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MTA AND LANDS TAKE ACTION TO CLEAR TA' FRA BEN IN QAWRA

In a joint operation conducted by the Malta Tourism Authority and the Lands Authority, around a hundred deckchairs and over thirty umbrellas were removed from Qawra Point; an area commonly known as Ta' Fra Ben.

The deckchairs, umbrellas and umbrella bases, which filled two truckloads, had been found to be in breach of the terms and conditions of the applicable permits.

The relevant operator was informed on previous occasions that they were not operating in accordance with the permit terms and were advised to comply. They were also warned that action would be taken if such non compliance persisted.

This joint action is part of the ongoing drive aimed at ensuring that regulations are respected in full. Further actions have already been taken at Armier Bay and Little Armier. Operators in other locations in Malta and Gozo are voluntarily taking action, in order to regularise their position. This joint action is therefore sending yet another clear message that the authorities are taking this matter seriously and that further abuse will not be tolerated.

L-MTA U L-AWTORITÀ TAL-ARTIJJET JIEĦDU AZZJONI F'TA' FRA BEN IL-QAWRA

F'azzjoni kongunta bejn l-Awtorità Maltija għat-Turiżmu (MTA) u l-Awtorità tal-Artijiet, saret ħidma ta' infurzar biex tneħħew oġġetti li kienu qed jintramaw fil-bajja Ta' Fra Ben fil-Qawra.

Għall-ħabta tas-sebġha ta' dalgħodu, tneħħew madwar mitt sunbed u 33 umbrella, fost għamara oħra bħal bażijiet li fuqhom jitwaħħlu l-umbrellel. B'kollox inġarru żewġ trakkijiet b'oġġetti li kienu fuq din il-bajja.

Qabel ma ttieħdet din l-azzjoni, l-operatur kien imwissi diversi drabi, li l-mod li bih kien qed jarma l-affarijiet imur kontra r-regolamenti stabbiliti. Huwa kien imħeġġeġ isegwi dawn ir-regolamenti u ntqal lilu li jekk ma jagħmilx dan, kienet se tittieħed azzjoni.

Il-ħidma kongunta hija parti minn kampanja li għandha l-għan li tiżgura li r-regolamenti li jikkoncernaw il-bajjiet ikunu rispettati f'kull ħin. Diġà ttieħdet azzjoni simili fil-bajjiet tal-Armier u Little Armier, filwaqt li f'postijiet oħra madwar Malta u Għawdex, operaturi qed jirregolarizzaw ruħhom b'mod volontarju biex jevitaw dan it-tip ta' inforzar. Il-ħidma bejn l-MTA u l-Awtorità tal-Artijiet għalhekk qed isservi biex għal darba oħra jerġa jasal il-messaġġ li l-abbuż mhux se jkun ittollerat.





