



SOVEREIGN ORDER OF SAINT JOHN OF JERUSALEM  
KNIGHTS OF MALTA  
FEDERATION OF THE AUTONOMOUS PRIORIES  
*Grand Magisterial House*

**MAGISTERIAL CHARTER 06 / 2020**

To all Dames and Knights, Brethren of Our Sovereign Order and State  
let it be known by the present letters that

We, Jose, by the Grace of God Hereditary Regent and Grand Chancellor of the Sovereign Order of Cyprus, Hereditary Prior Procurator General of the Grand Priory of the Most Holy Trinity of Villedieu and, by the Will of Our fellow Knights, Grand Master and Head of the State of the Federation of Autonomous Priories of the Sovereign Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, also said of the Knights of Malta, in virtue of the Constitutional powers bestowed upon Us,

- in the sequence of a proposal presented by Our Lieutenant General and Prime Minister, His Grace Count Sir George Popper;

- after having considered the outstanding work done to support Our Sovereign Order and State as well as Our Humanitarian Work at international level, his commitment as Minister of Our Government and also the great renown of the person mentioned hereinafter, who is very known and very dear to Us;

- having in consideration that the above-mentioned merit deserves public recognition and appreciation and the person named hereinafter must be considered as an example for all men and women; and in accordance with Our Constitutional Letter, "de motu proprio"

By the present Charter We come to grant to

*Sir András Niklós, GCKM*

the

*Medal of Merit - Class Gold*

This Charter was given on one page at Our Grand Magisterial House in the city of Zejtun, "Cittá Belland", Malta, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of the month of July of the year of our Lord of 2020 and to it We have hereunto set Our hand and the seals in use at this House.

His Most Eminent Highness José, Prince  
GRAND MASTER AND HEAD OF THE STATE

