



MERIDIAN TRUST LIMITED



OFFSHORE CORPORATE SERVICES

OFFSHORE CORPORATE AND LEGAL CONSULTANCY SERVICES
IN CYPRUS, HONG KONG AND UAE.



ABOUT US

Meridian Trust is a provider of bespoke corporate, trust and fiduciary services and a business law firm delivering personal service and practical commercial advice to ensure that your business will thrive.

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Run by a dedicated group of resourceful, knowledgeable, and customer-focused business lawyers, our organisation can help you set up and manage your company in Cyprus and other locations of the globe in an effortless, affordable, efficient, and judicious manner.

However, our range of services is not limited to company formation, bank account opening, and company management and administration duties.

Our team of lawyers, tax experts, and accountants can also help you with international tax planning, international trusts, asset protection, intellectual property and patent boxes, corporate bookkeeping and accounting, tax residency, immigration and residency, corporate restructuring, real estate and property and a host of other in-demand legal and financial services.

Our clientele includes professional intermediaries such as financial advisors, international law firms, business consultants and international tax advisors.

We offer genuine global coverage, with a worldwide network of corporate lawyers and company consultants, active in all key offshore company jurisdictions: Cyprus, the British Virgin Islands (BVI), the Seychelles, Belize, Hong Kong, Dubai and others.



WHAT MAKES US DIFFERENT

We have experience. We have been established for over 20 years.

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First—We are a boutique firm that offers you highly personalised, responsive, and timely service.

Second—As a client, you will always come first. We pay close attention to your needs, desires, and preferences, setting up tailor-made or bespoke solutions that will cater to and satisfy even the most demanding of customers.

Third—We partner up with highly skilled experts across the legal, accounting, wealth management, and tax industries to provide you with solutions to most—if not all—of your legal and financial challenges.

During our twenty-plus years in business, we have come to serve hundreds of organisations, companies, and professionals as our dearest clients.

These include entrepreneurs, software development and information technology companies, gaming developers, start-ups in a wide range of sectors, private and corporate investors, and multinational companies, among others.

Our flexible, quick-thinking, and savvy team is equipped to help organisations in most industries.



WHY CHOOSE MERIDIAN TRUST LIMITED?

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Twenty Years Plus of Experience

We've been in this market for over two decades, so we've picked up the skills, tools and knowledge needed to make things easy for your business.

Flexible & Highly Effective

We pride ourselves in our flexibility, a quality that allows us to adapt on the go and produce the best and most efficient results possible for your organization.

Legal & Financial Expertise at Your Fingertips

Our team's background is in law and finance, so your business and its accounts will always be in good hands with us. From setting up a company to accounting to setting up an international trust and to arranging your tax residency and beyond, numbers come first, second and last in our books.

Sound & Trustworthy Tax Advice

Since numbers are our forte, you will always have access to reliable, effective, and relevant international tax planning for your business. We have partnered up with some of the best tax experts in the market to deliver results for your company and support your long-term business growth.



CYPRUS COMPANY: WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

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Cyprus offers excellent business conditions.

Cyprus, through its remarkably beneficial tax system, is proving to be one of the most popular jurisdictions from where to perform international business. It is no wonder that the World Bank has described Cyprus as the "region's miracle".

Fundamental reasons why a Cyprus Company is one of the most popular company vehicles with which to conduct business:

- Competitive corporate tax rate of 15% on taxable profits
- Standard VAT rate of 19%
- Generally no withholding tax on outbound dividends, subject to applicable exceptions
- Extensive network of double taxation treaties
- Excellent business and professional infrastructure
- Opportunities for tax-efficient structuring
- Competitive operating costs
- Attractive jurisdiction for holding, trading, technology and IP businesses
- Established banking and financial services infrastructure
- Access to applicable EU directives and EU VAT registration
- Established EU legal and regulatory framework



WHAT ACTIVITIES CAN YOUR CYPRUS COMPANY DO?

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Your Cyprus company is multifunctional.

There are a number of company activities, tax wise, that are most effectively operated through a Cyprus company.

The most common examples are outlined here; however, the possibilities can be endless:

- International Trading
- International Property
- Investment Holding Companies
- E-Business
- Insurance and Re-Insurance
- Provision of Services
- Financing
- Property Ownership
- Leasing
- Employment
- Shipping and Ship Management Companies



OUR SERVICES

At Meridian Trust, we offer a full range of corporate services.

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COMPANY FORMATION

We provide complete company formation and corporate support services in Cyprus, the UAE, Hong Kong and other international jurisdictions, helping businesses establish and maintain the right structure for their commercial and investment objectives. Our services also include registered and business office solutions, secretarial and administrative support.

TAXES & TAX PLANNING

Our team provides international tax planning, Cyprus tax residency and Non-Dom solutions, corporate accounting and audit, tax and VAT services, helping individuals and businesses manage their affairs efficiently and meet their ongoing compliance obligations.

FINTECH & E-BUSINESS

We support technology, software, e-commerce and online gaming businesses with company structuring and the legal and corporate framework needed to establish and develop their operations internationally.



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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

We help businesses protect, manage and structure their intellectual property, including support with IP holding structures and the Cyprus IP Box regime for qualifying intellectual property.

INVESTMENT & BANKING

We assist individuals and businesses with bank account opening, investment structures, alternative investment funds, forex businesses, and mergers and acquisitions, providing practical support throughout the process.

IMMIGRATION

We provide comprehensive Cyprus immigration and residency services for individuals, families and businesses, including permanent residency, Digital Nomad Visas, temporary residence permits and other immigration solutions.



CYPRUS TAX AND TAX PLANNING

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It's highly likely that our recommendations will do much to increase the profits of your business.

By combining our expert tax planning services with our bespoke corporate services, our tax-related recommendations can be implemented quickly and easily, without having to involve a third party such as a tax law firm.

Taking into account your business goals, we will identify any areas where making some changes could reduce tax and by doing so, make a real difference to your bottom line. Areas for consideration include:

- International trade and property
- Tax Residency
- Provision of services
- Investment holding companies
- Financing
- Property ownership
- Citizenship and Residency
- Employment
- Ship registration and management



ACCOUNTING AND AUDIT

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Cyprus VAT and income tax.

Our qualified, local accountants will ensure that your accounts are not only complete and accurate, but also meet national and international accounting standards. The specific accountancy-based services our tax professionals offer include:

- The preparation of accurate and comprehensive financial records (in as many currencies as required) and filing those accounts securely
- The preparation and submission of your quarterly IBS accounts
- The preparation and filing of your Cyprus VAT returns
- Carrying out audits and preparing reports in accordance with international tax and international financial reporting standards

Request a free quote on +357 24812050, email: info@meridian-trust.com.



HAVE A QUESTION? SCHEDULE YOUR FREE 30 MIN. CONSULTATION

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Because we care about you and your business.

We know that choosing the right overseas location for your business is not a task to be taken lightly. We also understand that because we are on the spot and you are not, you may have questions that aren't answered on this website.

That's why we offer a [free 30-minute consultation](#), either over the telephone, via *WhatsApp*, or via email.

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