

Press release

FS ITALIANE: INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

FS Italiane announces that on the 5th and 6th of July 2016, there have been important developments on the transactions and agreements which the Group is undertaking on international markets.

OFFER FOR GREEK RAILWAYS

FS Italiane submitted on July 6th a binding offer for the acquisition of 100 % of the capital of TRAINOSE S.A., the Greek passenger and freight rail transport company which is under privatization by the Greek government.

COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH JAPANESE RAILWAYS

A cooperation of technical nature in the railway services and technology field for the development and progress of the railways, even through the mutual exchange of staff. This is the core of the Cooperation Agreement signed on July 5th by FS' CEO, **Renato Mazzoncini**, and the Chairman of **East Japan Railways**, **Satoshi Seino**. Italy and Japan own the most advanced rail know-how worldwide: they are equipped with the latest technologies in the field of High Speed.

In a time where the railway market is increasingly global, the agreement with the Japanese railways is a strategic step forward to the process of renewal of FS Italiane.

RAILWAYS COOPERATION BETWEEN FS ITLIANE AND RUSSIAN RAILWAYS

FS' CEO, **Renato Mazzoncini**, and the Chairman of **Russian Railways**, **Oleg Belozerov**, signed on July 5th a memorandum of understanding for the railways cooperation.

The MoU provides to jointly develop projects for the construction and modernization of railway infrastructure, as well as passenger and freight transportation and logistics services.

The agreement provides cooperation in the construction of high-speed lines in Russia, as well as joint projects for the construction of new railway infrastructure in other countries.