

## NICOSIA INITIATIVE

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من خلال مشروع دعم الإدارة العامة - ليبيا - المرحلة الثانية

Trieste, 7 June 2017

### MEETING WITH REPRESENTATIVES FROM LIBYAN MUNICIPALITIES, REGARDING TRAINING IN THE FIELD OF FISHING COOPERATIVES

Trieste, Marano Lagunare e Grado

13-15 June 2017

**13 June 2017**

**Trieste, Sala Tessitori, Piazza Oberdan 5**

9:30 – 11:20	<p><b>Meeting between the libyan Authorities, the President of the regional Council, regional councillors, and regional aldermen</b></p> <p>Moderates the event: <b>Alfonso DI LEVA</b> (ANSA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Presentation of Nicosia initiative: President of legislative Assembly of Friuli Venezia Giulia Autonomous Region, coordinator of Italian Conference of regional Councils and member of Commette of regions.</li><li>- Opportunities for cooperation in development: regional Alderman of Culture, sport and solidarity</li><li>- Mr. <b>Stefano SOTGIA</b>, Head of Cooperation, EU Delegation to Libya</li><li>- Ms. <b>Pavla DANISOVA</b>, Administrator, CIVEX Commission, Decentralised cooperation, Committee of the Regions</li><li>- The sea as resource: an opportunity for Friuli Venezia Giulia: Mr. <b>Gianfranco DAMIANO</b>, President of italian-libian Commerce Chamber</li></ul>
11.20	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:30 – 13.30	<b>Scientific and legal background to the fishing sector</b>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- FISHING IN FRIULI VENEZIA GIULIA : Mr. <b>Diego BORME</b> – OGS INSTITUTE</li> <li>- FISHING IN GRADO AND MARANO LAGOON: Mr. <b>Nicola BETTOSO</b> – ARPA FVG</li> </ul> <p><i>SUSTAINIBILITY AND MONITORING OF THE FISHING INDUSTRY – coordination between Maritime Authorities, Health Authorities, and Operators in the food sector (OSA)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Dr. <b>Manlio PALEI</b> - Director of Public Veterinary Service – Regional Department of Health and Social Policies</li> <li>- Rear Admiral <b>Pietro VERNA</b> - Head, Sea Fisheries Department of the Italian Coast Guard Headquarters</li> <li>- Captain <b>Luca SANCILIO</b> - Maritime Director of the Region Friuli Venezia Giulia and Harbour Master of Trieste.</li> <li>- PRESENTATION “Blue Growth” INITIATIVE: Mr. <b>Mounir GHRIBI</b> - Responsible for international cooperation – OGS Institute</li> </ul>
14.30	<p>Villaggio del Pescatore – Duino Aurisina – TRIESTE</p> <p>Welcome: Mayor of Duino Aurisina</p> <p>Meeting with “Consorzio giuliano maricoltori” (mussel farms) - Duino Aurisina (Trieste): Mr. <b>Walter DE WALDERSTEIN</b></p> <p>Tour of mussels farms</p>
16.30	<p>Monfalcone (GO): Ca’ Zuliani S.r.l. : tour of acquaculture farms</p>
21.00 Dinner	<p>“ittiturismo - cooperativa COLMI” Duino Aurisina -</p>

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<b>14 June 2017</b>	
09:00	departure from Piazza Oberdan (TS) to San Giorgio di Nogaro and Marano Lagunare (Udine)
10:00 – 11:00	Tour of shellfish farms (Cooperativa ALMAR)
11:15 – 12:00	Tour of Friulpesca s.r.l. - Marano Lagunare
12.30 – 13.30	<i>Town hall:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Welcome of Major of Marano Lagunare</li> <li>– Mr. <b>Giovanni DA POZZO</b> President of Udine Commerce Chamber : internationalization instruments of Udine Commerce Chamber</li> <li>– Shellfish farms in Friuli Venezia Giulia : Mr. <b>Aurelio ZENTILIN</b> – Coop. ALMAR.</li> <li>– marketing of fish : Mr. <b>Stefano KUTIN</b> – ECOSCREEN S.c.a.r.l.</li> </ul>
14:00	Fish auction in fish market - Marano Lagunare (Udine)
<i>Later</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Meeting with representatives of Cooperative San Vito of Marano Lagunare Pres. Mr. <b>Fabrizio REGENI</b>, Director Mr. <b>Marco GHIN</b></li> <li>- Harbour operations : dredging</li> <li>- Tour of harbour facilities</li> </ul>

<b>15 June 2017</b>	
<b><u>GRADO (Gorizia)</u></b>	

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09:30	<p>Grado Cooperative:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Welcome of Councilor of Grado Municipality</li><li>- Representative of VG Commerce chamber: Mr. <b>Antonio PAOLETTI</b>: President of VG Commerce Chamber Mr. <b>Pierluigi MEDEOT</b>: General Director of VG Commerce Chamber</li><li>- Meeting with representatives of Grado Cooperative , Director Ms. <b>Flavia VERGINELLA</b></li><li>- Meeting with representatives of Cooperative Associations (Confcooperative, Legacooperative , Associazione generale cooperative italiane)</li><li>- Tour of harbour facilities.</li></ul>
15:00 – 18:00	<p><b><u>Trieste, Regional Council Hall, Piazza Oberdan 5</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- LEGISLATION OF COOPERATIVES : Mr. <b>Paolo DELFABRO</b>, Director of Commerce and Cooperation Department – General Department of Production Activities – Assessorato regionale delle attività produttive</li><li>- RESOURCES FOR COOPERATIVES IN THE FISHING SECTOR - Mr. <b>Franco MANZIN</b>, Official from the Hunting and Fishing Department – General Department of Agriculture, Forests and Fisheries – Assessorato risorse ittiche</li><li>- THE ACTION OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE IN THE MEDITERRANEAN AFRICA: Mr. <b>Alessandro PERELLI</b>, Vice President of ALDA</li><li>- Harbour infrastructures</li><li>- Ship building</li></ul>
18:00	SESSION CLOSSES



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### Main institutions and partners involved in the organisation of the meeting

**The Committee of the Regions** is a consultative body within the European Union, representing the interests of municipalities and regions. With the Nicosia initiative, the Committee of the Regions aims at strengthening Libyan municipalities through networking, exchange and effective cooperation with their European counterparts. Numerous training sessions were organised for Libyan municipalities in cooperation with European cities and regions on topics such as water or waste management, financial management or management of health care centres.

**The Regional Council of the Autonomous Region of Friuli Venezia Giulia** co-organises the meeting and plays a key role in providing valuable expertise in fishing sector and in the constitution and support of cooperatives.

**The Delegation of the European Union to Libya** plays a similar role to an Embassy representing the EU as a whole. The Head of Delegation (Ambassador) is the official representative of the EU in Libya. By engaging with political actors, the media, academics, business circles, civil society and citizens, the EUD promotes a stronger partnership between the EU and Libya. The EUD financially contributes to the organisation of this meeting.

**Crown Agents** is an implementing partner managing the Public Administration Facility II for Libya and accomplishing organisational and logistical tasks related to this meeting.



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