meas: 183cm X 122cm	28.50
1.3	Flags, National, outdoor type in accordance with the attached specifications. Approx Meas: 138cm X 92cm	26.50

2. This procurement shall run up to the 31 December 2021, or until a new contract is awarded, whichever is the earliest.
3. Payments are to be made directly to the Contractor.

4. The technical specifications are attached. User departments are to ensure that these conditions are strictly adhered to.
5. The 'General Conditions for Supply Contracts' shall also apply.

Anthony Cachia
Director General (Contracts)

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Item 1.1 – National Outdoor Flags Approx Meas: 275cm X 183cm

Item 1.2 – National Outdoor Flags Approx Meas: 183cm X 122cm

Item 1.3 – National Outdoor Flags Approx Meas: 138cm X 92cm

Item 1 – National Maltese Flag

- 1.1 The Maltese National Flag shall have two equal white and red vertical stripes with George Cross emblem on the white stripe, upper corner. The red colour shall conform to reference Pantone 186C (previously referred as British Admiralty Colour Code No. T1144).
- 1.2 When compared to reference colour standard Pantone 186C using the CIE L* a* b* system, the difference in colour for; ΔL^* , Δa^* and Δb^* shall be less than 6 and the total colour difference ΔE^* shall be less than 10.
- 1.3 The white colour shall have a value L* greater than 85 and the magnitude of a* and b* shall not be greater than 4. (previously, referred as British Admiralty Colour Code No. T1145).
- 1.4 Flags shall be manufactured from bunting material of good quality texture being 100% woven polyester and weighing minimum 150grams per square metre. Tenderers must ensure that all selvages are securely helmed.
- 1.5 The National Flags must bear the George Cross emblem in silver grey background with black letters, circles and St. George. The emblem is to be edged in red and sewn on both sides. Proportion of Flag is A(2): B(3).

C-5/18 of A (width)
D-2/27 of A (width)
E-1/27 of A (width)
F- (Red Perimeter) – 1/16 of D
G-1/18 of B (length)
H-(Inner Diameter) – D
I-(Outer Diameter) – The Diagonal of D
- 1.6 The flags are to be supplied complete with swivels attachments and head rope. The head rope and swivels are to be suitable to the size of the flag. The swivels are to be of the ‘Inglefield type’ and made from a suitable stable metal to withstand weathering.