The Brexit Impact on Business

Monday 05th April 2021 10:00 – 12:00hrs

Webinar hosted by the Gozo Business Chamber, the Europe Direct Information Centre Gozo,

in collaboration with Bank of Valletta

Brexit has created a level of uncertainty among the business community. Though preparations started after the outcome of the 2016 referendum vote, prolonged negotiations made it difficult for businesses to sufficiently prepare for one particular scenario. In fact, the Trade and Cooperation Agreement is provisionally applicable since 1 January 2021, after having been agreed by EU and UK negotiators on the 24 December 2020.

The ambiguities faced by businesses applied both to internationally exposed firms, as well as to small domestic firms which import goods from the United Kingdom. This was more significant given Malta's traditional close ties with the United Kingdom.

This webinar will aim to discuss the 'Trade and Cooperation Agreement' which was negotiated at an EU level, as well as the practical impact of Brexit on areas such as Customs and VAT.

AGENDA

10:00 – 10:10	Opening remarks
	Joseph Borg - GBC President
10:10 – 10:20	Introductory Remarks
	Kenneth Farrugia - Bank of Valletta - Chief Retail Banking Officer
10:20 – 11:40	Brexit Impact on Business
	Leandro Borg – Head (Policy Coordination IMCP/EP/External)
	Alan Mamo – Director Compliance & Systems (Customs Department)
	Frank Borg –Office of the Commissioner for Revenue
	Joseph Sammut – Office of the Commissioner for Revenue
11:40 – 12:00	Q&A session moderated by Daniel Borg, CEO GBC









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