

EPAnEK 2014-2020

OPERATIONAL PROGRAMME

COMPETITIVENESS • ENTREPRENEURSHIP • INNOVATION



Supporting the Establishment and Operation of New SMEs in the Tourism Sector

The enterprise SMARTRENT S.A based in Central Macedonia Region, has joined the Action "Supporting the Establishment and Operation of New SMEs in the tourism sector" with a total budget of **689 million €** (500,6 million € from EPAnEK and 188,4 million € from Regional Operational Programmes). The Action aims at supporting tourism entrepreneurship by establishing new very small, small and medium - sized enterprises in the tourism sector.

The investment's total budget is 399.982,30 € out of which 199.991,15 € is public expenditure. The Action is co-financed by Greece and the European Union - European Regional Development Fund.

The approved subsidised Business Plan includes expenditures on the following categories:

- ✓ Buildings, other facilities and surrounding area
- ✓ Machinery, installations and environmental protection equipment along with energy and water saving equipment.
- ✓ Certification of quality assurance systems and environmental management
- ✓ Preparation and monitoring the implementation of the Investment Plan

Through the participation in the Action, the enterprise achieved:

- ✓ Competitiveness improvement
- ✓ Increase of profitability
- ✓ Reinforcing an extrovert business profile
- ✓ Market expenditure by adopting new products and services
- ✓ Creating better quality products and services
- ✓ Increasing productivity and improvement of operational procedures
- ✓ Reinforcing entrepreneurship
- ✓ Creating / maintaining job positions

The support of EPAnEK proved beneficial, not only for the enterprise but for the competitiveness of the national as well as the local economy.



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SUPPORT MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES AFFECTED BY COVID-19 IN CENTRAL MAKEDONIA

The enterprise SMARTRENT S.A. with headquarters in the Region of Central Macedonia, was co-financed by the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) of the European Union (EE) for the implementation of its project under the Action "Support micro and small enterprises affected by Covid-19 in Central Macedonia" under the framework of the Operational Program «Central Macedonia» 2014-2020.

The Action is aimed at empowering micro and small enterprises in the Region of Central Macedonia in the form of a non-repayable grant to ensure sufficient liquidity to deal with the effects of the Covid-19 pandemic.

Investment's total budget is 26.533,29€ (100% public expenditure). The Action is co-financed by Greece and the European Union - European Regional Development Fund.



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