







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

The enterprise "LIVARDAS 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 $50.000,00 \in (100\% \text{ public expenditure})$. The Action is cofinanced by Greece and the European Union - European Regional Development Fund.



REGION OF CENTRAL MACEDONIA

MANAGING AUTHORITY

O.P. Region of Central Macedonia



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The enterprise Livardas SA based in Central Macedonia-Greece region, has joined the Action "Upgrading micro & small businesses to develop their skills in new markets" with a total budget of **310 million €**. The Action aims at the upgrading of the competitive position of very small and small enterprises.

The investment's total budget is 150.085,32 € out of which 75.029,68€ is public expenditure. The Action is cofinanced by Greece and the European Union - European Regional Development Fund.

The approved subsidised Business Plan includes investments in the following categories:

- ✓ Buildings, other facilities and surrounding area
- ✓ Machinery Equipment
- ✓ Intangible expenses
- √ Wage costs for personnel (current and /or new employees)

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.







