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## ZAL OF THE PORT OF BARCELONA IS CERTIFIED IN THE ISO 50001

- *CILSA, company that manages the **ZAL Port** – received on December 20, 2017 the ISO 50001 certificate that has been audited and certified by Bureau Veritas Certification, thanks to compliance with the highest standards in the management of the **Activities Logistics Area of the Port of Barcelona**, to officiate the use and consumption of energy aimed at energy efficiency.*

The axis of the project to get the certification is based on compliance with the environmental and energy policy of the **ZAL Port**, designed to pick up the commitments and objectives of the company, which it voluntarily exercised from the beginning of this logistic development, until they got ISO 14001 certifications in 2015 and 2016 certification EMAS III, promoting best practices, ethical management, and keeping as a reference thanks to be pioneers in this respect.

With this new environmental certification, CILSA closes the circle of a process that has been relevant to its environmental management system in the areas of its competence, and to demonstrate its commitment to the environment. This certificate certifies that the **ZAL Port**, complies with requirements established by Standard ISO 50001: 2011 which is based on the requirements that this energy management system must comply with in order to carry out continuous and systematic improvements of energy efficiency, that contributes to a more efficient and more sustainable use of energy, giving it confidence in the management system.

The latest measures that fall under its environmental policy which consisted of the replacement of the public lighting of the park by LED lighting. This allowed substantial energy savings in addition to greatly reduces the CO<sub>2</sub> emissions. In the Service Center building, the lighting and air conditioning installations were replaced by LED lighting and the latest generation climate; solar film was installed on the glazing of the building that filters light and intensity of heat and other corrective measures that achieved a great energy saving.

Alfonso Martínez, CEO of CILSA, pointed out: "Management systems offer a continuous improvement capability and the ISO 50001 is the global standard for energy management, minimizing costs and emissions. Energy has become a key indicator for companies and organizations. Saving energy means saving operating costs. Reducing energy consumption implies and demonstrates greater attention for the preservation of natural resources. These actions are for the **ZAL Port** a priority since CILSA seeks to fulfill and contribute to a truly sustainable development that also results in benefits for our customers. "

The implementation of the system has been developed by CILSA's own staff, including training and awareness-raising of workers, fostered the culture of respect and commitment to the environment, which is the basis of the success of this project.





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### About CILSA - ZAL Port

CILSA (Intermodal Logistics Center, S.A., S.M.E.) is the commercial company that manages the port concession of the Logistics Activities Zone (**ZAL Port**) of the Port of Barcelona.

CILSA manages **239 hectares** located in the municipalities of Barcelona (69 ha), El Prat de Llobregat (143 ha) and CZFB (27 ha), and has built directly to **the ZAL Port** a total of **467,931 square meters of logistics renting warehouses (GLA)** that offers in regime of rent including a building of offices of 10,328 of GLA sqm known as Service Center. Also, CILSA has granted a land right to clients who have built about 178,433 sqm of warehouses, setting up a logistics park of **646,364 square meters**, pioneer in Spain in this type of developments.

The **ZAL Port** has a total of **452,200 square meters** of net floor being able to build **320,000 sqm of new logistics warehouses**, giving response to any logistics need and reaching almost the 1.000.000 sqm of state of the art logistic infrastructures once it is complete developed.

CILSA has led the development, promotion and commercialization of this area since its foundation in 1992 and has been a pioneer in social and environmental action. A referent regarding good practice, has implemented the environmental management system **ISO14001** with the aim of engage to a respectful and efficient growth. It also has acquired the European distinction **EMAS**. Altogether, plus its dimension, its logistics offer and flexibility, make of the **ZAL Port** the logistic platform referrer of the sector.

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