



ANNOUNCEMENT – 25th November 2024 Business Enhance Grant Schemes

Recovery and Resilience Plan for Malta

The Measures and Support Division, within the Office of the Prime Minister – European Funds, Equality, Reforms and Social Dialogue (OPM-EES), is the institution in charge of the implementation of investments C1-I1 'Grants targeting renovation of private sector buildings for retrofitting and energy efficiency' and C3-I4 'Rolling out measures to intensify the digitalisation of the private sector'. The management structure is established by Council Implementing Decision on the approval of the assessment of the Recovery and Resilience Plan for Malta 11941/21 and supporting Annex ADD 1, by Regulation (EU) 2021/241 and of the European Union Recovery Instrument set up by Council Regulation (EU) 2020/2094.

This Division would like to announce that it will be closing all current open calls with the final cut-off dates (set at noon of the identified dates) as follows:

Call 1 Digitalise your Business	29 Nov	16 Dec	31 Dec				
Call 1 Digitalise your Micro Business	29 Nov	16 Dec	31 Dec	17 Jan	31 Jan	14 Feb	28 Feb
Call 1 Retrofit	29 Nov	31 Dec	31 Jan	28 Feb			

These will be replaced with similar schemes/calls by 1st March 2025. No substantial changes will be made in terms of scope or grant thresholds. These schemes shall continue to be administered through open rolling calls with the cut-off dates for 2025 set as follows:

	11 Apr	16 May	13 Jun	11 Jul	14 Aug	12 Sep
28 Mar	30 Apr	30 May	30 Jun	31 Jul	/	30 Sep

The main changes will be explained during a number of information sessions for interested applicants during January/February 2025. Those that are interested to participate in these sessions are to register by sending an email to Servizzi Ewropej f'Malta (SEM) on <u>info.sem@gov.mt</u>.

Dedicated information sessions will also be held with registered service providers who will be contacted directly by the Measures and Support Division.

Further information relating to these Grant Schemes, including the respective Guidance Notes and the User Guide to the Application will be made available on https://fondi.eu by 1st March 2025.

