# Fundação do Futebol – Liga Portugal joins the Players' Union "Projeto Golo"

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Goals scored during Matchday 30 of Liga Portugal Betclic and Liga Portugal 2 Meu Super will contribute to supporting reconstruction efforts in the central region of Portugal. The "Projeto Golo" was presented on Thursday in an initiative led by the Players' Union, with the support of the Fundação do Futebol and Liga Portugal. This solidarity action aims to transform goals scored during Matchday 30 into financial support, which will be allocated to the Portuguese Red Cross to help rebuild areas affected by severe storms that hit central Portugal between January and February. The presentation was attended by Reinaldo Teixeira, President of Liga Portugal; Joaquim Evangelista, President of the Players' Union; Éder, ambassador of the project and also Liga Portugal ambassador; and Sérgio Krithinas, executive director of Record, partner of the initiative. Reinaldo Teixeira highlighted the social impact of the initiative and the role of football as a mobilising force: "We congratulate the Players' Union for this initiative. It is a social mission with wide reach, which professional football proudly supports. We have a responsibility beyond the pitch, built on the work of the Fundação do Futebol. My wish is that there are many goals scored. Liga Portugal is committed to ensuring all our partners join this cause." Joaquim Evangelista emphasised football's ability to lead solidarity responses in critical moments: "Football is on the frontline when Portugal is affected, as was the case with these storms. Professional football wants to lead by example and mobilise partners for this cause. We want players, as key actors who score goals, to give back to the community the support they receive." Éder also underlined the importance of engaging players and the wider sports community: "It is a pleasure to be an ambassador for this cause. I congratulate the Players' Union for involving players. Sports actors, especially players, are aware of what is happening but often do not know how to contribute. This project is commendable and I am proud to be part of it." Each goal scored will generate a financial contribution: €100 in Liga Portugal Betclic and €50 in Liga Portugal 2 Meu Super. It was also decided that the "first goal" will symbolically be Éder's goal that secured Portugal's European Championship title, marking its 10th anniversary this year. For this goal, the Players' Union, Liga Portugal, Record and Éder will each contribute €1,000. The initiative is open to all who wish to contribute — players, coaches, staff, executives, other sports stakeholders and the general public — with donations possible via bank transfer.