

Comissão Europeia recolhe contributos: EMAS (Sistema Comunitário de Eco-Gestão e Auditoria) para a Administração Pública

A Comissão Europeia está a trabalhar numa Decisão sobre um documento do EMAS (Sistema Comunitário de Eco-Gestão e Auditoria) para a Administração Pública.

A CE está, nesta fase, a recolher contributos de todas as entidades interessadas.

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Sobre o EMAS:

The eco-management and audit scheme (EMAS) is a scheme for voluntary participation by organisations committed to continuous environmental improvement. Within this framework, this SRD provides sector-specific guidance to the public administration sector and points out a number of options for improvement as well as best practices.

The document was written by the European Commission using input from stakeholders. A Technical Working Group, comprising experts and stakeholders of the sector, led by the JRC, discussed and ultimately agreed on the best environmental management practices, sector-specific environmental performance indicators and benchmarks of excellence described in this document; these benchmarks in particular were deemed to be representative of the levels of environmental performance that are achieved by the best performing organisations in the sector.

The SRD aims to help and support all organisations that intend to improve their environmental performance by providing ideas and inspiration as well as practical and technical guidance.

The SRD is primarily addressed to organisations that are already registered with EMAS; secondly to organisations that are considering registering with EMAS in the future; and thirdly to all organisations that wish to learn more about best environmental management practices in order to improve their environmental performance. Consequently, the objective of this document is to support all organisations in the public administration sector to focus on relevant environmental aspects, both direct and indirect, and to find information on best environmental management practices, as well as appropriate sector-specific environmental performance indicators to measure their environmental performance, and benchmarks of excellence.

O Sistema Comunitário de Eco-Gestão e Auditoria (EMAS) é um mecanismo voluntário destinado a empresas e organizações que querem comprometer-se a avaliar, gerir e melhorar o seu desempenho ambiental, possibilitando evidenciar, perante terceiros e de acordo com os respetivos referenciais, a credibilidade do seu sistema de gestão ambiental e do seu desempenho ambiental. Deste modo, o EMAS é estabelecido numa organização visando a avaliação e melhoria do desempenho ambiental e o fornecimento de informação relevante ao público e outras partes interessadas em termos de prestação ambiental e de comunicação da mesma.

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