

Election of Evangelos Mytilineos as President of Eurometaux



The Chairman and CEO of MYTILINEOS, Evangelos Mytilineos was elected President of Eurometaux, the European association for non-ferrous metals.

This is the first time that a Greek company, led by its Chairman, takes on the Presidency of this critical European industry. This is especially important today, at a time when dynamic cooperation between European institutions, governments, the scientific community and the industry is required more than ever. The election of Evangelos Mytilineos as President is a European vote of confidence in both MYTILINEOS and in Greek entrepreneurship and the economy.

Following his election, Mr. Mytilineos stated the following:

"It is my honor to take over as President of Eurometaux, at a critical time for European industry. It is time to show leadership in order to safeguard not only the future of the non-ferrous metals industry, but also the European economy as a whole. We must protect our values and the strength of our industry, which is currently confronted with multiple threats.

Our first priority will be to secure access to competitively priced energy, so that we can secure jobs across Europe, social stability and economic growth. We will work hard.

I am determined to make a personal effort and I am sure I can count on the entire Eurometaux team and our members to achieve our common goals. My intention, as the newly elected President, is to approach policy makers and work for immediate and effective action.

And staying true to Eurometaux's history, we will not limit ourselves to pointing out the problem: we will bring concrete proposals to the table, in order to help revitalize our industry and ensure our global

competitiveness."

Over the next two years, Eurometaux, chaired by Ev. Mytilineos, will emphasize cooperation with both the European authorities and the governments of EU Member States in order to alleviate the problems facing the metals industry, amid this unprecedented energy crisis.

Beyond the energy crisis, another important objective will be to complete the forthcoming Critical Raw Materials Act in order to encourage investment in European mining, refining, smelting, processing and recycling activities. Other top priorities will include the reform of Europe's chemicals legislation (REACH), the new EU due diligence policies, the Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism (CBAM) and the framework for sustainable products.