

## **A few words for us**

Cosmos Aluminium was founded in 2007 and is a Greek purely export company in the aluminium extrusion market sector.

The company is located in the region of Larissa. Cosmos Aluminium employ more than 60 people and is one of the most technologically advanced factories of aluminium extrusion in Europe.

Cosmos Aluminium contributes in the development of the local society by creating new occupations while at the same time by its exporting activities advertises the presence and productivity of Greece in a universal level.

The company is certified according to the ISO 9001:2008 standard and it is the first company in Greece and one of the few, worldwide that is authorized to use the CE label on all of its products that are going to be used in the construction sector.

## **A message from the President**

In the whirl of the economical crisis that afflicts the world and all the more our country, the companies and the communities related on them are proved by adversity.

It is time for careful planning and decisions, decisions that will lead to development and prosperity.

Cosmos Aluminium had the infelicity to start its enterprises within the crisis. This, however, had a positive side because everyone is more responsible and has realized the meaning of the cautious management of the financial, environmental and human recourses that are available.

For Cosmos Aluminium cautious management is in no way connected with violation of vested rights and regulations. It is connected with the impeccable business ethics and correct-targeted investments. Investments which will reinforce the status of the company and will create a safer working environment, together with a sustainable future not only for the company but for the broader community as well.

## **Bound by our values...**

### *Human Resources*

"For Cosmos Aluminium health and safety are the foremost objectives in our operations. We do not perceive our human resources as part of our production chain, but rather as precious power that fulfills our dreams." <http://www.cosmosaluminium.gr/en/vision.htm>

Cosmos Aluminium was certified by an international house according to the OHSAS 18001:2007 for health and safety in the plant.

At the same time a special sound insulating construction has reduced the production noise into the half.

The personnel in Cosmos Aluminium is secured against accidents for a 24hour cover also in a private body and no salary is below the legal limit.

Additionally, we created a fully equipped health center in our premises and a special doctor pays regular visits.

## *Environment*

"For everyone in COSMOS ALUMINIUM, environment is a valuable asset which must be passed on to the next generations. For that reason, we are trying to assure that all our actions and activities are based on energy saving, recycling and the least possible amount of emissions." <http://www.cosmosaluminium.gr/en/vision.htm>

We have been operating only for the last three years; however our procedures are certified according to the ISO 14001:2004.

We are following procedures that prevent the air pollution and unnecessary emissions. At the same time, we try to reduce to the minimum the impact of our activities upon the environment by investing in the sustainable development.

We have brought into operation a modern installation which allows the gathering and reuse of the 98% of the caustic soda which is necessary for the production procedures, while the rest 2% will be recycled in a private company which we are about to sign a contract with.

Additionally, from the first day of our operations, we follow a recycling program for the auxiliary materials used not only in the production but also in the head offices.

## *Society*

The company is totally aware for its important role in the local society. It directly supports 60 families, while it promotes the local business by purchasing auxiliary materials and other necessary services.

No matter the small operational time of our company, the social work it provides is great: a lot of donations have been given to local sports teams and subsidies to cultural events which aim at the promotion of the local traditions.