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COVID-19: MTA INSPECTS OUTLETS

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The Malta Tourism Authority continued with its inspections of bars, snack-bars, restaurants and other catering establishments to ensure compliance with the Covid-19 regulations.

During Thursday 02nd April 2020, more than 785 inspections were carried out in 18 different localities in Malta. Of these, more than 225 inspections took place in the Buġibba/Qawra/St Paul's Bay area and more than 125 establishments were checked in the Mosta/Naxxar/Għargħur area.

In Gozo, MTA checked around 160 establishments located in 12 towns and villages, namely: Għajnsielem, Marsalforn, Mġarr Harbour, Munxar, Nadur, Qala, San Lawrenz, Ta' Dbiegi, Victoria, Xagħra, Xewkija and Xlendi. In some of these locations, the inspections took place twice on the same day - around lunchtime and after 700 pm.

Once again, no breaches were found, neither in Gozo, nor in Malta.

Since the relevant Legal Notices came into force, the number of inspections around Malta and Gozo has surpassed 12,885 inspections. More than 10,325 inspections took place in Malta and over 2560 in Gozo.

MTA reminds the general public on the need to practice social distancing and to remain as much as possible at home. Anyone who encounters any breaches can inform the authority via its Tourism COVID-19 helpline: 21692447 or email: tourismcovid-19helpline@visitmalta.com.

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