

Test of Reasonableness Board (TORB)

As per the Equal Opportunities (Persons with Disability) Act I of 2000 Cap. 413 of the Laws of Malta

10th September 2020

Our Ref: 20200903_TORB05

Mr. Etienne Rapinett
JR. Enterprises Ltd.
Keune
St. Michael Street
Iklin

PA/02148/20 – Iklin – To sanction works from approved PA/07842/18 that includes changes to the internal layout, replacing of stainless steel rail with solid wall and formation of stairs to access the establishment.

On Thursday 3rd September 2020 the Test of Reasonableness Board (TORB) discussed a request for exemption received on the above indicated permit. Perit Maria Azzopardi and Mr. Joseph Farrugia from Melfar were present on behalf of the applicant.

Plans approved by CRPD included a vertical platform lift proposed to the outdoor terrace and main entrance to the establishment. Plans have been updated to include an inclined platform lift instead of a vertical platform lift as the approved vertical lift would block the access to the loading and un-loading of gas bottles which will be stored near the access location of the vertical platform lift.

Exemption was therefore requested on the installation of the approved vertical platform lift and to allow the installation of an inclined platform lift with dimensions 1250mm x 850mm instead.

Taking all arguments in consideration, the TORB concluded that it is **NOT REASONABLE** to exempt.



Ms. Rita Vella
Chairperson
Test of Reasonableness Board