



SOVRINTENDENZA
TAL-PATRIMONJU KULTURALI
SUPERINTENDENCE OF CULTURAL HERITAGE

National Inventory of the Cultural Property of the Maltese Islands

NICPMI Inv. No. 01136

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Property Name	Palazzo De La Salle		
Address	Republic Street		
Town Name	Valetta	Toponym	N/A
Property Owner	Government	Managing Body	Society of Arts
Local Council	Valletta		
Guardianship Deed	-		

Period	Modern (16th to 20th Century AD)		
Phase	Early Modern: Knights of St John (1530-1798)		
Cultural Heritage Type & Value	Architectural Historical	Cultural Heritage Property Value Assessment	Very High
Property Function	Domestic	Conservation Area	UCA

Outline Description	Palace: Knights' Period
Property Description	Built in the early 17th century, this palazzo was bought by GM Perellos in 1713 and donated it to his nephews, with the proviso that the Treasury was to allow the enjoyment of the house and its dependencies to those knights, descendants of the Marquis de Dosaguas and of the Count d' Albatara, who presented themselves in Malta for service with the Order.. It has an astylar façade, where the ground floor is characterized by small window openings, while the first and second floors have regular window openings. The mouldings at first floor are in alignment with the elaborate dripstone over the main entrance, while those at second floor level have an alternating row of human faces and fleur-de-lys decorations. The major feature of the façade is the doorway with its distinctive circular opening situated between the door and lintel, and the corbels supporting the hood mould. A corner balcony is supported on ornate corbel wraps around the decorated corner. On the upper floor, above the second window from the left framed there is a coat-of-arms. In 1923, the Palazzo was eventually passed to the Malta Society of Arts, Manufactures and Commerce by Field Marshall Lord Plumer.

Scheduled by MEPA	Yes	Degree of Protection	Grade 1	G.N. No.	276	G.N. Date	2008
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Recommended Bibliography	Unknown Author, Palazzo de la Salle, artsmalta.org, 13 November 2012 http://artsmalta.org/palazzo-de-la-salle
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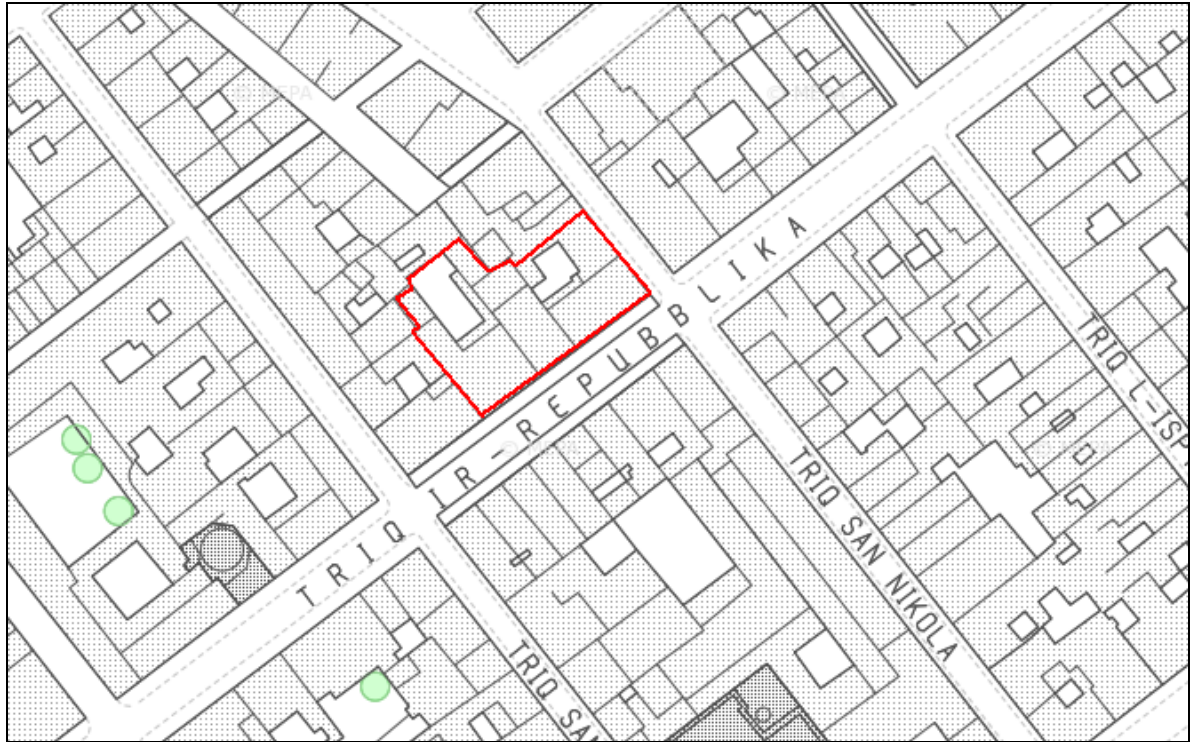
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Property Plan



Property Images

