



CCDR Algarve Statement

Algarve Regional Coordination and Development Commission – CCDR Algarve, as the Managing Authority of the Regional Operational Program - CRESC ALGARVE 2020 - expressed from the outset all support to AREAL – Algarve Regional Agency for Energy and Environment as SET UP partner of the Algarve Region of Portugal, and has also been a member of the Local Group of Stakeholders.

We had the opportunity to participate in some meetings of the Local Stakeholders Group and even address the topic in the Algarve Regional Innovation Council (CIRA) that promotes a regional participation model to contribute to the Regional Energy Strategy 2030.

In these contexts, it was possible to follow and participate in the development of the project and to be aware of the quality of the work developed.

The Action Plan results and brings together the contributions of all the stakeholders involved and constitutes a working tool of great utility for the development of the Algarve Region.

In this context, we endorse the Action Plan submitted by AREAL in the context of the Interreg Europe project SET-UP.

Faro, October 2019

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'F. Serra', with a horizontal line underneath.

Prof. Francisco Serra

President of Algarve Regional Coordination and Development Commission