

# ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY POLICY

The Tarragona Port Authority is very much aware of the constant challenges it faces in maintaining its competitive position in a global economy, as well as in meeting the demands of society to care for the environment and use energy resources responsibly.

It is therefore a permanent objective for us to achieve excellence in environmental and energy management within the area of the Port of Tarragona. Attainment of this objective requires the firm support of the Port Authority Presidency and General Management, who expressly assume the commitments included in the following policies:

**To control and minimise the environmental impact arising from port activities, especially in the areas of atmospheric emissions, sewage disposal, waste generation and the consumption of natural resources.**

**To cooperate with the companies working in the port and other public administrations for preventing and combating pollution in the port environment.**

**To foster the minimisation, reuse, recycling and efficient management of the waste generated in the port.**

**To promote environmental and energy awareness through training programmes and to encourage teamwork among all those members of the organisation whose work impacts on environmental and energy management.**

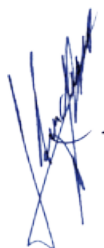
**To continuously improve the energy performance in our facilities and operations during their entire life cycle, optimising the technology and design of the processes and the operation of the facilities, and supporting the acquisition of energy efficient products and services.**

**To set annual environmental and energy efficiency improvement targets and objectives. In order to comply with these, the General Management of the organisation commits to ensure the availability of information and allocating the necessary resources.**

**To ensure that the legal requirements regarding the environment and energy efficiency are met, as well as other related requirements the organisation has signed up to, and making certain its operations and installations are adapted to any changes in the regulations.**

**To communicate the environmental and energy policy to all employees and spread it among its interest groups (port community, contractors, etc.), as well as making it available to the public.**

The President



Josep Andreu i Figueras

The Director General



Ramón I García Rodríguez