

# Advanced systems for the enhancement of the environmental performance of WINeries in Cyprus (WINEC)



## Deliverable 3

### Report on the relevant legislation related to the operation of wineries in Europe and in Cyprus



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## Summary

Within the framework of the WINEC project there was a need to identify the relevant statutes related to the activities of wineries as well as the legislation that is relevant to the environmental impacts caused by their operation. With the view of achieving environmental certification, wineries have to be aware of the statutes related to their operation and comply with them. The most important European and Cyprus statutes that are relevant to the wine sector as well as legislation related to environmental quality, i.e. groundwater and surface water pollution, air pollution, management of packaging waste, maximum residue levels of pesticides, environmental management systems and the environmental marking and labeling of products are presented in this report. At the Annex of this report all these statutes have been listed and their scope explained and a number of additional more general statutes (i.e. on Environmental Responsibility, solid and dangerous waste management, chemical products, purchase of electric power, use of renewable energy sources and CE marking) that also apply for the operation of wineries have as well been included.

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