# **SUMMARY**

# DATED 28 MARCH 2025

This document is a Summary issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 4 of the Capital Markets Rules issued by the Malta Financial Services Authority and in accordance with the provisions of the Prospectus Regulation.

This Summary is being issued by:



# GPH Malta Finance p.l.c.

a public limited liability company registered under the laws of Malta with company registration number C 103534

with the joint and several guarantee of:

# **Global Ports Holding Limited**

a private limited company registered under the laws of England and Wales with company registration number 10629250

in respect of an issue of up to €15,000,000 5.80% unsecured bonds due 2032 issued and redeemable at their nominal value (at €100 per Bond)

Issued and redeemable at their nominal value (at € 100 per Bond)

ISIN: MT0002731215

Sponsor, Manager & Registrar



CAMILLERI PREZIOSI

Legal Counsel

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APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Stephen Xuereb

signing in his capacity as director of the Issuer and on behalf of Mehmet Kutman, Ayşegül Bensel, Jérôme Bernard Jean Auguste Bayle, and Taddeo Scerri

SUMMARY 1

# **INTRODUCTION AND WARNINGS**

This Summary is prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Prospectus Regulation and the delegated acts issued thereunder. This Summary contains key information which investors require in order to understand the nature and the risks of the Issuer, the Guarantor and the Bonds. Except where the context otherwise requires, the capitalised words and expressions used in this Summary shall bear the meanings assigned to them in the Registration Document and the Securities Note, as the case may be.

This Summary contains key information on the Issuer, the Guarantor, and the Bonds, summarised details of which are set out below:

	Issuer	Guarantor	
Legal and commercial name:	GPH Malta Finance p.l.c.	Global Ports Holding Limited	
Registered address:	45, 46 Pinto Wharf, 3rd Floor, 35 Albemarle Stre		
	Floriana FRN 1913, Malta	London, W1S 4JD, England	
Registration number:	C 103534	10629250	
Telephone number:	+356 25673000	+ 44 203 911 2315	
Website:	http://gphmaltafinance.com/	https://www.globalportsholding.com/	
Legal Entity Identifier ('LEI'):	2138001JPU17DTYN3W62	213800BMNG6351VR5X06	
Competent authority approving the Prospectus:	The MFSA, being the competent authority to approve prospectuses of any offer of securities		
	to the public in Malta in terms of the Financial Markets Act (Cap. 345 of the laws of Malta).		
Address of the MFSA:	Malta Financial Services Authority, Triq I-Imdina, Zone 1, Central Business District,		
	Birkirkara, Malta, CBD 1010		
Telephone number of the MFSA:	+356 2144 1155		
MFSA's website:	https://www.mfsa.mt/		
Name of the Bonds:	€15,000,000 5.80% unsecured Bonds due 2032 issued by the Issuer		
ISIN number of the Bonds:	MT0002731215		
Prospectus approval date:	28 March 2025		

Prospective investors are hereby warned that:

- this Summary should be read as an introduction to the Prospectus. It is being provided to convey the key characteristics and risks associated with the Issuer, the Guarantor, and the Bonds being offered pursuant to the Prospectus. It is not and does not purport to be exhaustive and investors are warned that they should not rely on the information contained in this Summary in making a decision as to whether to invest in the Bonds described in this document;
- (ii) any decision of the investor to invest in the Bonds should be based on a consideration of the Prospectus as a whole by the investor;
- (iii) an investor may lose all or part of the capital invested in subscribing for Bonds;
- (iv) where a claim relating to the information contained in the Prospectus is brought before a court, the plaintiff investor might, under the national legislation of Malta, have to bear the costs of translating the Prospectus before the legal proceedings are initiated; and
- (v) civil liability attaches only to those persons who have tabled the Summary, including any translation thereof, but only if the Summary, when read together with the other parts of the Prospectus, is misleading, inaccurate, or inconsistent or does not provide key information in order to aid investors when considering whether to invest in the Bonds.

# 1. KEY INFORMATION ON THE ISSUER

# 1.1 Who is the Issuer of the Bonds?

1.1.1 Domicile and legal form, its LEI and country of incorporation

The Issuer of the Bonds is GPH Malta Finance p.l.c., a public limited liability company registered in Malta in terms of the Companies Act (Cap. 386 of the laws of Malta), having company registration number C 103534. The Issuer was incorporated and is domiciled in Malta, with LEI number 2138001JPU17DTYN3W62.

# 1.1.2 Principal activities of the Issuer

The Issuer is a special purpose vehicle which has been incorporated in 2022. The Issuer does not itself carry on any trading activity other than for the purpose of funding the Group and when the demands of its business so require, and is accordingly economically dependent on the Guarantor and other Group companies.

The Guarantor is the world's largest independent cruise port operator, with an established presence in the Caribbean, Mediterranean and Asia-Pacific regions, and a commercial port operation in Montenegro. The Group's business divisions are twofold:- cruise business operations and commercial business operations.



The Group's cruise revenues are generated through two primary service categories:

- (i) core port services: revenues are primarily derived from handling cruise ships and their passengers and crew through
- terminal and marine services. The Group's customers and main counterparties are the world's leading cruise operators.
  (ii) ancillary services: revenues are derived from a portfolio of additional services offered at each port, including vessel and port services, destination and shoreside services and area and terminal management.

The Group's commercial port handles cargo from two distinct categories: (i) containers; and (ii) general bulk. It offers a range of complementary services in connection therewith, including stuffing and unstuffing containers, warehouse services and cargo weighing.

#### 1.1.3 Major shareholders of the Issuer

As at the date of the Prospectus, Global Ports Melita Limited (C 24361), holds 99.99% of the entire issued share capital of the Issuer, with the remaining 0.01% held by Ayşegül Bensel. In turn, Global Ports Melita Limited (C 24361) is wholly owned by Global Ports Europe B.V. (The Netherlands) (64504050), which is ultimately owned by the Guarantor.

# 1.1.4 Directors of the Issuer

The Board of Directors of the Issuer is composed of the following persons: Mehmet Kutman (Turkish passport U11437882, Chairman); Stephen Xuereb (Maltese ID 189872M, Executive Director and Chief Operating Officer), Ayşegül Bensel (Maltese passport 1319699, Non-Executive Director); Jérôme Bernard Jean Auguste Bayle (French passport 17DH64874, Independent Non-Executive Director); and Taddeo Scerri (Maltese ID 475055M, Independent Non-Executive Director).

#### 1.1.5 Statutory Auditors

The auditors of the Issuer as of the date of this Summary are PKF Assurance (Malta) Limited. The Accountancy Board registration number of PKF Assurance (Malta) Limited is AB/2/15/07. The annual statutory financial statements of the Issuer for the financial period commencing 18 October, 2022 to 31 March, 2024 were audited by PKF Malta Limited. The Accountancy Board registration number of PKF Malta Limited is AB/2/19/01.

# 1.2 What is the key financial information regarding the Issuer?

The following historical financial information of the Issuer is extracted from the first audited financial statements of the Issuer for the period 18 October 2022 to 31 March 2024, and the interim financial results of the Issuer for the six-month period 1 April 2024 to 30 September 2024:

Income Statement	18 Oct'22 to 31 Mar'24 (Audited)	6-mth period ended 30 Sep'24 (Unaudited)	6-mth period ended 30 Sep'23 (Unaudited)
Operating profit (loss) (€'000)	(58)	82	(40)
Statement of Financial Position	31 Mar'24 (Audited)	30 Sep'24 (Unaudited)	
Net financial debt (€'000)	17,341	17,391	
Cash Flow Statement	18 Oct'22 to 31 Mar'24 (Audited)	6-mth period ended 30 Sep'24 (Unaudited)	6-mth period ended 30 Sep'23 (Unaudited)
Cash flows from (used in) operating activities (€'000) Cash flows used in investing activities Cash flows from financing activities (4		(11) - -	(145) (17,650) 17,833

#### 1.3 What are the key risks specific to the Issuer?

The most material risk factor specific to the Issuer, which may adversely impact the operations and financial position of the Issuer should the circumstances mentioned therein materialise, is as follows:

#### 1.3.1 Risks relating to the Issuer's dependence on the Guarantor and its business

The Issuer is a finance company, with one of its purposes being that of financing or re-financing the funding requirements of the business of the Group, particularly that of the Guarantor. In this respect, the Issuer is mainly dependent on the business prospects of the Guarantor, and consequently, the operating results of the Guarantor have a direct effect on the Issuer's financial position and performance, and as such the risks intrinsic in the business and operations of the Guarantor shall have a direct effect on the ability of the Issuer to meet its obligations in respect of principal and interest under the Bonds when due.

The interest and capital repayments to be effected by the Guarantor in favour of the Issuer are subject to certain risks. More specifically, the ability of the Guarantor to effect loan repayments will depend on its respective cash flows and earnings, which may be restricted or affected by changes in applicable laws and regulations, by the terms of agreements to which they are or may become party, or by other factors beyond the control of the Issuer. The occurrence of any such factors could in turn negatively affect the ability of the Issuer to meet its obligations in respect of the repayment of principal and interest under the Bonds punctually when due.



# 2. KEY INFORMATION ON THE SECURITIES

# 2.1 What are the main features of the securities?

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indholder shall have such rights as are attached to the Bonds, including the repayment oital; the payment of interest; ranking with respect to other indebtedness of the Issuer; ght to attend, participate in and vote at meetings of Bondholders in accordance with the s and Conditions of the Bonds; the right to seek recourse from the Guarantor pursuant to uarantee, in case of failure by the Issuer to pay any sum payable by it to the Bondholders and to the Terms and Conditions of the Bonds; and the enjoyment of all such other rights ned to the Bonds emanating from the Prospectus;
onds are freely transferable and, once admitted to the Official List, shall be transferable in whole (i.e. in multiples of €100) in accordance with the rules and regulations of the MSE cable from time to time;
ond Issue is not subject to an underwriting agreement on a firm commitment basis.

# 2.2 Where will the securities be traded?

Application has been made to the MSE for the Bonds to be listed and traded on its Official List. The Bonds are expected to be admitted to the MSE with effect from 29 April 2025 and trading is expected to commence on 30 April 2025.

# 2.3 Is there a guarantee attached to the securities?

The Bonds are, jointly and severally with the Issuer, guaranteed by the Guarantor. The Guarantor unconditionally and irrevocably guarantees the due and punctual performance of all the obligations undertaken by the Issuer under the Bonds and, without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing, undertakes to pay any Indebtedness which shall become due and payable by the Issuer to Bondholders, upon first written demand by a Bondholder and such payment shall be due on the seventh Business Day following the Bondholder's first written demand to the Guarantor to pay. It is a condition precedent for the issuance of the Bonds that, *inter alia*, the Guarantor executes and grants the Guarantee.

# 2.3.1 The Guarantor

The Guarantor is Global Ports Holding Limited, a private limited liability company registered under the laws of England and Wales with company registration number 10629250 and having its registered office at 3rd Floor, 35 Albemarle Street, London, England W1S 4JD. The Guarantor was incorporated and is domiciled in the United Kingdom, with LEI number 213800BMNG6351VR5X06.



# 2.3.2 Key financial information of the Guarantor

The key financial information of the Guarantor on a consolidated basis is set out below (presented in thousands):

Income Statement	FY2024	FY2023	FY2022	6-mth period	6-mth period
	(Audited)	(Audited)	(Audited)	ended 30 Sep'24 (Unaudited)	ended 30 Sep'23 (Unaudited)
Operating profit (loss) (\$'000)	66,224	28,227	(29,684)	56,458	34,497
Statement of Financial Position	31 Mar'24	31 Mar'23	31 Mar'22	30 Sep'24	
	(Audited)	(Audited)	(Audited)	(Unaudited)	
Net financial debt (\$'000)	736,585	554,241	498,901	794,253	
Cash Flow Statement	FY2024 (Audited)	FY2023 (Audited)	FY2022 (Audited)	6-mth period ended 30 Sep'24 (Unaudited)	6-mth period ended 30 Sep'23 (Unaudited)
Cash flows from (used in) operating activities (\$'000) Cash flows used in investing activities (\$'000) Cash flows from financing activities (\$'000)	71,465 (159,506) 135,999	59,877 (76,721) 41,862	(9,573) (106,327) 46,472	57,834 (70,846) 49,325	27,887 (40,738) 18,136

# 2.3.3 Key risks that are specific to the Guarantor

The most material risk factors specific to the Guarantor, which may adversely impact the operations and financial position of the Issuer should the circumstances mentioned therein materialise, are as follows:

# 2.3.3.1 Epidemics and natural disasters

The Group's operations are inherently exposed to risks arising from incidents affecting some countries or destinations within its network. Catastrophes from adverse weather patterns or other natural disasters, or a resurgence in the pandemic could similarly have an adverse effect on the Group's operational results, financial position and performance, and trading prospects.

#### 2.3.3.2 The rights allowing the Group to operate its ports could be terminated before they expire

Even if the Group maintains full compliance with its concession or management agreements and local and national laws and regulations, its concessions can be terminated before they expire in certain exceptional circumstances. Any such early termination of the Group's concession or management agreements may have a material adverse effect on the Guarantor's business, results of operations, and prospects.

#### 2.3.3.3 The Group is subject to an increasingly complex regulatory environment and changes may negatively affect its business

In addition to complying with the terms of its concession agreements and related licences and permits, the Group must satisfy a range of legal requirements under the jurisdiction of various regulators. Although the Group seeks to continue to comply with all relevant laws, regulations and the terms of its concession agreements, licences and permits, to the extent it is not able to do so, it could be subject to significant administrative or civil penalties.

#### 2.3.3.4 Demand for cruise port services is sensitive to macroeconomic conditions

The Group's cruise port operations depend on visiting cruise passengers principally from developed countries, particularly the United States, the UK, and Germany. Economic uncertainty and the spending power of these passengers are influenced by factors beyond the Group's control, including local and global economic conditions, employment and discretionary income, and tax or interest rate fluctuations. These factors may impact the demand for cruises and cruise passengers' spending and may negatively affect the Group's revenue and profitability.

#### 2.3.3.5 Demand for cruise port services can be influenced by trends and perceptions beyond the Group's control

Factors outside the Group's control may negatively affect passenger demand for cruise holidays. Examples include events that cause consumers to perceive that cruise travel is unsafe or undesirable. The Group believes that the demand for cruising and other forms of leisure travel is primarily affected by passenger perceptions about safety. Accordingly, actual or perceived security issues, political or economic instability, terrorism, war and similar events may decrease demand for the Group's cruise ports. These factors may impact the demand for cruises port services and may negatively affect the Group's revenue and profitability.

# 2.3.3.6 The Group is exposed to risk related to integrating new ports

Growth by acquisition involves risks that could adversely affect the Group's operating results, including the substantial amount of management time that may be diverted from operations to pursue and complete port acquisitions. Acquisitions may expose the Group to operational challenges and various risks, including but not limited to: the successful integration of newly acquired businesses with existing operations; adapting the Group's management controls and corporate governance structures to its increased scale; the successful centralisation of shared resources of new port acquisitions; and maintaining, expanding or developing relationships with its customers, suppliers, contractors, lenders, and other third parties.

# 2.3.3.7 The risks of additional indebtedness

Currently, the Group has a material amount of debt, with gross debt totalling USD 920.0 million as at 30 September, 2024. It may also incur additional debt beyond the current level of indebtedness for the purposes of funding certain port investments or concession extensions. Such additional debt could have an adverse effect on the Group's leverage ratio and financial stability. Additionally, a substantial portion of the cash flow generated from the Group's operations is utilised to repay its debt obligations pursuant to financial covenants to which it is subject. This gives rise to a reduction in the amount of cash which would otherwise be available for funding of the Group's working capital, capital expenditure, and other general corporate costs. The Group may also be required to provide guarantees for certain debts contracted thereby. Defaults under financing agreements could lead to the enforcement of security over its cruise ports, leading to loss of operational rights or cross-defaults under other financing agreements.

# 2.4. What are the key risks that are specific to the securities?

# 2.4.1 No prior market

Prior to the Bond Issue, there has been no public market, nor trading record for the Bonds within or outside Malta. Due to the absence of any prior market for the Bonds, there can be no assurance that the Bond Issue Price will correspond to the price at which the Bonds will trade in the market subsequent to the Bond Issue.

# 2.4.2 Orderly and liquid market

The existence of an orderly and liquid market for the Bonds depends on a number of factors, over which the Issuer has no control. There can be no assurance that an active secondary market for the Bonds will develop, or, if it develops, that it will continue. Moreover, there can be no assurance that Bondholders will be able to sell the Bonds at or above the Bond Issue Price or at all.

# 2.4.3 Further public offers

No prediction can be made about the effect which any future public offerings of the Issuer's Bonds (including but not limited to the effects arising out of a change in the cash flow requirements of the Issuer or other commitments of the Issuer vis-à-vis the new security holders), or any takeover or merger activity involving the Issuer (including but not limited to a de-listing, in full or in part, of the Bonds), will have on the market price of the Bonds prevailing from time to time.

# 2.4.4 Ranking of the Bonds

Any secured or privileged debts of the Issuer shall rank at all times ahead of the obligations of the Issuer under the Bonds, as a result of which the Bondholders may not be able to recover their investment in the Bonds in the case of insolvency or an equivalent situation, whether in full or in part. Furthermore, third-party security interests may be registered which will rank in priority to the Bonds against the assets of the Issuer, as the case may be, for so long as such security interests remain in effect. The high gearing of the Company increases the materiality of such risk. As at 31 March, 2024, the Group's gearing ratio stood at 96.5%.

# 2.4.5 Subsequent changes in interest rates and potential impact of inflation

Investment in the Bonds involves the risk that subsequent changes in market interest rates may adversely affect the market value of the Bonds. When prevailing market interest rates are rising, the prices that market participants will generally be willing to pay for the Bonds can be expected to decline. Conversely, if market interest rates are declining, secondary market prices for the Bonds can generally be expected to rise. Moreover, the coupon payable on the Bonds is a nominal interest rate. The real interest rate is computed by subtracting inflation from the nominal interest rate, the result of which indicates the real return on the Bond coupons. In a period of high inflation, an investor's real return on the Bonds will be lower than the Bonds' nominal interest rate and thus undermine an investor's expected return. Furthermore, an increase in inflation may result in a decrease in the traded price of the Bonds on the secondary market.

# 2.4.6 Amendments to the Terms and Conditions of the Bonds

The Terms and Conditions of the Bonds contain provisions for calling meetings of Bondholders to consider matters affecting their interests generally. In the event that the Issuer wishes to amend any of the Terms and Conditions of the Bonds it shall call a meeting of Bondholders in accordance with the provisions set out for calling meetings of Bondholders. These provisions permit defined majorities to bind all Bondholders including Bondholders who did not attend and vote at the relevant meeting and Bondholders who voted in a manner contrary to the majority.

# 2.4.7 Risks relating to the Guarantee

In view of the fact that the Bonds are being guaranteed by the Guarantor on a joint and several basis, the Bondholders shall be entitled to request the Guarantor to pay both the interest due and the principal amount under said Bonds if the Issuer fails to meet



any amount when due in terms of the Prospectus. The Guarantee also entitles the Bondholders to take action against the Guarantor without having to first take action against the Issuer, if the Issuer fails to pay any sum payable by it to Bondholders pursuant to the Terms and Conditions of the said Bonds. The strength of this undertaking on the part of the Guarantor and, therefore, the level of recoverability by the Bondholders from the Guarantor of any amounts due under any of the Bonds, is dependent upon and directly linked to the financial position and solvency of the Guarantor.

# 3. KEY INFORMATION ON THE OFFER OF SECURITIES TO THE PUBLIC AND THE ADMISSION TO TRADING ON A REGULATED MARKET

# 3.1 Under which conditions and timetable can I invest in this security?

#### 3.1.1 Plan of Distribution and Allotment

The Bonds shall be made available for subscription by Authorised Financial Intermediaries pursuant to Placement Agreements to be entered into between such Authorised Financial Intermediaries, the Issuer and the Guarantor. The Placement Agreements are conditional upon the Bonds being admitted to the Official List. In terms of the Placement Agreements, the Authorised Financial Intermediaries shall subscribe for the Bonds either for their own account or for the account of underlying customers, including retail customers, subject to a minimum subscription amount of  $\notin$ 2,000 in nominal value of Bonds and in multiples of  $\notin$ 100 thereafter.

Authorised Financial Intermediaries are required to conduct a Suitability Test prior to selling the Bonds to prospective investors, irrespective of the investment service being provided. Such requirement shall also be applicable with regards to secondary trading. Prospective investors who fail the Suitability Test will not be eligible to invest in the Bonds.

Authorised Financial Intermediaries must effect payment to the Issuer for the Bonds subscribed to by not later than the Placement Date.

It is expected that an allotment advice will be dispatched to Applicants within five Business Days of the announcement of the allocation policy. The registration advice and other documents and any monies returnable to Applicants may be retained pending clearance of the remittance and any verification of identity as required by the Prevention of Money Laundering Act (Cap. 373 of the laws of Malta), and regulations made thereunder. Such monies shall not bear interest while retained as aforesaid. Dealings in the Bonds shall not commence prior to the Bonds being admitted to the Official List.

# 3.1.2 Allocation Policy

The full amount of the Bond Issue has been reserved for and shall be allocated to, Authorised Financial Intermediaries, in accordance with Placement Agreements. The Issuer shall announce the allocation policy for the allotment of Bonds through a company announcement available on the Issuer's website: http://gphmaltafinance.com/ by not later than 23 April 2025.

# 3.1.3 Expected Timetable of the Bond Issue

1	Placement Date	22 April 2025
2	Commencement of interest on the Bonds	22 April 2025
3	Announcement of basis of acceptance	23 April 2025
4	Expected dispatch of allotment advices	29 April 2025
5	Expected date of admission of the Bonds to listing	29 April 2025
6	Expected date of commencement of trading in the Bonds	30 April 2025

#### 3.1.4 Total Estimated Expenses

Professional fees, and costs related to publicity, advertising, printing, listing, registration, sponsor, management, registrar fees, selling commission, and other miscellaneous expenses in connection with this Bond Issue are estimated not to exceed €600,000 in the aggregate. There is no particular order of priority with respect to such expenses. The expenses pertaining to the Bond Issue shall be borne exclusively by the Issuer.

#### 3.2. Why is this prospectus being produced?

#### 3.2.1 The use and estimated net amount of the proceeds

The aggregate proceeds from the Bond Issue, which net of Bond Issue expenses are expected to amount to approximately €14,400,000, is intended to be utilised by the Issuer for the following purposes:

- (a) an amount of approximately €10,000,000 shall be on-lent by the Issuer to Global Liman İşletmeleri Anonim Şirketi, a Turkish subsidiary of the Group via the Guarantor, for the purposes of partially refinancing the unsecured short-term loans which were originally used to part-finance the Group's equity contribution in NCPL during the financial year ended 31 March 2022. Any remaining balance of these short-term loans not being refinanced as aforesaid is expected to be further extended and eventually repaid from the Group's own resources; and
- (b) an amount of approximately €4,400,000 will be applied for general corporate funding purposes of the Group.

# 3.2.2 Conflicts of interest pertaining to the Bond Issue

Save for the subscription for Bonds by Authorised Financial Intermediaries, and any fees payable in connection with the Bond Issue to M.Z. Investment Services Ltd as Sponsor, Manager & Registrar, in so far as the Issuer is aware, no person involved in the Bond Issue has an interest, conflicting or otherwise, material to the Bond Issue.

