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Message from the Chairman///

GROW IN INNOVATION AND QUALITY

2019 was another year of strong challenges, as we grew our business on several fronts and began developing new areas of activity, in increasingly diverse markets and geographies.

It was a year in which we expanded our infrastructures to provide better working conditions and create a significant reinforcement of our productive capacity. This was done so that we can respond better to the needs of customers in a timely manner.

The reduction of our ecological footprint remained a constant concern in PRF as well. Among several measures that we have implemented to improve our environmental efficiency, we recently acquired a fleet of CNG vehicles. Although very young and with few kilometers traveled, this fleet of CNG vehicles has already demonstrated the great advantage of this solution on mobility, not only due to the great reduction of emissions, but also by the significant reduction in the operating costs of these vehicle.

Decarbonizing the economy is increasingly a necessity, and we believe renewable gases are increasingly an important part of the solution to this energy transition. PRF is not unaware of this need, so projects around renewable gases such as Hydrogen and Biomethane are increasingly having a significant weight and importance in our company.



Customer focus and the quality of equipment and services we provide, together with full compliance towards our commitments, will continue to be our main purpose. More than growing, we will continue to focus on our greatest asset, which is the full satisfaction of each of our customers.

We know that the best way to recognize and appreciate the trust our customers continue to place in PRF, is to provide them with a service that exceeds their expectations, and this is our determination and where we will continue to invest our energies.

We conclude another year aware that we have fully met the difficult goals we set ourselves, but with the responsibility, ambition and boldness that we want, and can be better, next year.

Special thanks to our entire PRF team, for all the availability, dedication and commitment they had in this 28th year of PRF's life.

We wish you Holy and Merry Christmas and hope for a successful 2020.



Highlight///

PRF'S NEW NATURAL GAS FLEET



PRF has definitively integrated all of its own DNA into its own mobility, by significantly expanding its fleet of gas vehicles.

Following the introduction of our first gas moved car early in 2019, it is with great pride that we are increasingly driven by gas.

We believe it makes perfect sense that the services we provide might also apply to the way we move.

The solutions we implement to supply natural gas at our partners' stations also make us loyal customers.



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OPERATIONAL RENTING EXPANSION

France

PRF has expanded the Support Service offering to its partners in France, by adding more value to the gas infrastructure's operations both in Satellite Plants and Gas Stations. Both ENGIE and PRIMA LNG, were offered a service rental of Satellite Plants and Portable LNG stations.

Our experience in the development, installation and maintenance of various types of infrastructures, combined with a strong remote management tool and highly specialized staff, allows for our Clients to focus on their own businesses and profitability.

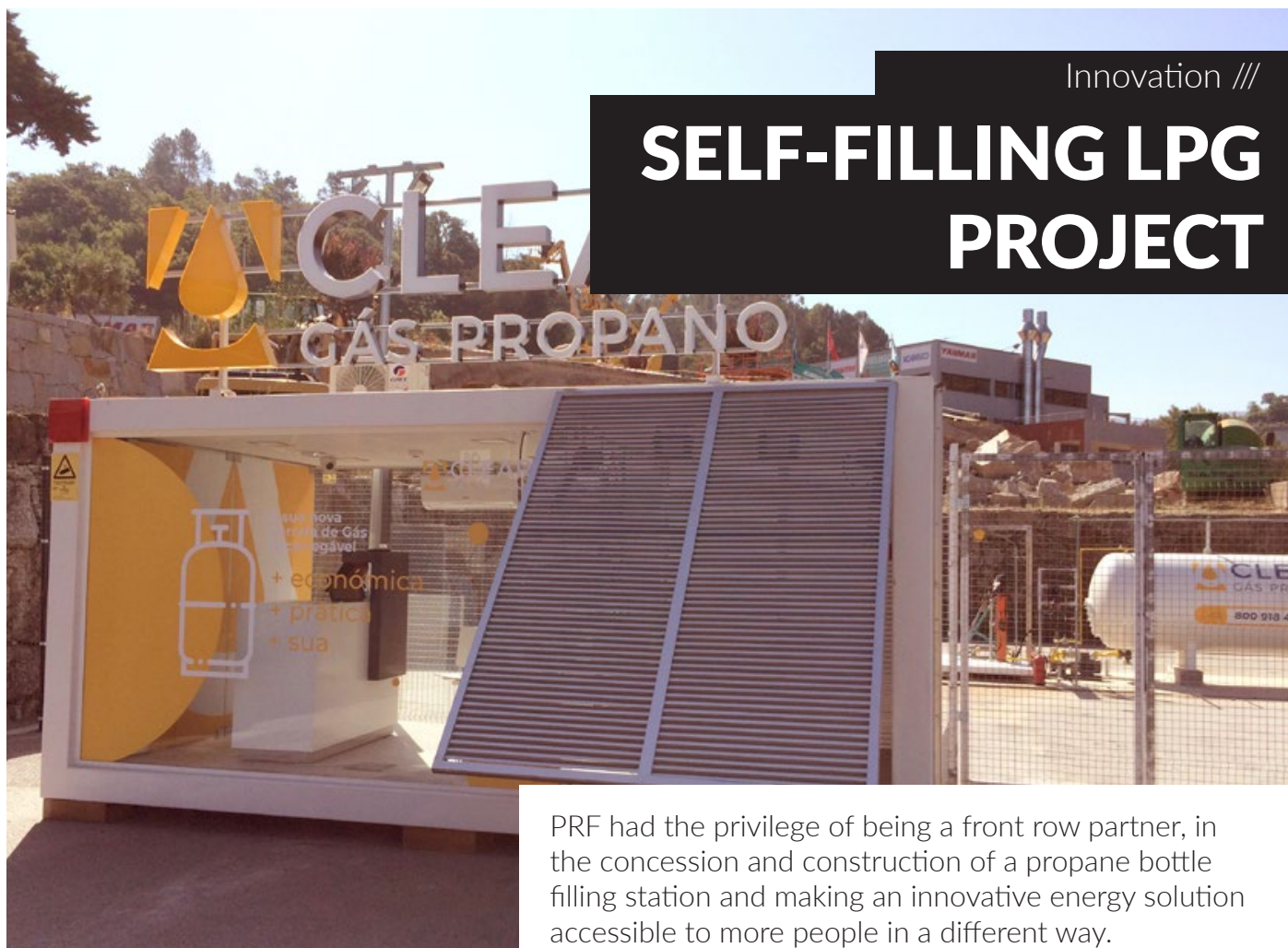
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1st PRF'S SATELLITE PLANT IN BELGIUM

With more recognition from our Clients and as we open our services to new market, a new project is born in Belgium, as we began the construction of a Satellite Plant dedicated towards the food industry.

Innovation ///

SELF-FILLING LPG PROJECT



PRF had the privilege of being a front row partner, in the concession and construction of a propane bottle filling station and making an innovative energy solution accessible to more people in a different way.

Internationalization///

PROGÁS IN NEW HEIGHTS

Angola 2019



Progás, the Group company that is responsible for the filling and distribution of bottled gas in Angola, has achieved one of the highest levels of growth since its creation, and as well increased its footprint by improving and expanding its existing infrastructure's network and quality.

Sponsorship///

GASNAM

Lisboa 2019



PRF sponsored a GASNAM event, held this December, in Lisbon, and participated in the discussion panel on solutions towards mobility.

At this event, PRF has also addressed its offer, taking into account the various types of fuels, from the most conventional and widespread, as well as its focus on staff training and the emerging focus on Biogas and Hydrogen.

Conferences and Expos///

WORKSHOP ON HYDROGEN

Lisboa 2019



PRF sponsored the latest Hydrogen workshop, organized by the Portuguese Hydrogen Association.

This was yet another event that served as a debate platform towards new ideas and projects, regarding the evolution of Hydrogen as an alternative energy source in Portugal. It was also a time for meetings and networking with the various association members.

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EMPRESAS
do DISTRITO
LEIRIA

Edição

Awards//

BEST COMPANY IN THE REGION

Jornal de Leiria 2019

PRF was recognized as the best company operating in the District of Leiria, among the 250 largest companies operating in this Region, in 2019.

This recognition is very dear and significant to us, firstly because this is the community where we were born and where we are based, and secondly, because more than size, our focus has always been towards quality and “doing better”.

Awards///

RECOGNITION

BCP 2019

By the end of 2019, PRF was distinguished by the Millennium BCP Horizons Awards, in the Trade and Services Sector.

In December we were officially presented with this award, which will be part of our Hall of Fame, so that we will continue to improve and try to reach even further horizons in the years that lie ahead.





THAT WE MIGHT MOVE EVEN CLOSER TOGETHER IN 2020



/// We had a handful year, that has made us grow and evolve.

We know that this growth is the result of the growth of each of our partners and that, when you grow and continue to have new challenges, we will be there to help you take the next step, by carrying a solution that will take the gas all the way, right to where you need it most.

We wish that next year we continue the path of overpassing challenges, by working and growing together.

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