



# **NETHERLANDS** COMPANY FORMATION

## **Process & Timeframe**

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# COMPANY FORMATION IN THE NETHERLANDS

### The Netherlands' formation process & timeframe

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The Netherlands is an attractive jurisdiction for businesses looking to establish operations within the European Union. Known for its stable political environment, competitive tax regime and modern infrastructure, the Netherlands is a preferred choice for multinational corporations, especially in sectors like technology, finance and logistics. In addition to its role as a business hub, the Netherlands is also emerging as a key player in the regulated iGaming sector, with a reputable and transparent licensing regime.

### PROCESS

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Incorporating a company in the Netherlands follows a structured process, ensuring compliance with local laws and regulations, including AML and KYC checks. We guide clients through the full process, from document preparation to obtaining the necessary licences and permits.

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### **Preparation of documents**

o **Memorandum and articles of association:** These documents outline the company's activities, governance structure, and share capital.

o **Due diligence:** Gather identification documents (such as passports and proof of address) for all directors and shareholders to ensure compliance with AML regulations.

#### Filing with the Chamber of Commerce

Submit the memorandum and articles of association, bank deposit receipt, and identification documents to the Dutch Chamber of Commerce for review.

#### **Tax registration**

The company must register with the Dutch tax authorities to obtain a Tax Identification Number (TIN) for tax filings.

#### **Employment registration**

If the company plans to hire employees, it must register with the Dutch social security authorities as an employer.

#### **Deposit of share capital**

Open a corporate bank account in the Netherlands and deposit the required share capital. The bank will provide a receipt, which is necessary for company registration.

# Issuance of certificate of incorporation

Upon approval, the Chamber of Commerce will issue a certificate of incorporation, legally recognising the company.

#### **VAT registration:**

If the company's turnover exceeds €20,000, VAT registration is mandatory. A VAT number can be obtained from the Dutch Tax and Customs Administration.

#### **Licences & permits**

Depending on the business activity, additional licences or permits may be required. This is particularly relevant for regulated industries such as finance and real estate.



### TIMEFRAME

### Typical timeframes of 2-4 weeks

The company formation process in the Netherlands generally takes between 2 and 4 weeks, depending on the complexity of the business and the documentation provided.





### **OUR SERVICES**

### All-encompassing iGaming services



### **Company formation**

Establishing and structuring your legal entity in multiple jurisdictions.

**Compliance & regulatory support** 

and responsible gaming requirements.

Ensuring your operation meets local AML/CFT, KYC



### **Licence application**

Comprehensive support for the licensing process.



### **Ongoing management**

Handling post-licensing requirements such as renewals, reporting and compliance.

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With years of experience across the gaming sector—spanning roles with gaming companies, technical solution providers and strategic consultancy at operational and regulatory levels—we are wellequipped to help you navigate the industry's complexities. Based in Malta, Curaçao and Cyprus we are well-equipped to handle any requirement and guide you through the industry's complexities.



ALEXIA PANZAVECCHIA HEAD OF CORPORATE & COMPLIANCE "I'm committed to helping our clients navigate the complexities of corporate structures, providing bestin-class solutions that support their long-term business goals."



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