PRESS RELEASE

Paolo d'Amico appointed New Chairman of Registro Italiano Navale

The new Chairman and Board of Directors of Registro Italiano Navale will be in charge for 2020-2023. Among his priorities: a global approach to sustainability and digitalization to restart the economy after pandemic emergency.

Rome, 22 October 2020 - Paolo d'Amico, Executive President of d'Amico Società di Navigazione, is the new Chairman of Registro Italiano Navale, following the previous appointment as Vice Chairman and member of the Board of Directors.

Registro Italiano Navale is the majority shareholder (70%) of RINA S.p.A., thus of the RINA Group. The other RINA S.p.A. shareholders are Naus S.p.A. (27%) e the RINA management (3%). Registro Italiano Navale is a private undertaking, comparable to a trust. Its Board of Directors includes representatives of the key categories connected with the undertaking and with its subsidiaries

The new Chairman, who will be in charge until 2023, was elected during the Board meeting on October 6th. Paolo d'Amico follows Gaspare Ciliberti, appointed President Emeritus in recognition of his valuable and unique contribution in this chair for more than 20 years. Luigi Merlo of Confcommercio will assist Paolo d'Amico as Vice Chairman. Flavio Bregant, Cristina Castellini e Vincenzo Petrone have been appointed as members of the Executive Committee. Roberto Cazzulo has been confirmed as Secretary General.

Paolo d'Amico's business experience will greatly support, as majority shareholder representative, RINA S.p.A. strategies and continuous international growth, through significant investments in the digitalization of its services across all industry sectors.

The new Chairman in his opening speech said: «Covid-19 has given momentum to some latent factors that require great competence and technological skills. Registro Italiano Navale has the primary goal to support RINA S.p.A. in building the future, starting from some assets that have re-confirmed their importance during the pandemic emergency: environmental sustainability – in its widest meaning, including finance and governance – and digitalization. RINA S.p.A. has demonstrated its dynamic approach and capability to build the basis for a solid and sustainable development. This vision follows the chairmanship of Gaspare Ciliberti, who led Registro Italiano Navale with great commitment and to whom go my most sincere thanks».

Board of Directors of Registro Italiano Navale for 2020-2023

Paolo d'Amico Chairman

Luigi Merlo Vice Chairman

Gaspare Ciliberti President Emeritus

Mario Mattioli Presidente della Federazione del Mare

Vanda Rebuffat Ministero delle Infrastrutture e dei Trasporti

Emanuela Varone Ministero delle Infrastrutture e dei Trasporti

Cristina Castellini Associazione Nazionale Imprese Assicuratrici (ANIA)

Pierluigi Portalupi Associazione Nazionale Imprese Assicuratrici (ANIA)

Andrea Cupido Comitato delle Compagnie di Assicurazioni Marittime di Genova

Andrea Cupido (ad interim) Comitato delle Compagnie di Assicurazioni Marittime di Trieste

Marco Bisagno Camera di Commercio di Genova

Alessandro Santi Camera di Commercio di Venezia

Fabrizio Luongo Camera di Commercio di Napoli

Cesare Castelbarco Albani Camera di Commercio di Milano

Vincenzo Petrone Associazione Nazionale dei Costruttori Navali (ASSONAVE)

Sandro Scarrone Associazione Nazionale dei Costruttori Navali (ASSONAVE)

Felice Lombardo Consiglio Nazionale Ingegneri (CNI)

Umberto D'Amato Confederazione Italiana Armatori (CONFITARMA)

Giovanni Delle Piane Confederazione Italiana Armatori (CONFITARMA)

Flavio Bregant Federazione Industrie Siderurgiche Italiane (FEDERACCIAI)

Stefano Messina ASSARMATORI

Salvatore Lauro ASSARMATORI

Marco Beltrami Associazione Trasporti (ASSTRA)

Anton Francesco Albertoni CONFINDUSTRIA NAUTICA

Vincenzo Fausto Pagnotta Rappresentante della Gente di Mare

nominato dalle segreterie FIT-CGIL, FIT-CISL, UILTRASPORTI

Claudio Patricolo Rappresentante del personale dell'Ente

e degli organismi associativi e societari da esso partecipati



Biography of Paolo d'Amico - Chairman, Registro Italiano Navale

Paolo d'Amico joined the family company, d'Amico Società di Navigazione S.p.A., in 1971 after graduating from La Sapienza University in Rome with a degree in Economics and Commerce. In 1981 he was appointed Director with a focus on tanker operations.

Since 2002 he is Chairman of the Board of Directors of d'Amico Società di Navigazione S.p.A., the holding company of the d'Amico Group.

d'Amico is also Chairman of the International Association of Independent Tankers Owners (Intertanko) and Member by right of the Board of Confitarma - Confederazione Italiana Armatori - which he chaired from 2010 to 2012. In 2013 he was awarded the title of Cavaliere del Lavoro.

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