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First Report for the Fire Relief and Reconstruction Program

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Public Benefit Foundation

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by the John S. Latsis Public Benefit Foundation and Eurobank EFG.



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The involvement of the Eurobank EFG Group in the fields of Education, Culture, Sports and the Environment is the cornerstone of its social contribution since its very inception, and till this date. Nevertheless, in 2007 the Group's social contribution was marked by the programme for the support of fire stricken regions and citizens, which aims at providing assistance to all victims of August 2007 devastating wildfires, through specific actions.

In 2007, the Group's sponsorship and social contribution outlays reached €29 million, i.e. more than tripled as compared to 2006. The total social product of the Bank exceeded €1.2 billion, as compared to €961 million in 2006, registering a 28% increase.

SOCIAL PRODUCT

The contribution of the Bank to the "Social Product" in 2007		(€million)
The Bank's Turnover		5,345
Various Income and Income from Participations		679
VAT on Added Value of the Company		2
Operational, Other Expenses and Depreciation (before Staff Remuneration, Tax and Donations / Sponsorships)		(4,800)
Social Product		1,226
Distribution of the "Social Product"		(€million)
I. State		
Income Tax and Various Taxes		150
Contribution to Social Security Institutions (Employer and Employees)		95
Value Added Tax		2
Employees Tax		40
		288
II. Company		
Retained Earnings / Reserves		259
III. Personnel		
Total Gross Pay		253
Other Allowances to Employees		25
Staff contribution to Social Security Institutions (Employer and Employees)		(34)
Employees Tax		(40)
Profit Distribution to Employees		21
		225
IV. Shareholders		
Net Dividend*		425
V. Donations/Sponsorships		29
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Charities

In 2007, Greece went through exceptionally difficult times. Last summer's devastating fires killed more than 65 people, caused widespread property damage and, above all, brought about untold harm to the natural environment. The Eurobank EFG Group and the John S. Latsis Public Benefit Foundation jointly compiled a €60,000,000 program for the support of fire-stricken citizens and the restoration of fire-damaged regions.

From September to December 2007, the two organizations channelled €25,000,000 for:

- Write-off of all mortgage, consumer and farmer loan obligations of fire-stricken families.
- The provision of immediate financial assistance of €4,000 (in two instalments) to all University and Polytechnic students that come from the fire-stricken regions of the prefecture of Elia.
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It is estimated that the program has directly benefited more than 5,700 families and businesses from the prefectures of Ileia, Achaia, Messinia, Lakonia, Arcadia, Evia, Korinthia, Etoloakarnania and Attica. The infrastructure projects are expected to provide indirect benefits to the inhabitants of all the aforementioned prefectures.

It is worth noting that, from September to December 2007, the employees of the Bank dedicated more than 3,000 man-hours to the implementation of the programme, while 19 branches located in fire-stricken prefectures worked hard both in order to realize the Group's plans and to distribute the State's subsidies to the fire-stricken.

The program of Eurobank EFG and the John S. Latsis Public Benefit Foundation will be continued during 2008, aiming at the relief of the fire-stricken, the enhancement of the mechanisms designed to prevent similar tragedies and the restoration of the environment.

Moreover, in 2007 the Eurobank EFG Group offered donations to a large number of organizations. Cases in point are the donations granted to the Hatzikyriakio Child Care Institution, the Social Paediatric Friends Association "Anihti Agalia", the Spastic Society of Northern Greece, the "Together for Children" Association, the "Hara" Centre, etc.

Moreover, in 2007 a new playground was delivered to the "MITERA" Infants Centre and a children's creative occupation area was delivered to the Paediatric Clinic of the AHEPA Hospital of Thessaloniki. Both projects were made possible through donations by the personnel of the Wholesale Banking Division.

Eurobank Cards, a subsidiary of the Eurobank EFG Group, assumed the sponsorship of the “Neuropsychological Rehabilitation Programme for Brain Injured People”, a new pilot program launched by the Hellenic Society for Disabled Children (ELEPAP). The sponsorship, which was made in honour of a venerable senior executive of the Group, Mr. George Alvertis, covers a five-year period and incorporates the cost for the design and the material infrastructure of the program.

Moreover, “Open 24” made a donation to the “Homeless Foundation” of the City of Athens, for the construction of a new roof that is necessary for the orderly, safe and decent catering of almost 1,100 people per day. During the Christmas season the financial support to the institution was supplemented by contributions in kind (food) by the company’s employees.



In December 2007 the Eurobank EFG Group supported the work of the Hatzikyriakio Child Care Institution, the Social Paediatric Friends Association “Anihti Agalia”, and the Spastic Society of Northern Greece. It publicized this initiative by means of a Christmas card, which was created by the winner of the First Prize (Petros Filoxenidis, aged 6.5) at the annual drawing contest held for Group employee children.

Education

Knowledge and Education are the keystones of every civilized society and a necessary condition for individual and collective development. The Eurobank EFG Group believes that Education should be definitely protected from all risks of depreciation, and for this reason it is necessary to endorse initiatives that promote the importance of timeless values, such as the achievement of knowledge and meritocracy.

In this vein, in 2003 the Eurobank EFG Group created the “Great Moment for Education” program, which has evolved into an institution that is warmly welcomed by the teachers, the pupils and their families and, in general, the local societies throughout Greece. At the end of the day, it is their support that adds value to the program and bears excellent proof that the Group’s initiative has been effective.

In 2007, Eurobank EFG completed the fifth cycle of its “Great Moment for Education” program, one of the main pillars of its social responsibility track record. More than 5,600 distinguished high school graduates from all over Greece have received awards since the launching of the program in 2003. More specifically, 1,164 high school graduates from approximately 1,300 public and private, daily and night, schools all over the country, were awarded in 2007.

This programme, which is realized with the support of the Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs, covers approximately 230,000 pupils attending the final year of secondary education. In 31 award ceremonies, held from October to December 2007, Eurobank EFG bestowed awards to the graduates that achieved the highest grades of their schools at the pan-Hellenic university admission examinations. Each award was accompanied by a €1,000 prize, deposited in a Eurobank account in the name of the distinguished pupil.

The Group continued the practice established in 2006 and in 2007 did not only reward the best pupils, but also the High School that produced the graduate who scored the highest grade in each Prefecture at the pan-Hellenic university admission examinations. This award is symbolic and indicates that schools are the hotbed of ideas, values and visions. Eurobank EFG presented each award-winning High School with a commemorative plaque and a state-of-the-art computer, thus contributing to the improvement of school infrastructure.

After the completion of the program for the school year 2006-2007, the Bank held the annual ceremony to award the “best of the best” graduates from each Prefecture of Greece, in the presence of his Excellency, the President of the Republic of Greece, Mr. Karolos Papoulias.



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“A State that is
not founded on Education,
is like an edifice
built on sand.”

Adamantios Korais

We support education We reward effort

For a 5th consecutive year, Eurobank EFG rewards the top graduate from each Greek High School, who achieved the highest score at the University admission exams, through the “Great Moment for Education” program. Having rewarded more than 4,500 top graduates till this date, we are cultivating an institution that encourages young people to follow the path of learning and progress.



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Indicative poster promoting the co-operation between Eurobank EFG and FWH.

The award ceremonies program is supplemented by the bestowal of various benefits of social and cultural nature to the recipients of the awards, such as invitations to the events organized by the Group and provision of information and updates regarding the Bank's progress.

In 2007, Eurobank EFG supported the Foundation of the Hellenic World (FWH) for a seventh year in a row, through the systematic sponsorship of four programmes. The "Hellenic World" cultural centre of the FWH, and the exhibitions it hosts, received more than 96,000 visitors during the year.

Eurobank EFG was the exclusive sponsor of the "Theatre, the Art of Arts" exhibition, which in June 2007 was transferred from the "Hellenic World" to Corfu, presenting the pupils, and the public, of this island with the opportunity of making a tour into the magical world of theatre. In early 2008, the exhibition would move to Chania, Crete, as part of the sponsorship.

In the context of its association with the FWH, Eurobank EFG sponsored the "Is there an answer to everything? A journey to the world of Greek Mathematics" exhibition, as well as the "Hellenic History on the Internet", and "Olympics through Time" internet portals. Both portals attract large numbers of visitors, since they are major sources of information on their respective subjects.

Culture

The year 2007 marked the beginning of a new three-year association between the Eurobank EFG Group and the “Kamerata - Orchestra of the Friends of Music” of the Athens Concert Hall. This association, which began in 1994, has evolved into a creative relation that transcends time, designed to promote passion and interest for music and raise the Greek public’s awareness on classical, as well as contemporary, musical creation.

The public’s response to the Kamerata’s work during all these years demonstrates the success of this orchestra; being its sponsor, Eurobank EFG feels the responsibility, as well as the joy of contributing to art and culture.

Apart from its scheduled appearances in the Athens Concert Hall, the orchestra has been active all over Greece and abroad (England, Italy, France, Austria, Germany, Spain, Sweden, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Hong-Kong). It also has a remarkable contribution to Greek musical creation: since its formation in 1991, the Kamerata has presented first performances of, and has recorded, many works from Greek composers, the majority of which has been composed especially for the orchestra; moreover, it has been conducting special workshops for young composers. In 2007, the Kamerata made a total of 69 performances, 43 of which took place away from the Athens Concert Hall.

Along with its artistic program, the orchestra continued for a third year the educational program “Kamerata Goes to School” that has been prepared in cooperation with the Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs. This program, which is addressed to primary and secondary education pupils, was attended by 7,600 children from 38 schools in 2007.

The Eurobank EFG Group has also been supporting the Children’s Stage of the National Theatre since 2001. In 2007, the Children’s Stage produced 213 shows in Athens and the rest of Greece. In September, the Children’s Stage staged two Bank-sponsored plays, one in Veria and one in Agrinion, which were attended by more than 2,000 people.

In the field of fine arts, the Private Banking Division of Eurobank EFG has been realizing two innovative initiatives since 2004.

The first initiative concerns the Department’s cooperation with the National Art Gallery, for the organization of major exhibitions of the work of great Greek artists. The “Paris-Athens, 1863-1940” exhibition was held from December 18, 2006 till March 31, 2007 under the auspices of the French and Greek Ministries of Culture. The exhibition, which was visited by more than 100,000 art lovers and members of the general public, presented 160 works by Greek painters, 60 works of French artists, as well as 170 prints made by artists from both countries.

Two retrospective exhibitions of the work of great Greek artists had been presented in the past two years, as part of the same collaboration: the exhibitions of Georgios Iakovides and Alekos Fasianos.

Moreover, the Private Banking Division presented the “Great Moment for Culture: Promoting Young Artists” program, for a third year. Since 2005, Eurobank EFG and the School of Fine Arts, have awarded prizes to 15 top-ranking graduates of the School: Leda-Dionysia Alexopoulou, Andreas Mitropoulos, Antonis Donev, Anargyros Paschalis, Evangelia-Leda Tendoma, and Nikoleta Theodora Tsavaki, the top graduates for 2004; Dimitris Andreadis, Varvara Datsouli, Vasilis Perros, Nickos Sepetzoglou, Stavroula Stavropoulou and Costas Tzimoulis, the top graduates for 2005; Georgia Mouchou, Leonidas Papadopoulos and Marianna Christofidou, the top graduates for 2006. Each prize includes a monetary award of €10,000 and the organization of exhibitions featuring the work of the prize-winners by the Private Banking Division. The exhibition of their work and the accompanying catalogue, present these young Greek artists with the opportunity to show their work and make their entry into the world of art. Moreover, this initiative enables the general public to share a new, innovative artistic proposal.



The awarded top-ranking graduates of the School of Fine Arts for the year 2007.

Sports

The Eurobank EFG Group is the exclusive sponsor of the Hellenic Basketball Federation since 2001. The Greek Men's National Basketball Team has maintained its position among the European and world elite of the sport for three consecutive championships. In 2007, Greek Basketball celebrated the silver medal at the European Young Men's Championship. Moreover, at the "Eurobasket 2007", Europe's basketball major event that was held in Spain, the Men's National Team came fourth and reserved a place at the qualifying tournament for the Beijing 2008 Olympics that will be held in Athens.

The feats of the Men's National Basketball Team in recent years demonstrate that whoever strives consistently and continuously to create, stand out and succeed, will surely achieve ambitious goals. For Eurobank EFG the values of fair play and honest competition permeate all fields of activity and are not restricted to the field of sports, but inspire the most lively and active parts of our society.

Eurobank EFG is also the sponsor of Golden Olympic Winners, Sofia Bekatorou and Emilia Tsoulfa. This sponsorship included the implementation of the "Live Sailing" program for a third year; the program is designed to attract young sports lovers, who want to get acquainted with sailing. In 2007, the two athletes visited 12 athletic nautical clubs in different Greek cities and islands, as well as three schools. According to estimates, almost 2,000 children, aged 8-14, had the opportunity to "live sailing" next to the two Olympic Winners and have their very first contact with the sport.

Moreover the Eurobank EFG Group became the exclusive sponsor of the Greek crew in the Yngling category. In 2007, S. Bekatorou and her crew, won Greece's first bronze medal in this category, at the European Sailing Cup that was held in Germany. Subsequently, at the World Championship that was held in Miami, USA, the team qualified for the Beijing 2008 Olympics as the only Greek crew in the Yngling category.



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Communication of a contest for the Bank's hospitality programme, offering accommodation and tickets for the 2007 European Basketball Championship, held in Spain.

The Environment

Environmental protection is a considered duty for Eurobank EFG. In 2003, the Bank initiated its environmental protection effort by enacting its official Environmental Policy, which aims at mitigating the Bank's adverse environmental impacts.

It should be noted that the impacts from the operation of a bank are both direct, i.e. those stemming from the daily operations of its branches and offices as well as indirect, i.e. those that arise from interaction with its clients and suppliers.

Since 2004, Eurobank EFG is the first and only bank in Greece and one of the few banks in Europe, to have established an externally certified ISO 14001 compliant Environmental Management System. The Bank's efforts towards this direction were sustained in 2007, through the program for the expansion of the System to subsidiary companies in Greece and abroad. The completion of this ambitious program is expected in 2009.

As in financial issues, Eurobank EFG also systematically measures and records its environmental performance by means of appropriate indicators. In the context of its Environmental Management System and based on the findings of its environmental indicators, the Bank upgrades and renews annually its environmental targets, aiming at the constant improvement of its environmental performance. Moreover, environmental protection activities are designed and implemented.

Environmental issues are deemed crucial by the Bank's Management and have been entrusted to a special Environmental Committee, chaired by the General Manager—Operations, Technology & Organization. The Environmental Steering Committee comprises the managers of all the Bank's units involved in Environmental Management, such as procurement, technical services, financing, human resources, corporate communication, so that environmental management policies and actions are co-ordinated at a strategic level. The Environmental Office, established in 2004, is responsible for the consistent and integrated day-to-day management of environmental procedures and actions.

The environmental performance of Eurobank EFG is annually assessed by means of special sustainability indices, on behalf of the so-called Socially Responsible Investors. It is worth noting that the share of Eurobank EFG is included in the FTSE4Good Europe and FTSE4Good World indices, which comprise organizations that show increased environmental sensibility.

The improvement of the Bank's environmental performance does not only foster its sustainable growth, but also generates competitive advantages, such as the reduction of operating expenses and the exploitation of new business opportunities, e.g. the development and promotion of "green" banking products.

Eurobank EFG believes that collaborations provide the only way for achieving the international target of sustainable development. To this end, it has been a member of the United Nations Environment Program Finance Initiative (UNEP FI) since 2005, an initiative that aims at protecting the environment and promoting sustainable development. As part of its actions for the promotion of "green banking", in January 2007 Eurobank EFG presented its "Green" products at a special one-day conference held by the UNEP FI in Athens, on "Sustainability and Corporate Social Responsibility in the Greek Banking and Insurance Sector".

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Support to Volunteer Forest Protection Organizations

The John S. Latsis Public Benefit Foundation and Eurobank EFG, in the context of their program for the restoration of fire-damaged regions, the provision of relief to the fire-stricken and the enhancement of the mechanisms designed to prevent, manage and remedy national disasters, call all volunteer organizations (national, regional, prefectural and local) that are registered with the General Secretariat of Civil Protection in the fields of fire protection/forest fire-fighting, to apply for the **donation of operational equipment** that will facilitate their work.

Volunteer organizations must submit a written application by Friday, March 14 2008, at the following address:
John S. Latsis Public Benefit Foundation, 59 Diligiani, Kifisia 145 62, with the inscription: "Volunteer organization support program".

The applications submitted by volunteer organization must include the following information:
Name – Communication Details of Persons Responsible and Headquarters – Copy of the Articles of Association – GGCP Register Number – Domain – Fields of Activity – Number of Active Members – Brief Record for the past few years.

For more information and a model application form, interested parties may visit the website of the John S. Latsis Public Benefit Foundation, at www.latsis-foundation.org as well as the website of the Eurobank EFG group at www.eurobank.gr or call 210 6282206.



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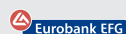
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Financial Support to Students from Ileia

In an effort to support the fire-stricken of the prefecture of Ileia, the John S. Latsis Ileians' Scholarships Foundation announces its decision to grant a special financial assistance – covered by the John S. Latsis Public Benefit Foundation – of four thousand euros (€4,000) per student, to all Ileian students attending Greek universities (AEI) and technical colleges (TEI) who come from fire-damaged regions in the prefecture of Ileia.

The duration of the program is two years, and will cover the academic years 2007/2008 and 2008/2009. The beneficiaries of the programme are all AEI and TEI undergraduates from the fire-stricken regions of the Prefecture of Ileia* who registered in the academic years from 2004/2005 to 2008/2009.

The deadline for submission of documents is 16 November 2007.

For more information about the implementation of the program, interested parties should visit the website of the John S. Latsis Ileians' Scholarships Foundation at www.latsis-scholarships.gr



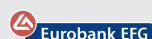
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Full write-down of fire victim's obligations

In an effort to support our fire-stricken fellow citizens, Eurobank EFG has initiated the full write down of mortgage, consumer and farmer loans that have been extended to families that lost relatives, and to persons who lost their principal residence or other vital assets, as a result of this year's wildfires.

The program concerns the inhabitants of the fire-damaged prefectures*: Etoloakarnania, Argolida, Arcadia, Arta, Attiki, Achaia, Viotia, Evia, Zakynthos, Elia, Thesprotia, Kefallinia, Korinthia, Lakonia, Larissa, Magnesia, Messinia and Fthiotida



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Environmental performance

The interaction of Eurobank EFG with the environment is reflected on the Bank's published environmental performance data, thus ensuring transparency on one hand and support to the "ecological footprint" control efforts on the other. In order to ensure that the Bank's environmental performance is comparable to that of the rest of financial sector, special indicators have been developed, based on those published by the internationally accepted Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) Organization. The most important environmental indicators are the following:

Branch and Premise areas

The total area covered by the Bank's branches and administration buildings increased by a mere 0.65%, from 309,000 square meters in 2006 to 311,000 square meters in 2007. It should be noted that throughout the entire 2007 the Bank implemented a plan for the relocation of its Back Office operations to the former ATHOC complex in the district of Nea Ionia, which has been refurbished and modernized.

Energy

One of the permanent targets of the Bank concerns the long-term stabilization of water consumption per square metre (m²), despite the rapid expansion of its network. This target was achieved in 2007, since the annual consumption of energy decreased by 7%, from 216 KWh per square meter in 2006 to 202 KWh per square meter in 2007.

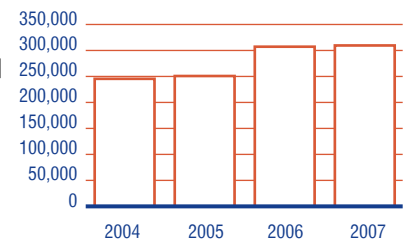
Similarly, energy consumption per employee decreased by 12% in 2007, and amounted to 8,166 KWh, as compared to 9,271 KWh per employee in 2006. In 2007, the Bank continued to equip its buildings or branches with new air-conditioning units, fitted with systems that can produce energy savings of 73%.

Paper

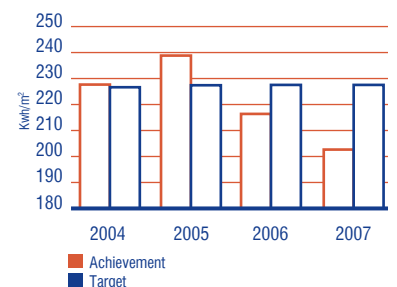
The rationalization and control of paper consumption is one of the Bank's major environmental targets. Thus, annual paper consumption fell by 1% in 2007, to 85 kg per employee.

The bank has introduced paper recycling since 2005, and to this end, special metal recycling/shredding bins have been installed in the Branches and Administration premises throughout Attica. In 2007, the recycling/shredding process was expanded to the prefecture of Thessaloniki. The total quantity recycled during 2007 amounted to 361 tons, as compared to 351 tons of paper recycled in 2006, and accounted for 55% of paper supplies for 2007. For the time being, the Bank considers expanding its paper recycling programme to the rest of Greece, however this effort is impeded by the lack of contractors' local infrastructure.

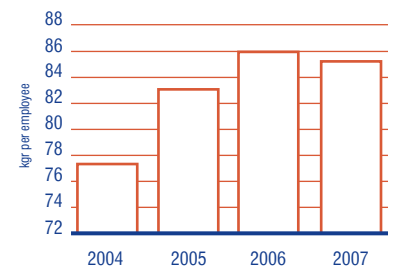
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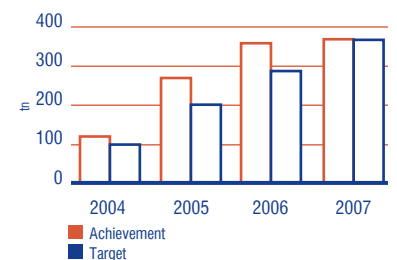
Energy Consumption (kWh) per m²



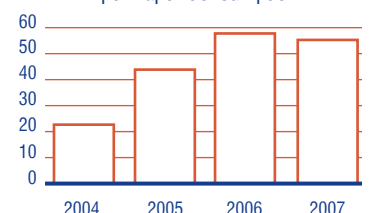
Paper Consumption per employee



Paper recycled (tn)



% of Paper Recycled per Paper Consumption



Water

Water is the most important natural resource, and for this reason the Bank attaches great importance to its preservation. Water-saving measures include the installation of air-cooled air conditioning systems, which consume less water. The Bank's target is to stabilize annual water consumption per area square metre unit (m²) to levels less than or equal to 0.22 cubic meters. In 2007, water consumption amounted to 0.19 cubic meters per area square metre (m²) unit, representing a 13.6% decrease from 2006.

Computer equipment and supplies

In 2007, the Bank insisted on its fixed policy of purchasing materials with limited environmental consequences, such as dry batteries, in order to avoid any leakage of hazardous liquid substances. Total toner use amounted to 5.18 units per employee, as compared to 5.05 in 2006. Moreover, 8,245 toner units were recycled in 2007, as compared with 5,067 in 2006, registering an increase of 38.5%. In addition, the Bank continued its computer equipment donation programme, as part of an effort to manage the lifecycle of the materials it purchases. Thus, in 2007 it offered 2,196 computer items to schools, as compared to 500 in 2006.

Greenhouse Gas Emissions

Climate change is one of the gravest international environmental concerns and for that reason Eurobank EFG attaches great importance to its contribution to the ways it is addressed. The Bank belongs to the services sector; therefore it does not directly emit large quantities of greenhouse gases. Nevertheless, the Environmental Management System estimates the Bank's indirect contribution to the emission of pollutants from the power plants that produce the energy it consumes. Greenhouse Gas emissions as a result of the Bank's activities amounted to 53,510 tons of carbon dioxide (CO₂) equivalent in 2007, as compared to 56,187 tons in 2006.

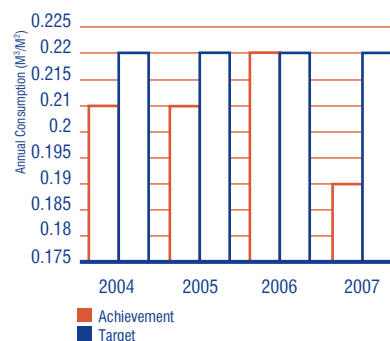
Eurobank EFG had set the target of stabilizing emissions to 0.20 tons of carbon dioxide (CO₂) equivalent per area unit (m²). The target was met, since gas emissions amounted to 0.17 tons per area unit (m²) in 2007, reduced by 5.5% year-on-year.

Green banking products

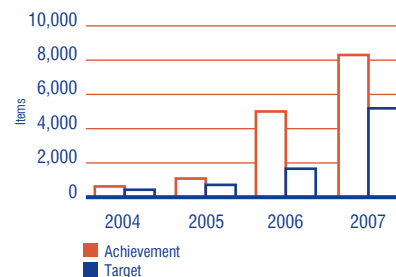
The Bank has developed a series of "green" banking products, designed to protect the environment. Therefore, in 2007 the Bank issued 16,856 new Visa WWF credit cards, raising the total number of active cards to 50,000. In 2007, WWF Hellas received €149,199 from the transactions performed through Visa WWF, in order to finance its environmental protection effort.

Moreover, Small Business Banking has developed and provides professionals and businesses with green products such as loans for the purchase of environmentally friendly equipment by dry-cleaning establishments, the acquisition of new environmentally friendly taxis and buses, as well as the installation of natural gas facilities in business premises.

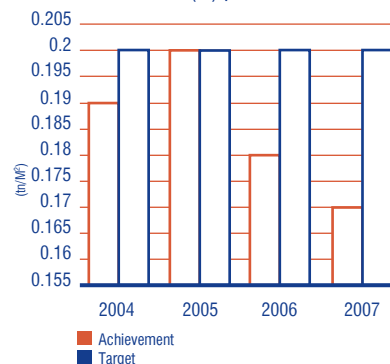
Water Consumption (m³) per m²



Recycled Toner



Greenhouse Gas Emissions (GHG) (tn) per m²



Personnel Training

The Bank is actively seeking to raise its employees' awareness on environmental issues.

In order to raise employee knowledge/awareness, the Training Division continued its Environmental Management seminars during 2007 with the participation of 643 people, doubling the ratio of environmentally trained employees from 8.9% to 16.7% of the Bank's workforce.

In addition, the Bank's employees are regularly updated on environmental issues through the EUROBANKER, an internal publication that includes a standard column on the Environment.

Moreover, the Bank's intranet includes a page especially dedicated to the continuous provision of environmental updates to personnel. In 2007, the Environment Office and the Training Division jointly launched the development of a pioneering e-learning programme, with the aim of training the Bank's personnel on environmental issues and on the relevant procedures of the Bank, through the use of state-of-the-art electronic means. The programme is expected to come on-stream in 2008.

Protection of Mount Parnes

In 2005 the Bank launched, in co-operation with WWF Hellas, the "Learn, Participate, Protect - Mount Parnes National Forest" program, whose target was to demonstrate how a protected area can be efficiently managed, to raise awareness about the Forest's importance, and to stress the need for its protection.

Nevertheless, in consequence of the wildfire that broke out on Mount Parnes in June 2007, destroying a large part of the National Forest, most of the actions included in the program were called off, the only exception being, the environmental training.

The environmental training package that had been created with the approval of the Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs was updated in 2007 and is still distributed to schools all over Greece.



Photographs of the restoration works at Ancient Olympia, which were financed by the John S. Latsis Public Benefit Foundation and Eurobank EFG.

Social Contribution Abroad

Bulgaria

Postbank is one of the leading banks in Bulgaria. Following the merger with DZI Bank in November 2007, under the common legal name Eurobank EFG Bulgaria AD, Postbank now controls the third largest network in the country with more than 230 points of sale throughout the country and a workforce of over 3,000. The Bank's financial growth goes hand-in-hand with its significant social activity, through the support of various programmes and actions in the fields of Education, Culture and Sports.

In the field of Education, Postbank continued for a third year its "High Start with Postbank" program, which promotes secondary education in Bulgaria. By means of this program, which is realized under the auspices of the Bulgarian Ministry of Education and Science, Postbank offered 147 scholarships to pupils from 20 cities during 2007. The beneficiaries were eighth grade pupils, distinguished at foreign language examinations. Since its inception, the program has granted scholarships worth €113,000 to 500 pupils from 500 schools around the country.

Postbank has also been co-operating with the local division of AIESEC, the largest pupil organization in the world, for the joint organization of the annual "Leadership Day". The Bank was also the official sponsor of a one-day media conference addressed to students of the Journalism and Public Relations School of the St. Kliment Ohridski University in Sofia.

Postbank also sponsored a series of cultural initiatives, including the organization of "The 50s Show", as well as a classical music concert featuring the Sofia and Vidin philharmonics. In Sports, Postbank was the main sponsor of the Aesthetic Gymnastics National Ensemble, which won the gold medal at the World Cup Finals, hosted in November 2007 in Sofia.



Romania

In 2007, Bancpost sustained its strong growth rates. Its network reached 237 branches and 16 business centres, with a workforce of more than 3,900. The Bank also showed a significant increase in operations volume, in terms of loans to both businesses and individuals.

Bancpost's involvement in social benefit projects is one of its main corporate principles and forms part of the organizations strategy: to be the leader in the banking sector of the country, trying at the same time to make a contribution to society.

The business philosophy of Bancpost lies in returning part of its revenues to society in need of support. More specifically, initiatives concerning the country's youth are at the heart of the organization's activity. In cooperation with the Rotary Club of Constanza, Bancpost financed the shooting of a movie about the war against drugs, which will be shown at all schools throughout the country. Similarly, in 2007 the Bank joined forces with the National Anti-Drug Agency and the "Totul pentru viata" association, in order to organize the awarding ceremony for the winners of a nation-wide campaign, titled "My message against drugs". Various awards were given to young people for their work in literature, photography, design, sports, etc.

In 2007, Bancpost also supported the "Habitat for Humanity" organization, which provides housing for disabled individuals. This initiative was not a mere sponsorship activity, but a team effort for the Bank, whose employees participated in building these homes. Support was also extended to other organizations that support the elderly, the pensioners, and children suffering from the Down syndrome.

Finally, Bancpost provided financial and material support to cultural activities that were organized by the local authorities of many Romanian cities, such as the Romanian Navy Day in Constanza.



Serbia

Following the legal merger between EFG Eurobank A.D. Beograd and Nacionalna Štedionica Banka (NSB) into a single bank, called Eurobank EFG Štedionica, the operational merger between the two banks was completed in April 2007. The new bank numbers 101 branches and five business centres.

Since its establishment in 2003, EFG Eurobank has combined a dynamic growth strategy with contribution to society. On the occasion of NSB's acquisition by the Eurobank EFG Group, the Bank announced a €3,000,000 social contribution program for the support of activities in the fields of Education, Health and the Environment. The program was titled "We Invest in European Values".

In the field of education, Eurobank EFG grants scholarships to top graduates from five state universities of the country. The Bank intends to turn this programme implemented since 2006 into an institution of Serbian education. In 2007, 100 scholarships were granted to graduates that scored grades of 9.5 and above and fulfilled a series of additional conditions, such as foreign language knowledge, involvement in extracurricular activities and interest for the development of the local society. Scholarship recipients were selected by a specialized independent international institute. Each one received €1,000 that was deposited in an account opened with the Bank.

Environmental protection is supported by Eurobank EFG Štedionica through the "Eurobank Parks" program, which promotes the reconstruction of parks and other green areas in major Serbian cities. By the end of 2007, the Bank had signed six agreements with the municipal authorities of the following cities: Belgrade (Botanical Garden), Pančevo (National Garden), Pozarevac (Sunny Park), Jagodina (Teachers Faculty, to be renamed Eurobank EFG Park), Novi Sad (Dunavski Park), and Nis (Cair Park).

It is also worth noting the close cooperation with the CRID (Centre for Inclusive Society) for the creation of the "Eurobank Rainbow Park", the first park in the region that will provide access to disabled individuals, and is designed in accordance with the "Design for All" principles of the European Institute for Design. In 2007, Eurobank EFG and the CRID joined forces to redesign the Bank's central branches in various areas of the country, in order to ensure full accessibility to disabled individuals.

In 2007, Eurobank EFG Štedionica sustained its contribution in the field of Culture, by sponsoring various cultural events throughout the country, such as the performance of the US Tulsa Ballet, a performance by Angela Papazoglou, the Maria Callas night with the Greek Embassy etc.



Poland

Polbank EFG was established in Poland by Eurobank EFG in 2006. The new Bank grew rapidly during the first two years of its operation and by the end of 2007 operated 254 branches and points-of-sale throughout the country.

Since its very inception, Polbank EFG has been implementing two social contribution programs: The “Polbank for Children” initiative with actions exclusively directed to children in need and a second program, aimed at supporting events that promote the Greek cultural heritage in Poland.

The “Polbank for Children” focused, for a second year, on the support of the Bank’s employees to the “Fundacja Spelmionych Marzeń”, an institution that provides care to young leukemia patients. The program was financed by both the Bank and its employees. In addition, Polbank’s employees offered volunteer services to children’s hospitals, focusing on the patients’ actual needs. For example, the employees undertook the daily care of two infants, whose parents could not pay daily visits to the hospitals. Material support was also provided to the family of one of the two infants.

Moreover, Polbank EFG volunteers organized events for the little patients within the hospitals, such as painting lessons and theatrical performances, and also offered presents, including a book titled “The Land of Happiness”, which was written by the employees themselves. Finally, a grand Christmas dinner was organized in one of the hospitals.

Polbank EFG also supported other initiatives of the “Fundacja Spelmionych Marzeń”, designed to promote its purposes by raising public awareness. Special leaflets were placed in the Bank’s branches, and special events were organized, e.g. a pick nick on Children’s Day. The Bank was one of the main sponsors of a fashion show, which was attended by celebrities and young patients from Warsaw’s oncology hospitals. Financial support and volunteer service were also offered for the organization of the “Onco-Olympic Games”, which aimed at the provision of moral supports to the patients and their family, both during and after treatment. The Games were such a success, that the institution considers turning them into an international event in the forthcoming years.

As part of the “Polbank for Children” program, the Bank offered financial support to a summer camp for children suffering from haemophilia, and promoted the activity of a volunteer blood donors’ organization, the “Blood Brothers” (Krewniacy). It also sponsored a series of lesser initiatives, aimed at satisfying the needs of local communities around the country.

In regard to the second program for the promotion of Greek culture, Polbank EFG sponsored an exhibition of religious icons from the Benaki Museum, as well as an exhibition of the Emiliios Velimezis collection. The exhibition was placed under the auspices of the President of the Republic of Greece, Mr. Karolos Papoulias and the President of Poland, Mr. Lech Kaczynski. Both collections are priceless and comprise part of the Greek cultural heritage, while their presentation in Poland attracted rather flattering remarks.

Moreover, Polbank EFG sponsored a show held in memory of Maria Callas, on the occasion of the 25th anniversary from the death of the great soprano. Famous Greek artists participated in the show, which was organized by the Greek embassy in Poland, while the narrative of Maria Callas’ life was presented by a friend of hers, the Italian critic, Mrs. Giovanna Lomazzi. Finally, the Bank supported a concert by the “World Jazz Ensemble” which is led by a Greek guitarist.