

**PROJECT:**

**Environmental Impact Assessment for the Expansion of Quarry Owned by the Hellenic Mining Company in the Mitsero Area**

**CLIENT:** HELLENIC MINING COMPANY LTD

**DATE:** JANUARY 2010

**SCOPE:**

Environmental Impact Assessment for the extension of a limestone quarry owned by the Hellenic Mining Company and located adjacent to a NATURA 2000 site, in the Mitsero area, as part of the requirements for planning permission application. The impacts during the construction and operation of the quarry were assessed. Special importance was given to the impacts from airborne and nuisance dust to the NATURA 2000 site during the operation of the quarry. Mitigation measures were proposed for the orthological operation of the facility.

**RESULTS:**

The EIA concluded that the negative impacts from the quarry will not be significant, and that there is a compatibility with current land use. Thus with appropriate mitigation measures and management techniques the negative impacts could be reduced.

