Athens, October 11, 2024

Growthfund: One Proposal Submitted for the Concession of Kalamata International Airport

Growthfund announces that today, October 11, 2024, one proposal has been submitted in the tender process for the **concession of rights to manage, operate, develop, expand, maintain, and exploit Kalamata International Airport "Captain Vassilis Constantakopoulos"**. The 40-year concession tender attracted interest from major domestic engineering groups and international airport operators.

The proposal was submitted by the investment consortium:

- ✓ **Consortium of FRAPORT AG - DELTA AIRPORT INVESTMENTS S.A. - PILEAS S.A.,**
  consisting of:
  (a) FRAPORT AG FRANKFURT AIRPORT SERVICES WORLDWIDE (Germany)
  (b) DELTA AIRPORT INVESTMENTS S.A. (Greece)
  (c) PILEAS HOLDINGS S.A. (Greece)

The evaluation of the proposal will commence immediately, following the established procedures, with the aim of announcing the Preferred Investor by the end of 2024.

Growthfund's primary objective, through the concession of Kalamata Airport, is to implement a series of investments within a comprehensive business plan aimed at expanding and upgrading the airport's infrastructure and ensuring a high-quality combination of operational and maintenance services.

Furthermore, **Growthfund will acquire a 10% stake in the Concessionaire Company's share capital** to ensure project continuity and accelerate the completion of upgrades, enhancing tourism in Messinia and the wider southern Peloponnese region.

A few words about Growthfund

Growthfund is a holding company established in 2016 with the Greek State as its Sole Shareholder, represented by the Minister of National Economy & Finance. As the National Investment Fund of Greece, its mission is to actively contribute to the modernization of State-Owned Enterprises, maximize the value of public assets, ensure the delivery of enhanced services to citizens and consumers, and support the national economy.

Growthfund's portfolio includes State-Owned Enterprises operating in key sectors of the Greek economy, such as ***Real Estate****: Hellenic Republic Asset Development Fund (HRADF), Public Properties Company (ETAD), GAIAOSE, ETBA Industrial Parks, and TIF-HELEXPO;* ***Energy****: PPC;* ***Transportation & Infrastructure****: Athens International Airport, Transport for Athens Group, Corinth Canal (AEDIK), and 23 Regional Airports;* ***Food Supply****: CMT, CMFO, and Hellenic Saltworks;* ***Technology & Innovation****: 5G Ventures (PHAISTOS Fund) and Hellenic Center for Defense Innovation (HCDI); and* ***Postal Services****: Hellenic Post Group. *In accordance with Law 5131/2024, Growthfund's role in the Greek economy is set to expand further. The governance model of its subsidiaries is undergoing modernization, and by December 31, 2024, Growthfund will integrate its direct subsidiaries, the Hellenic Republic Asset Development Fund (HRADF) and the Hellenic Financial Stability Fund (HFSF), following the completion of their mandates. The Project Preparation Facility (PPF) will also be fully transferred to Growthfund to ensure the continuation of its work. Additionally, in 2024, a new Investment Fund will be established as a subsidiary of Growthfund, focusing on implementing investments within the Greek market.*

For further information please contact:

GROWTHFUND, Anthi Trokoudi, Chief Communications & Sustainability Officer, +30 6932 100053, A.Trokoudi@growthfund.gr

SOCIALDOO, Katerina Samartzi, Corporate Communication Manager, +30 6970 047335, ksamartzi@socialdoo.gr