

**Doorstep Selling Directive (85/577) - Malta**  
National Law

**Commercial Code**

Adoption date for national laws: Fri Oct 02 00:00:00 CET 1857

In force date: Wed Dec 12 00:00:00 CET 2007

**Doorstep Contracts Act**

Adoption date for national laws: Wed Feb 04 00:00:00 CET 1987

In force date: Wed Feb 11 00:00:00 CET 1987

**Consumer Affairs Act**

Adoption date for national laws: Fri Dec 02 00:00:00 CET 1994

In force date: Tue Jan 23 00:00:00 CET 1996

**Malta Travel and Tourism Services Act**

Adoption date for national laws: Tue Jul 13 00:00:00 CEST 1999

In force date: Wed Sep 01 00:00:00 CEST 1999

**Distance Selling Regulations (378.08)**

Adoption date for national laws: Fri Aug 17 00:00:00 CEST 2001

In force date: Tue Sep 04 00:00:00 CEST 2001

**Package Travel, Package Holidays and Package Tours Regulations**

Adoption date for national laws: Thu Nov 01 00:00:00 CET 2001

In force date: Thu Nov 01 00:00:00 CET 2001

**Consumer Affairs Act (Price Indication) Regulations**

Adoption date for national laws: Fri Sep 27 00:00:00 CEST 2002

In force date: Tue Oct 01 00:00:00 CEST 2002

**Distance Selling (Retail Financial Services) Regulations (330.07)**

Adoption date for national laws: Fri Feb 04 00:00:00 CET 2005

In force date: Fri Feb 04 00:00:00 CET 2005

**Electronic Commerce (General) Regulations, 2006**

Adoption date for national laws: Tue Oct 24 00:00:00 CEST 2006

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**Injunctions for the Protection of the Interests of Consumers (Package Travel and Protection of Buyers in Contracts for Time Sharing of Immovable Property) Regulations, 2006**

Adoption date for national laws: Fri Nov 24 00:00:00 CET 2006

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**Consumer Affairs Act (Chapter 378 of the Laws of Malta)**

Adoption date for national laws: Tue Jan 29 00:00:00 CET 2008

In force date: Wed Dec 12 00:00:00 CET 2007

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**Commercial Code (Chapter 13 of the Laws of Malta)**

Adoption date for national laws: Tue Jan 29 00:00:00 CET 2008

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**Medicines Products (Injunctions to Advertising) Regulations 2008**

Adoption date for national laws: Tue Feb 12 00:00:00 CET 2008

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**Protection of Consumers (Timeshare, Long-term Holiday Product, Resale and Exchange Contracts) Regulations**

Adoption date for national laws: Fri Mar 25 00:00:00 CET 2011

In force date: Fri Mar 25 00:00:00 CET 2011

**Malta Competition and Consumer Affairs Authority Act**

Adoption date for national laws: Mon May 23 00:00:00 CEST 2011

In force date: Mon May 23 00:00:00 CEST 2011

PDF: [MALTA COMPETITION AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS AUTHORITY ACT \(510\)\\_en.pdf](#)

**Collective Proceedings Act**

Adoption date for national laws: Thu Aug 01 00:00:00 CEST 2013

In force date: Wed Aug 01 00:00:00 CEST 2012

PDF: [COLLECTIVE PROCEEDINGS ACT \(520\)\\_en.pdf](#)

**Consumer Rights Regulations**

Adoption date for national laws: Tue Dec 17 00:00:00 CET 2013

In force date: Fri Jun 13 00:00:00 CEST 2014

**Consumer Affairs (Amendment) Act**

Adoption date for national laws: Tue Mar 25 00:00:00 CET 2014

In force date: Fri Jan 01 00:00:00 CET 9999

**Package Travel, Package Holidays and Package Tours Regulations, 2000**

Adoption date for national laws: Fri Jan 01 00:00:00 CET 9999

In force date: Fri Aug 25 00:00:00 CEST 2000

**Protection of Consumers (Timeshare, Long-Term Holiday Product, Resale and Exchange Contracts) Regulations, 2011**

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#### **Distance Selling Regulations, 2001**

**Adoption date for national laws:** Fri Jan 01 00:00:00 CET 9999

**In force date:** Tue Sep 04 00:00:00 CEST 2001

#### **Protection of Buyers in Contracts for Time Sharing of Immovable Property Regulations, 2000**

**Adoption date for national laws:** Fri Jan 01 00:00:00 CET 9999

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