

The Board refers to the Minutes of the sitting of the 30th April 2024 and hereby resolves that having noted the objection filed by HospiMalta on the 26th February 2024 and the letter of rejection by Hospice Malta filed on the 12th February 2024, noted that the appeal was presented *four terminis* in terms of Public Procurement Regulation 271. The appeal was therefore rejected.

The Board therefore concludes and decides that :

- a) It does not uphold the Appellant's appeal
- b) It upholds the Contracting Authority's decision in the cancellation of the tender
- c) Directs that the deposit paid by the Appellant be reimbursed.

Mr Kenneth Swain
Chairman

Ms Stephanie Scicluna Laiviera
Member

Mr Lawrence Ancilleri
Member