

# 1<sup>st</sup> MEDITERRANEAN COAST GUARD SERVICES FORUM

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Wednesday – May 6<sup>th</sup> 2009

06-05-2009, 09.30 – 11.00	09.30 - 11.00 INTRODUCTION Chairman: Vice Admiral Raimondo POLLASTRINI - Commandant, Italian Coast Guard		
	09.30 - 09.45	Delegates arrival	
	09.45 - 10.00	VIPs arrival	
	10.00 - 10.05	Mrs. Marta VINCENZI - <b>Major of Genoa</b>	Welcome address
	10.05 - 10.10	Mr. Alessandro REPETTO - <b>President of the Province of Genoa</b>	Welcome address
	10.10 - 10.20	Vice Admiral Paolo LA ROSA - <b>Chief of the Italian Navy General Staff (ITALY)</b>	Welcome address
	10.20 - 10.30	Mr. Andrew WINBOW - <b>International Maritime Organization</b>	The importance of the role of Coast Guard services in the Mediterranean Sea according to IMO activities
	10.30 - 10.40	Mr. Fotis KARAMITSOS - <b>Director (EU - Directorate General for Energy and Transport)</b>	The EU maritime safety, security and environmental protection actions and the potential partnership for their application in the Mediterranean basin
	10.40 - 10.50	Mrs. Stefania CRAXI - <b>Ministry of Foreign Affairs Undersecretary of State (ITALY)</b>	Political statement
	10.50 - 11.00	Vice Admiral Raimondo POLLASTRINI - <b>Commandant of the Coast Guard (ITALY)</b>	The future challenges of the Mediterranean Coast Guard Services in the XXI century
11.00 - 11.30		Coffee break	
06-05-2009, 11.30 – 12.35	11.30 - 12.35 SESSION 1 - <b>MARITIME TRAFFIC MONITORING</b> Session's Chairman: Capt. Tomo BOROVNICAR - Acting Director, Slovenian Maritime Administration		
	11.30 - 11.35	Chairman's introduction	
	11.35 - 11.50	1.1 Mr. Willem DE RUITER - <b>Executive Director (EMSA)</b>	A view on EMSA activities and the new opportunities for the Mediterranean Countries in the field of Maritime Traffic Monitoring
	11.50 - 12.05	1.2 Capt. Giuseppe AULICINO - <b>Coast Guard HQ (ITALY)</b>	Maritime Traffic Monitoring: The Mediterranean Regional AIS Centre
	12.05 - 12.20	1.3 Mr. Luksa CICOVACKI - Head of Maritime Safety Department - <b>Ministry of the Sea, Transport and Infrastructure (CROATIA)</b>	The sub-regional AIS centre for the Adriatic sea
	12.20 - 12.35	1.4 Cdr. Enrico CASTIONI - <b>Coast Guard HQ (ITALY)</b>	The integrated system for the maritime traffic control and response to emergencies at sea operated by the ITCG
12.35 - 13.00		Official photo in front of "Stazione Marittima Genova"	
13.00 - 14.30		Lunch at "Stazione Marittima Genova"	
06-05-2009, 14.30 – 16.00	14.30 - 16.00 SESSION 2 - <b>TRAINING AND REGIONAL COOPERATION</b> Session's Chairman: Rear Admiral Alain VERDAUX - Deputy Maritime Prefect, Préfecture Maritime de la Méditerranée (FRANCE)		
	14.30 - 14.35	Chairman's introduction	
	14.35 - 14.50	2.1 Mr. Lino C. VASSALLO - Chairman of Mediterranean MoU on PSC - <b>MED MoU</b>	The MED MoU: state of the art and future development
	14.50 - 15.05	2.2 Capt.(M) Cenk UNAL - General Secretary - <b>Turkish Coast Guard (TURKEY)</b>	Cooperation in the Black Sea
	15.05 - 15.20	2.3 Mr. Maurizio ZINI - Director - <b>IMSSEA</b>	The role and function of IMSSEA for the development of training activities
	15.20 - 15.35	2.4 Rear Admiral Georg Kr. LÅURSSON - Chairman - <b>NACGF</b>	NACGF - An experience to be shared
	15.35 - 15.50	2.5 Vice Admiral Enrique J. CINGOLANI - <b>Deputy Commandant of the Prefectura Naval Argentina (ARGENTINE)</b>	ROCRAM - the Operative Network of Regional Cooperation among Maritime Authorities of South America, Mexico and Panama
	15.50 - 16.00	2.6 Capt. Umberto PIZZABIOCCA - <b>Italian Navy General Staff</b>	The necessity of an interagency shared recognized maritime picture
16.00 - 16.20		Coffee break at "Stazione Marittima Genova"	
06-05-2009, 16.20 – 17.10	16.20 - 17.10 SESSION 3 - <b>MARINE ENVIRONMENT</b> Session's Chair person: Mrs. Nadia LARAKI - Director of Mercantile Marine, Ministry of Transport and Equipment (MOROCCO)		
	16.20 - 16.25	Chairman's introduction	
	16.40 - 16.55	3.2 Mr. Jean-Bernard ERHARDT - Deputy Director of Maritime Safety Division - <b>Direction des Affaires Maritimes (FRANCE)</b>	Anti-pollution surveillance aimed at regional cooperation in the Mediterranean sea
	16.25 - 16.40	3.1 Mr. Frédéric HÉBERT - Director - <b>REMPEC</b>	Marine environment protection – Synergies between REMPEC and Coast Guard Services
	16.55 - 17.10	3.3 Mrs. Nadia LARAKI - Director of Mercantile Marine <b>Transport Department - Minister of Transport and Equipment (MOROCCO)</b>	Cooperation agreements and the experience of North African Countries
20.30		Gala Dinner at "Palazzo Ducale Genova" (Cocktail dress – half length dress required)	

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	09.30 - 09.35	Mr. Claudio BURLANDO - <b>President of Liguria Region</b>	Welcome address
07-05-2009, 09.35 – 10.40 SESSION 4	09.35 - 10.40 <b>SESSION 4 - FISHERIES CONTROL</b> Session's Chairman: General Rachid BENSACI - Commandant, Coast Guard National Service (ALGERIA)		
	09.35 - 09.40	Chairman's introduction	
	09.40 - 10.00	4.1 Mr. Abdhellah SROUR - Deputy Executive Secretary/Adviser fisheries management - <b>GFCM FAO</b>	The protection of the fisheries resources in the Mediterranean
	10.00 - 10.20	4.2 Mr. Harm KOSTER - Executive Director - <b>CFCA</b>	Rational use of limited marine space and sustainable exploitation of marine resources. The proactive role of Coast Guard Services
	10.20 - 10.40	4.3 Mr. Rafea Ben ACHOUR - <b>Faculté des Sciences Juridiques, Politiques et Sociales</b> (TUNISIA)	Cooperation between the EU and North African Countries: the case of fishery agreements
	10.40 - 11.00	Coffee break at "Stazione Marittima Genoa"	
07-05-2009, 11.00 – 15.30 SESSION 5	11.00 - 15.30 <b>SESSION 5 - SAFETY OF LIFE AT SEA</b> Session's Chairman: Rear Admiral Giancarlo OLIMBO - Maritime Attaché, Italian Embassy to the UK		
	11.00 - 11.10	Chairman's introduction	
	11.10 - 11.35	5.1 Prof. Umberto LEANZA - <b>Rome Tor Vergata University</b> (ITALY)	Maritime safety and security within Mediterranean context: strategic outlines
	11.35 - 11.50	5.2 Mr. Abdelkrim REZAL – <b>Director of Mercantile Marine</b> (ALGERIA)	Flag State implementation. The Algerian experience.
	11.50 - 12.15	5.2 Rear Admiral Francesco CARPINTERI - <b>Coast Guard HQ</b> (ITALY)	Port State Control. An useful tool
	12.15 - 12.40	5.3 Commodore Dimitris FOKAS - <b>Hellenic Coast Guard</b> (GREECE)	Experience conducting search and rescue operations at sea
	12.40 - 14.30	Lunch at "Stazione Marittima Genoa"	
	14.30 - 14.45	5.4 Capt. Jesus M. URIBE - Head of Operations - <b>Sociedad de Salvamento y Seguridad Maritima</b> (SPAIN)	Experience conducting search and rescue operations at sea
	14.45 - 15.00	5.5 Eng. Rui GUERRA - Member of the Board - <b>Instituto Portuario e dos Transportes Maritimos</b> (PORTUGAL)	The Portuguese Coastal VTS System: An integrated view from Safety of Life till Marine Environment Protection
15.30 – 16.30 ACTION PLAN	15.00 - 15.15 <b>SESSION 6 - ACTION PLAN</b>		
	15.00 - 15.15	Capt. Nicola CARLONE - <b>Coast Guard HQ</b> (ITALY)	Mediterranean Coast Guard Services Forum Action Plan proposal: "A way ahead"
	15.15 - 15.30	Short break – Guests arrival	
07-05-2009, 15.30 – 16.30 CONCLUSION	15.30 - 16.30 - <b>CONCLUSION</b>		
	15.30 - 15.50	Vice Admiral Raimondo POLLASTRINI - <b>Commandant, Italian Coast Guard</b> (ITALY)	Chairman's conclusion and statement
	15.50 - 16.10	Mr. Antonio TAJANI - <b>Vice President, Commissioner for Transport</b> (EU)	Political statement
	16.10 - 16.30	Mr. Altero MATTEOLI - <b>Minister of Infrastructure and Transport</b> (ITALY)	Political statement