### Property Name
Chapel of St. Anne

### Address
Fort Sant' Irmu

### Town Name
Valletta

### Toponym
St. Elmo

### Local Council
Valletta

### Property Owner
Government

### Managing Body
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### Period
Medieval (6th to 16th Century AD)

### Phase
Early Modern

### Cultural Heritage Type & Value
- Architectural
- Artistic
- Historical

### Cultural Heritage Property Value Assessment
Very High

### Property Function
Religious

### Conservation Area
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### Outline Description
The oldest chapel within the fort, near the Porta del Soccorso, is being restored and will be retained as a Church.

### Property Description
The old chapel which has existed since 1488, lies within Fort St. Elmo and predates the fort itself. It was incorporated in the works of the bastions when the Knights built the fort in the 16th century. Some sources state that predating the building of Valletta, the dedication of this church was St Elmo. The chapel was re-dedicated to St. Anne in the mid-16th century. The church although of modest dimensions is embellished with ornate stone carvings that date to the seventeenth century.

### Scheduled by MEPA
No

### Degree of Protection
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### G.N. No.
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### G.N. Date
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