## **Innovation Prize Terms & Conditions**

### 1. General:

- 1.1 This Innovation Prize is organized and administered by Project Aegle Foundation (Project Aegle herein after) a sustainable mobility initiative set up by Debono Group. Project Aegle seeks to support sustainable mobility initiatives and thereby promote sustainable development in Malta.
- 1.2 These terms and conditions govern entrants' participation in the competition called Project Aegle's Innovation Prize.
- 1.3 By submitting an Entry to Project Aegle, all entrants agree to be bound by these terms and conditions.
- 1.4 Project Aegle reserves the right to amend these terms and conditions at any time without notice by publishing updated terms and condition at <a href="http://projectaegle.com.mt/">http://projectaegle.com.mt/</a> (the website).
- 1.5 Theme TOWARDS SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY. Any idea of how to reach goals related to sustainable mobility and through it improve the environment, public health, safeguard green open spaces and encourage equity (making the transport system accessible to all).
- 1.6 Objective We at Project Aegle believe that there are a lot of ideas of how to move towards sustainable mobility in Malta. Therefore we would like to invite you to share your ideas with us.
- 1.7 Expected Results It is a dramatic fact that for every 1,000 people there around 615 vehicles on the road. A reduction in dependence on privately owned cars is required. The Prize aims at stimulating innovation to develop, test or implement sustainable mobility measures which have a significant positive impact on the environment and public health by reducing the need for the car and shifting to alternative, and potentially more efficient modes of transport.

### 2. Eligibility:

- 2.1 Anyone with an innovative idea may enter this Innovation Prize Competition.
- 2.2 There are no constraints on age or nationality providing that the idea could help encourage sustainable mobility and reduce the impact of traffic in Malta.
- 2.3 Groups are welcomed to participate as one participant, and there are no restrictions as to numbers.

2.4. Employees (and their immediate relatives) of the sponsoring companies are excluded from participating in the Innovation Prize.

## 3. Entry Submission:

- 3.1 In order to enter the Project Aegle Innovation Prize contestants should visit www.projectaegle.com and fill in the registration form.
- 3.2 This registration form is divided into two: Contact information which includes email address, first & last name, where eligible company name and phone numbers. The second part revolves around the statement of one's idea in one sentence, what area does the idea cover and the agreement of the terms and conditions.
- 3.3 To complete the application the participant has to email his idea described in one page saved as a PDF document on info@projectaegle.com.mt.
- 3.4 If the participant would like to provide more information a maximum of 5 pages would be accepted. One can also add photos, graphics, budgets or any other relevant information one would like to share.

# 4. Deadlines, Timeline & Judging Process:

- 4.1 The Innovation Prize competition will kick off on the 1st September 2018.
- 4.2 Applications have to be submitted by not later than 15<sup>th</sup> November 2018.
- 4.3 By the start of December a jury consisting of national transport experts and sponsors will select the winners.
- 4.4 On the 14<sup>th</sup> December 2018 there will be announcement of the winners.
- 4.5 The prizes for the winners are:

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1^{\text{st}} Prize - €1,000

2^{\text{nd}} Prize - €500

3^{\text{rd}} Prize - €300
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- 4.6 We reserve the right not to award a prize in case no suitable ideas are judged to have been submitted.
- 4.7 Finally on the 24<sup>th</sup> January 2019 there will be an award ceremony.
- 4.8 Project Aegle has no involvement in or influence over the judging process.
- 4.9 The judges' decision is final and binding.

## 5. Intellectual Property:

- 5.1 Project Aegle is not responsible for acquiring any intellectual property rights relating to the innovative idea. It is the entrant's responsibility to secure protection for one's idea which is being entered before submission of the relevant entry.
- 5.2 By submitting an entry, each participant affirms ownership of all appropriate intellectual property in the idea.
- 5.3 Project Aegle reserves the right to utilize of the chosen ideas as required.

## 6. Liability and Termination

- 6.1 Without bias to any other right or remedy which it may have, Project Aegle shall be entitled, on written notice, to exclude the participation of a contestant (or their team) in the Innovation Prize for breach of these terms and conditions or for potentially bringing into disrepute Project Aegle.
- 6.2 Project Aegle shall under no circumstance be held liable for the loss of any paper or electronic mail and, more generally, the loss of any data.
- 6.3 A participant may at any time pull out his/her idea from the Innovation Prize on written notice to Project Aegle. When an Entry has been submitted by a team, an entry shall not be deemed to have been withdrawn unless and until all team members have notified Project Aegle of this in writing.

### 7. Personal Data:

- 7.1 By submitting an entry, participants authorize Project Aegle to use personal data collected during the registration process for the purpose of administering the Innovation Prize.
- 7.2 Project Aegle shall collect, store, use, handle and process participants' personal data. Participants shall be entitled at any time to access or amend their personal data held by Project Aegle by means of an e-mail or a letter addressed to Project Aegle.
- 7.3 Project Aegle will not pass participants personal data to third parties without the participants' prior written consent.

#### 8. Contact:

- 8.1 For more information, please see the prize website: http://projectaegle.com.mt/
- 8.2 For any questions, please contact us on info@projectaegle.com.mt