

## Press Release

### **"Most Innovative Work-From-Home Plan" - Pylones Hellas awarded for another year at the HR Awards**

**Athens, Greece – 15 October, 2020** – Pylones Hellas, a provider of advanced IT solutions to medium and large enterprises, with presence for more than 22 years in Greece, Cyprus and the wider region of South-eastern Europe as IT systems & security Integrator, awarded - for second year in a row- in the widely recognized, **HR Awards** and more specifically in the category **Most Innovative Work-From-Home Plan**.

In this category, took part companies and organizations which achieved through their plan to contribute to the general security of their staff in the midst of a COVID-19 pandemic, by combining and offering ideal information, support and reward to the company's employees. Pylones Hellas received the BRONZE award in this special category for actions that concern both to its business and wider social environment.

#### **The new reality of work during the COVID-19 pandemic**

We were all called to face a new and dangerous reality through different and unprecedented conditions, created by the advent of the Covid-19 pandemic. Pylones Hellas realized very quickly the new situation and proceeded consciously and consistently with the necessary measures to protect employees against the spread of coronavirus in the workplace with the "**we make IT safe**" program.

A **special prevention and information team** was created in order to communicate with the government authorities, to be informed about the new measures that had to be taken, and at the same time to launch and coordinate the respective actions within the company. In this way, a complete plan for 100% remote work of the employees was organized and implemented, ensuring the secure infrastructure and the necessary equipment to work as if they were in the company's workplace.

#### **The "trump card" of psychology**

In addition to the appropriate working conditions through infrastructure and equipment, having in mind the difficulty of conditions and the daily restricted life due to lockdown for everyone, the company focused on creating and strengthening a positive climate during distance working. The aim was to create conditions targeted at suppressing tension and providing security and calm.

Consciously we did not proceed to any action that would upset the form and conditions of work agreements that company has with each employee, measures such as suspension of work, modification of hours, etc. and at the same time special

attention was paid to the individual needs of each employee to maintain personal and family balance.

"The time we have spent and continue to go through is unprecedented for all of us. We had to act quickly and effectively in uncharted waters. Having as a compass and reference point the human factor, we proceeded to a series of actions whose main concern was to create a climate of security and optimism within the company. Priority was given to the most important asset of our company - our people - in order to maintain balance and prosperity in the company, elements necessary to achieve our goals and respond immediately to the new conditions created worldwide." stressed about the award Ms. **Nelli Dedemadi**, HR Manager of Pylones Hellas.

### **About Pylones Hellas**

Pylones Hellas, member of the Cypriot group P.M.Tseriotis Ltd, is active for more than 20 years in the field of digital technologies and internet security. The company combines the services of both IT systems integrator and IT security integrator, consisting a pioneer IT provider for the Greek market. Based on three significant pillars Security, Optimization and High Availability, Pylones Hellas provides cutting-edge technology solutions, on any scale, in multiple demanding sectors such as Telecommunications, Hotels, Financial institutions and companies that base their business on the Internet, while continuing updating its customers' Information Technology Infrastructure, to provide, in turn, a high level of digital services to their customers. Strategic partners of Pylones Hellas are F5 Networks, HPE, IBM and Microsoft offering numerous solutions in areas such as security, wired and wireless networks, storage, business critical systems, datacenters and cloud.

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