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R80008   Malta Section
13 December 2006

Dr. Carl James Debono

Dear Dr. Debono:

Congratulations! On behalf of the IEEE Regional Activities Vice President, Pedro Ray, it is a pleasure to inform you that the requirements of the IEEE RAB Operations Manual have been met, and the IEEE Malta Section has been approved. The effective date of this Section formation is 18 November 2006.

The IEEE Section's boundaries are defined as: Country of Malta

We have recorded you as the interim Chair. When an election has been held, please report the names and member numbers of the new officers to the IEEE using the online Officer Confirmation form at http://www.ieee.org/scsreports.

In celebration of this Section formation, RAB has agreed to provide $2,000 USD to your Section. These funds are to be used by your Section in support of IEEE related activities. These funds will be kept in an IEEE Custody Account that has been established on behalf of your Section. IEEE Custody Accounts are holding accounts available to those Sections in Regions 8, 9, and 10 which have difficulty exchanging currency to pay for membership and other services at IEEE. You will receive information regarding this account in a separate message.

In subsequent years, your Section will receive funding from the Regional Activities Board on an annual basis, provided that the required reporting is submitted: (1) Current Officer Report (2) Annual Financial Report and (3) Meeting Activity Report. For more information on required reporting, please go to http://www.ieee.org/scsreports.

You will find additional information to assist you and your fellow Section volunteers on the Section/Chapter Support web page http://www.ieee.org/scs. A Section Officer training program is available at http://www.ieee.org/officers.
Membership growth is important for a Section's vitality. We highly recommend that you identify a volunteer to be responsible for your membership development activities. IEEE will provide critical support to help you meet your membership goals. Your Section will receive a Membership Recruitment Kit containing IEEE membership brochures, applications, and other promotional materials. The kit will also include a membership development manual, where you will find best practices and tactics for coordinating successful, local recruitment and retention initiatives. Resources for membership development can be found at http://www.ieee.org/md.

Please contact Regional Activities Section/Chapter Support staff if you need additional assistance (sec-chap-support@ieee.org).

We extend our best wishes for the successful operation of this new Section.

Sincerely,

Cecelia Jankowski
Managing Director
Regional Activities

cc: P. Ray - Regional Activities Vice President
    B. Zajc - Region 8 Director
Dear officer,

Please find attached a pdf containing the signatures of 51 IEEE members from Malta, necessary for the establishment of an IEEE Malta Section. I am submitting this request to the IEEE Regional Activities Board for approval.

Please acknowledge receipt of this document and inform if there is need of any additional paperwork.

Best Regards,

Carl

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Dr Ing. Carl James Debono
Lecturer

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