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### **Malta - Slovakia Joint Philatelic issue**

On the 24<sup>th</sup> of October 2020 MaltaPost and Slovakia Post will be releasing a joint stamp issue, with 'Viticulture' as a theme common to both countries. The issue consists of two stamps, representing each country.

The Malta stamp features a vineyard located in the limits of Siġġiewi, while that of Slovakia shows a vineyard in the Skalica region renowned for production of the Skalický rubín wine.

Each stamp carries a face value of 59c and the set will be issued in a sheet of 10 stamps, with each stamp measuring 44mm x 31mm, a comb perforation of 13.75 x 13.75 and bearing the Maltese Cross watermark. The sheets measure 158mm x 150mm and were produced by Printex Ltd in the offset process. The issue consists of 5,000 sheets. The Malta stamp was designed by Miguel Farrugia of MaltaPost and the Slovakia stamp was designed by Adrian Ferda of Slovakia.

The issues will be available for sale from Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2020 at all Post Offices in Malta and Gozo: online at [www.maltaphilately.com](http://www.maltaphilately.com) or by mail from the Philatelic Bureau, MaltaPost p.l.c. 305, Qormi Road, Marsa, MTP 1001; Telephone: 2596 1740, email:[info@maltaphilately.com](mailto:info@maltaphilately.com)

## Ħarġa ta' Bolli Kongunta Malta - Slovakkja

Fl-24 ta' Ottubru 2020, MaltaPost u Slovak Post se joħorġu ħarġa kongunta ta' bolli bit-tema komuni ta' 'Viticulture'. Dan is-sett jikkonsisti f'żewġ bolli, li jirrapprezentaw iż-żewġ pajjiżi.

Il-bolla ta' Malta turi vinja li tinsab fil-limiti tas-Siġġiewi filwaqt li dik ta' l-Slovakkja turi vinja li tinsab ġewwa ir-reġjun ta' Skalica kif ukoll flixkun inbid tradizzjonali Skalický rubín li jiġi prodott fl-istess reġjun.

Kull bolla għandha valur ta' 59c u s-sett se jinħareġ b' għaxar bolli f'kull folja. Kull bolla hija ta' daqs 44mm x 31mm, b'perforazzjoni ta' 13.75 x 13.75 (comb.) u ġew stampati b'watermark tas-Salib ta' Malta. Il-folja hija ta' daqs 158mm x 150mm u ġew ipprintjati b'metodu offset minn Printex Ltd. Il-ħarġa tikkonsisti f'5,000 folja. Id-disinn tal-bolla ta' Malta ġiet maħduma minn Miguel Farrugia mill-MaltaPost, filwaqt li dik ta' Slovakkja ġiet maħduma minn Adrian Ferda.

Il-ħarġa se tkun għall-bejgħ minn nhar is-Sibt 24 ta' Ottubru 2020 mill-Ferġat Postali kollha. Ordnijiet jistgħu jsiru mis-sit elettroniku [www.maltaphilately.com](http://www.maltaphilately.com), bil-posta millPhilatelic Bureau MaltaPost p.l.c. 305, Triq Ħal Qormi, Marsa, MTP 1001, bit-telefon 2596 1740 jew permezz tal-e-mail: [info@maltaphilately.com](mailto:info@maltaphilately.com).