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MEA launches information booklet to Micro Enterprises

The Malta Employers' Association launched an information handbook which will be distributed to micro enterprises as part of a capacity building project funded by the European Social Fund. The outreach project aims at training and informing micro enterprises about matters relating to employing persons such as contracts of employment, occupational health and safety, and employment legislation.

MEA is also organising a series of training seminars to micro enterprises covering topics ranging from Human Resources Management to Marketing and Finance. More than 250 companies have so far been approached by MEA to participate in this project.

Speaking at this event, Dr. Jason Azzopardi, Parliamentary Secretary for Revenues and Land stated that the handbook will be a very useful tool. He praised the MEA for their proactive stance in identifying and taking action on such an important need of micro enterprises. He added that in Malta the vast number of companies are micro enterprises and it was important for employer bodies to provide expertise in areas in which they may not have the resources to employ specialised personnel to help them function better as employers.