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**MINOR ITC APPLICATION & DECLARATION FORM**

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First name(s):		
Surname(s):		
Date of birth:		
Country of birth:		
Nationality / nationalities:		
Was the player already registered in another country? (circle one)	Yes	No
If yes, country of last registration:		
Club played for in that country:		
Player status in country of last registration (circle one):	AMATEUR	PROFESSIONAL
Maltese club registering player:		

**To be completed by Parent:**

1. I declare that I, undersigned, relocated to Malta with my child, (name) \_\_\_\_\_, on the following date: \_\_\_\_\_ for the following reasons:  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. I declare that I myself and my child relocated to Malta for reasons not linked to football.
3. I give permission for my child to register to play football with the following club should the international clearance be granted, and authorise this club to seek that clearance on my child's behalf:  
(name of club) \_\_\_\_\_
4. I consent to the collection, use and disclosure of this personal information for the purposes set out in Malta FA's privacy policy (available at (<https://www.mfa.com.mt/en/privacy-policy.htm>), including administering Malta FA's Regulations on the Status and Transfer of Players Regulations.

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**Parent's Name & Surname**

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**Signature**

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**Place & Date**

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**Club Secretary's Name & Surname**

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**Signature**

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**Place & Date**

**List of Documentation to be Submitted.**

**Choose ONE depending on the case:**

- Scenario 1:** International move of **both** of the player's biological parents – **pg 3**
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## Scenario 1

*International move of both of the player's biological parents*

**Applicable Article - 19 par. 2a FIFA Regulations**

*"The parents of the player moved for reasons not linked to football"*

***The player follows his/her parents due to the parent's employment***

**Documentation to be submitted:**

- Documentation of academic education
- Employment contract and work permit of player (*where player is professional*)
- Employment contract of player's parent or parents, if both are working\*
- Work Permit & Residence Card – Player's parents and JobsPlus Commencement of Employment Letter
- Proof of birth of the player (Birth Certificate)
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player (Passport)
- Proof of identity and nationality of both the player's parents (Passports)
- Proof of residence of the player's parents (Rental agreement (where renting); or Contract which includes date of settlement for the purchase (where home owned); or Letter from home owner stating the year/timeframe they have resided at their home and a copy of current utility bill)

***\* Where the player follows his/her parents for another reason ) not linked to football (other than parents' employment, other documents proving the reason invoked are to be produced.***

## Scenario 2

### *International move of one of the player's biological parents*

**Applicable Article - 19 par. 2a FIFA Regulations**

*"The parents of the player moved for reasons not linked to football"*

*The player follows his/her custody holding parent that is moving to Malta due to employment*

**Documentation to be submitted:**

- Documentation of academic education
- Employment contract and work permit of player (*where player is professional*)
- Employment contract of player's parent\*
- Proof of birth of the player (Birth Certificate)
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player (Passport)
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player's parents (Passports)
- Proof of residence of the player's parents (Rental agreement (where renting); or Contract which includes date of settlement for the purchase (where home owned); or Letter from home owner stating the year/timeframe they have resided at their home and a copy of current utility bill)
- Documentation proving that the player's parent moving to or residing in Malta holds custody of the player
- Work Permit & Residence Card – Player's parents and JobsPlus Commencement of Employment Letter

***\* Where the player follows his/her custody-holding parent for another reason not linked to football (other than parents' employment), other documents proving the reason invoked are to be produced.***

***Where the parent not moving is deceased the documentation to be submitted shall also include the Death Certificate of the player's deceased parent.***

### Scenario 3

#### *International move with none of the player's biological parents*

##### Applicable Article - 19 par. 2a FIFA Regulations

*"The parents of the player moved for reasons not linked to football"*

A - The player resided with one parent and now moves to Malta to join the other parent holding his/her custody

- (i) The player's custody-holding parent resides in Malta due to employment
- (ii) The player's custody-holding parent resides in Malta for another reason not linked to football
- (iii) The player's custody-holding parent always resided in Malta where the player is now moving

B – The player has always resided with his/her parent(s) in their home country or the player is returning to his/her home country (Malta) to live with his/her parent(s)

- (i) The player was registered for a club abroad as an 'exchange student' and resided in that country without his/her parent(s)

C – Parental authority taken away from the player's parents and awarded to a third person (legal guardian) by national authority

- (i) The player follows his appointed legal guardian who moves to Malta due to employment
- (ii) The player follows his appointed legal guardian who moves to Malta for another reason not linked to football
- (iii) The player joins his/her appointed legal guardian who already resides Malta

#### **Documentation to be submitted:**

- Documentation of academic education
- Employment contract and work permit of player (*only where player is professional*)
- Employment contract of player's parent / legal guardian
- Work permit of the player's parent / legal guardian
- Proof of birth of the player
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player's parent(s)
- Proof of residence of the player's parent(s)
- Documentation proving that the player's parent/legal guardian moving to/residing in Malta holds custody of the player
- Other documentation proving the reason invoked (if other than employment of the parent(s) or legal guardian)
- Statement of the new Association explaining the specific circumstances (Malta FA to provide)*

**Where both of the player's parents are deceased the documentation to be submitted shall also include the Death Certificate of the player's deceased parent.**

## Scenario 4

Player is not a Maltese citizen and has lived continuously for the last five years in Malta prior to the request

**Applicable Article - 19 par. 3 and 4 FIFA Regulations**

*“Player is registering for the first time and has lived continuously for the last five years in the country of intended registration prior to this registration”*

**Documentation to be submitted:**

- Documentation of academic education
- Employment contract and work permit of player (only where player is professional)
- Proof of birth of the player (Birth Certificate)
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player (Passport)
- Proof of residence of the player

## Scenario 5

### Exchange Student

*“The player is an exchange student undertaking an academic program abroad, which is the primary reason for the international move”*

*The main reason behind the player’s move is to participate in a student exchange programme.*

*A – the duration of the player’s academic study program and the duration of the player’s envisaged registration is less than one year*

*B – the duration of the player’s academic study programme in Malta is longer than a year, but the player is turning 18 in less than a year*

*C – the duration of the player’s study program in Malta is longer than a year, but there is less than a year of the program remaining*

#### **Documentation to be submitted:**

- Documentation of academic education
- Proof of birth of the player
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player’s parent(s)
- Documentation of exchange program
- Registration form for exchange program
- Confirmation of player’s return home
- Documentation of academic education
- Confirmation of player’s participation from academic institution in home country
- Documentation of accommodation/care
- Authorisation of host parents
- Authorisation of biological parents / legal guardian / custody holder

## Scenario 6

### Refugee Player

*"The player is moving for humanitarian reasons"*

*The player is moving to Malta and cannot be expected to return to his/her country of origin given that his/her life or freedom would be threatened on account of race, religion, nationality, membership of a particular social group or political opinion.*

**Option 1** *Unaccompanied refugee – i.e. player is moving without his/her parents/legal guardian*

#### **Documentation to be submitted:**

- Documentation of academic education
- Employment contract and work permit of player only where player is professional
- Proof of birth of the player
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player
- Proof of refugee status of the player
- Proof of custody
- Authorisation of biological parents / legal guardian / custody holder
- Parental situation
- Status of player with former club (Malta FA to provide)*

**Option 2** *Accompanied refugee – i.e. player is moving with his/her parents/legal guardian*

#### **Documentation to be submitted:**

- Documentation of academic education
- Employment contract and work permit of player only where player is professional
- Proof of birth of the player
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player
- Proof of identity and nationality of the player's parent(s)
- Proof of refugee status of the player
- Proof of refugee status of the player's parent(s)
- Proof of residence of the player's parent(s)