Ease of Doing Business in Malawi

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa
Income Category: Low income
Population: 18,143,315
City Covered: Blantyre

Rankings on Doing Business topics - Malawi

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Topic Scores

- Starting a Business: 77.9 (rank 153)
  - Score of starting a business: 77.9
  - Procedures: 7
  - Time: 37
  - Cost: 32.6
  - Paid-in min. capital: 0.0

- Dealing with Construction Permits: 63.1 (rank 128)
  - Score of dealing with construction permits: 63.1
  - Procedures: 13
  - Time: 153
  - Cost % of warehouse value: 8.4
  - Building quality control index: 9.5

- Getting Electricity: 45.4 (rank 171)
  - Score of getting electricity: 45.4
  - Procedures: 6
  - Time: 127
  - Cost % of income per capita: 1,709.2
  - Reliability of supply and transparency of tariff index: 0

- Registering Property: 64.9 (rank 90)
  - Score of registering property: 64.9
  - Procedures: 6
  - Time: 47
  - Cost % of property value: 1.7
  - Quality of the land administration index: 10.5

- Getting Credit: 90.0 (rank 11)
  - Score of getting credit: 90.0
  - Strength of legal rights index: 11
  - Depth of credit information index: 7
  - Credit registry coverage % of adults: 0.0
  - Credit bureau coverage % of adults: 40.2

- Protecting Minority Investors: 58.0 (rank 79)
  - Score of protecting minority investors: 58.0
  - Extent of disclosure index: 4.0
  - Extent of director liability index: 7.0
  - Ease of shareholder suits index: 7.0
  - Extent of shareholder rights index: 5.0
  - Extent of ownership and control index: 2.0
  - Extent of corporate transparency index: 4.0

- Paying Taxes: 62.4 (rank 135)
  - Score of paying taxes: 62.4
  - Payments (number per year): 35
  - Time (hours per year): 169
  - Total tax and contribution rate (of profit): 34.5
  - Posting index (0-100): 33.2

- Trading across Borders: 65.3 (rank 127)
  - Score of trading across borders: 65.3
  - Time to export: 75
  - Documentary compliance (hours): 75
  - Border compliance (hours): 78
  - Cost to export: 342
  - Documentary compliance (USD): 243

- Enforcing Contracts: 47.4 (rank 149)
  - Score of enforcing contracts: 47.4
  - Time (days): 522
  - Cost % of claim value: 69.1
  - Quality of judicial processes index: 9.5

- Resolving Insolvency: 34.9 (rank 134)
  - Score of resolving insolvency: 34.9
  - Recovery rate (cents on the dollar): 15.6
  - Time (years): 2.6
  - Cost % of estate: 25.0
  - Outcome: 0 (as piecemeal sale and 1 as going concern): 0
  - Strength of insolvency framework index: 8.5