

Commitments for the Environment, Climate and Sustainable Development

This document presents the commitments of the environmental policy of Guadeloupe Port Authority (Grand Port Maritime de la Guadeloupe).

Guadeloupe Port Authority (Grand Port Maritime de la Guadeloupe)is dedicated to the minimization of its impact on environment and the restoration and preservation of land and maritime ecosystems – notably through Cáyoli and LIFE Adapt'Island programs working at the implementation of new corals, mangroves, and seagrass and with a particular focus on sensitization actions to raise awareness on environmental issues and promote a synergy of actors and practices towards more sustainable and resilient natural environments. The programs and ambition go beyond the obligations of compliance with the current regulation.

To minimize environmental effect and impact Guadeloupe Port Authority (Grand Port Maritime de la Guadeloupe) commits to:

- 1. Put protection of the environment and nature conservation as a priority in the management of the port maintain and improve our environmental management program and performances.
- 2. Rely on adequate quality research to adopt our environmental policies and comply to the present and future environmental policies and requirements to which we subscribe as far as it is economically justified.
- 3. Prevent as much as possible environmental incidents and be highly prepared to reduce the effects of any incidents that may occur.
- 4. Preserve and reinforce the multilevel dynamic adopted by a strong cooperation with clients, suppliers, authorities but also the local community and relevant organizations to specify demands, formulate strategies and fulfil our environmental policy.
- 5. Minimize negative environmental effects at any stage of production, use and destruction/recycling of any products and services.
- 6. Train employees and participate to the sensitization of the general public to environmental issues and encourage good practices.
- 7. Revise the environmental policy when possible as soon as an improvement is possible or an adaptation necessary.
- 8. Make sure that all necessary resources for the implementation of our environmental policy are allocated.

9. Publish an annual report available to the public – more generally, update the public on the Guadeloupe Port Authority (Grand Port Maritime de la Guadeloupe)activities relating to our commitments for environment.

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