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COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENT

# Malta International Airport plc (the "Company")

## Traffic Results – November 2015

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### **Overview**

Passenger figures this November have continued the upward trend which has characterized this year's overall performance, increasing by 10.6% over the same period last year and equivalent to an additional 27,250 passenger movements.

Seat capacity grew by 9.4% due to greater route frequency, while the number of occupied seats on flights also increased from 80% to 81.3%.

### **Traffic Variations**

The top five destinations last month saw one major shift in which Turkey displaced Switzerland after achieving an impressive 63.4% rise in passengers due to increased flights to Istanbul. This November two of the airport's top five markets saw a slight dip in traffic numbers with France and Germany dropping by -3.6% and -0.2% respectively. The rest outperformed the same period last year, with Italy registering an 18% increase in passengers and the UK market increasing by 1.9%. Spain also bolstered its traffic figures by more than double as a result of new operations to and from Barcelona this winter.

In November the maximum take-off weight (MTOW) increased by 12.5%

#### Cargo & Mail

Last month, Cargo and Mail marked an increase of 11.5%, reaching 1,476 tonnes.

### Year Round-Up

Overall traffic figures show that over 300,000 more journeys started and ended at our airport this year. Passenger movements have risen by 7.6%, aircraft movements by 6.4%, cargo and mail by 3.4%, and seat capacity has expanded by 5.6%.

Signed:

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