

PRESS RELEASE

MEDREG Presidency Board meets in Rome

Livio de Santoli formally takes office as Italian Permanent Vice-President

Rome, 22 April 2026 – The MEDREG Presidency Board (Mediterranean Energy Regulators), the organisation representing 29 energy regulatory authorities from 23 countries in the Mediterranean region and the European Union, met today in Rome. The meeting marked the official appointment of the new Italian Permanent Vice-President, Livio de Santoli, member of the Board of ARERA.

Discussions reaffirmed MEDREG's strategic role as a hub for regulatory cooperation, market stability and institutional dialogue among Mediterranean countries. The session also stressed the importance of regional collaboration in addressing shared challenges related to global energy flows and the shift towards renewable energy.

Within this context, ARERA confirmed its ongoing commitment to working closely with MEDREG and its intention to expand training and capacity-building initiatives. In strengthening its role within MEDREG, the Authority will provide partner countries with its regulatory expertise to support the institutional capacity of Mediterranean regulators.