

# MARITIME INDUSTRY

## MALTA

Alter Domus Malta, Maritime specialists in the heart of the Mediterranean

Malta, due to its geography, has historically been a Maritime centre.

As a result of this, the range of supporting services for such industry has developed to provide a centre of excellence and a comprehensive package in the Maritime industry.

As a local service provider we service :

- Consolidated group structures which include subsidiaries focused in the Maritime area
- Stand alone shipping structures and support to their administrative/management structures
- Super yacht VAT lease structures

## WHAT WE DO FOR THE MARITIME INDUSTRY ?



- Implementation of financing and holding structures
- Company Registration
- Domiciliation Services
- Bookkeeping
- Company Secretarial Services
- Corporate Compliance
- Assistance in the execution of aircraft lease agreements
- Assistance in the execution of agreements with financial institutions
- Provision of registered office and place of business
- Directorship Services

## ADVANTAGES OF THE MALTA SHIP AND YACHT REGISTRATION REGIME ?



- Low company formation and ship registration fees
- Vessels over 9 metres are considered to be eligible
- Low tonnage tax
- Exemption from corporate tax, social security and capital gains tax
- Licensed Shipping Organisations are exempt from income tax
- No restrictions or taxation on the sale or transfer of shares of a company owning Maltese registered ships
- Beneficial VAT regulations whereby any VAT paid in connection with the maintenance of the ship and the Maltese company (such as the legal and accountancy and compliance fees) may be reclaimed back
- No restrictions on the nationality of the ship owner
- No restrictions on the nationality of the master, officers and crew
- No trading restrictions
- An effective mortgage system that results in further tax efficiencies

# WHY CHOOSE ALTER DOMUS TO ADMINISTER YOUR MARITIME COMPANIES ?

## OUR DEDICATED TEAM

- Highly qualified professionals with strong expertise in the field of Maritime Industry
- Alter Domus' resource of 1,800 professional employees across multiple jurisdictions

## OUR EXPERTISE

- Local maritime specialists in multiple jurisdictions
- Strong internal processes guaranteeing strict adherence to agreed timelines
- 4 to 6 eyes verification at every step

## VERTICALLY INTEGRATED SOLUTIONS

- Global network of 39 offices and desks, on 5 continents
- End to end solutions : from outsourced fund administration to the management of local structures

## FLEXIBILITY AND CLIENT FOCUS

- Open, fast and easy communication through a single contact person
- Local services are performed in accordance with local working practices where the client's activity is carried out
- All tax, accounting and legal matters are managed by the same team

## INDEPENDENCE

- Independent & majority management owned
- As an independent service provider, our partners are selected based on their competency and added value to our clients

## ALTER DOMUS CONNECT

- Online access to all corporate documents managed by Alter Domus
- Highly secure web access
- User-friendly interface, available 24/7
- Dedicated IT team for system maintenance and software update

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## YOUR MALTESE MARITIME INDUSTRY TEAM



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Founded in Luxembourg in 2003, Alter Domus has continually expanded its global service offer and today counts 39 offices and desks across five continents. This international network enables clients to benefit globally from the expertise of more than 2,000 experienced professionals active in fund administration, corporate secretarial, accounting, consolidation, tax and legal compliance, depositary services and debt administration services.

We are proud to serve 17 of the 20 largest private equity houses, 15 of the 20 largest real estate firms and 17 of the 20 largest private debt managers in the world.

Alter Domus Malta was established in 2010 and has over 100 employees, 200 clients and 450 structures under administration.

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