



## ECONOMIC ZONE E E œ Ш

### Strategically Positioned, Global ly Connected!



TIRANA, is easily and quickly connected to most major European cities.

Just 1 to 3 hours flight from major cities like London, Paris, Berlin, Rome, Budapest, and many more!

Positioned at the heart of Southeastern Europe, perfect for distribution and logistics.

The ideal place to build a global network, benefiting from strong connections to international markets.

### TEDA Tirana's location offers strategic advantages





10 min away from the heart of Tirana.



10 min from Tirana International Airport (TIA).



**30 min** away from Durres. TEDA Tirana gains access from the Port of Durrës (32 km distance) and the main gate of Corridor VIII.



The access to TEDA Tirana will be ensured through a **dedicated bus** line connecting it directly to the city center.





# A Premier hub for diverse and SUSTAINABLE Industries Development

#### 95% of Energy Consumption Comes from Clean Sources

Albania ranks among the top countries in Europe for the percentage of electricity produced from renewable sources, including hydropower and solar energy.



Businesses utilizing photovoltaic technology have benefited from an average **40% - 60% reduction in monthly** energy bills.



The country's Mediterranean climate offers over **336.2 hours of sunlight per month,** making Albania one of the sunniest countries in the region.



Albania aims to become a **regional leader with 100% renewable energy** production.



## A Young, Educated, and Relatively Affordable Workforce

Tirana is characterized by a young, dynamic, and highly educated workforce. The city hosts the largest number of universities in the country, ensuring a steady supply of talented professionals with advanced academic qualifications. This educational concentration ensures that businesses have access to professionals who are not only well-trained but also adaptable to the changing demands of the global market.



#### **MULTILINGUAL TALENT**

Foreign languages such as: English | Italian | Greek | German | Spanish | French are widely spoken, facilitating international operations



#### A YOUNG AND EDUCATED WORKFORCE

57% OF ALBANIANS are UNDER 35, with over 1 million well-educated, motivated professionals. Over 100,000 students enroll in university studies each year

The cost-benefit ratio for establishing new businesses in Tirana strongly favors investors, ensuring maximum return on investment.





#### A YOCOST-EFFICIENCY THAT DRIVES GROWTH

We have established key partnerships with UNIVERSITIES AND RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS, to foster innovation and prepare the next generation of professionals.





## TEDA Tirana offers tax and customs incentives to drive growth and innovation

#### TAX AND CUSTOMS INCENTIVES



Albanian goods that enter TEDA are exempt from VAT taxation.



Goods can be transported from one TEDA to another without paying custom duties or VAT.



From the moment goods enter Albania, they are exempted from customs duties and VAT.



Developers and users are also exempted from 50% of the profit tax rate which currently is at a rate of 15% for a period of five years.

#### INFRASTRACTURE AND PROPERTY TAX INCENTIVES



A developer's project is exempt from infrastructure taxes.



Buildings in TEDA
Tirana are exempt from
real estate taxes for a
period of five years.



Buildings transferred to TEDA Tirana are not subject to the transfer tax on real estate.

#### LABOR AND OPERATIONAL COST INCENTIVES



Wages and social costs are 150% deductible for the first year, and new expenses for wages and social costs compared to the previous year are 150% deductible for the subsequent years.



Training costs are doubly deductible for a period of 10 years.



Research and Development costs are doubly deductible for a period of 10 years.



Capital expenses are 120% deductible over a period of two years if developers and users invest in TEDA within three years of its operation.



TEDA Tirana offers diverse opportunities for the development of a wide range of industries, thanks to its modern infrastructure and favorable investment conditions.



#### **ICT AND SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT**



#### **AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY**



#### PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY



#### MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY



#### **AGRO-PROCESSING INDUSTRY**



#### **RENEWABLE ENERGY INDUSTRY**



#### **RESEARCH & CONSULTING**





#### STRATEGIC LOCATION

Part of Pan-European Corridor VIII, with direct access to Durrës Port, airport, and national road network.



#### **COMPETITIVE COSTS**

Land lease from just 1 €/m²/month and favorable labor costs.



#### SKILLED WORKFORCE

Young, well-educated, and adaptable labor force.



#### **INFRASTRUCTURE**

Well-developed infrastructural network, made of rings and radial roads



#### **ECONOMIC STABILITY**

A stable and growing economy, delivering long-term value for investors.



#### SPACE FOR GROWTH

35 hectares available with long-term development potential.



# Products and Sevices

Based on the similar experiences of the countries of the region and in accordance with Albanian legislation, the services that TEDA Tirana will offer to foreign investors can be grouped into the following:





# 1. The Business Opportunity Analysis:

- Identification of specific factors of the project location;
- Cost analysis;
- Identification of the base of suppliers;
  - Detailed due diligence.



## 2. Intermediation:

- Intermediation and agreement with Universities;
- Intermediation and agreement with other companies;
- Intermediation and agreement with recruitment agencies;
  - Intermediation and agreement with legal, financial consulting companies, etc.





- Approval of the project;
- Building permit and other required permits;
  - Maintenance of the basic infrastructure Processing of customs documentation;



# 4. After care service:

- Assistance with fiscal matters;
- Assistance in issuing visas and work permits; Assistance in maintaining communication with other
  - state agencies.

### Plots of Land

TEDA Tirana operates under a greenfield model, offering investors the opportunity to lease plots of land for the construction of custom-built facilities tailored to specific needs for the operation of their business activities.

TEDA Tirana follows the law governing Technology and Economic Development Zones, which prohibits the transfer of existing activities to the zone solely to benefit from its fiscal advantages, ensuring that any such transactions are restricted to maintain the zone's integrity and objectives.

The area is fully equipped with essential infrastructure and utility services, including:

- Fully equipped infrastructure: electricity, water, sewage, fiber-optic internet, road access
- Modern and functional building for staff, partners, and institutional visitors
- Spaces for management, training, and shared services
- Secured and fenced area, 24/7 surveillance
- Large parking spaces
- Relaxation areas and break zones
- Continuous maintenance of common areas



#### The master plan layout

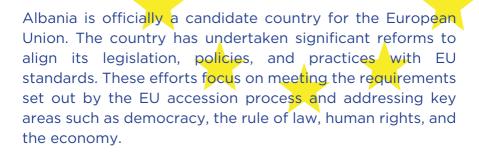
Plots are available for lease starting from just 1 euro per m²/month, with lease contracts lasting up to 35 years and







#### Albania's Candidature for EU Membership



Albania has embraced Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) principles, which play a crucial role in achieving sustainable development.

By integrating EU legislation and adopting ESG practices, the country is building a foundation for sustainable growth and fostering regional and international cooperation. These efforts not only support Albania's EU accession but also contribute to creating a more inclusive, sustainable, and resilient nation.



Albania has been a **NATO member since 2009**, gaining enhanced security, political stability, and improved infrastructure. This membership has strengthened Albania's global ties, offering investors a safe, predictable environment and access to broader markets.











