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To whom this May Concern

The Malta Association of Supported Employment (MASE) was founded by the Malta Federation of Organisations Persons with Disability (MFOPD) who had worked hard for years to have professional Supported Employment in Malta.

MASE is offering the national Positive Supported Employment Programme to vulnerable persons. The Malta Employers' Association (MEA) was one of the very first entities with whom MASE met to discuss the Supported Employment Programme and how both could work together for the full benefit of all vulnerable persons.

The Malta Employers' Association showed great interest in supported employment and helped to disseminate our information among their members and this facilitated the introduction of supported employment to vulnerable persons by their members and the unparalleled success that this program witnessed last year and this year.

In our opinion, the Malta Employers' Association truly believes that vulnerable persons should also be included in open employment and they strive to pass this positive message to all their members. MEA knows that workplace diversity fosters mutual respect among employees and employers gain a lot from such an environment.

Yours truly

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