

PARTNERSHIP AND COOPERATION WITH THE GOVERNMENT AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS

April 29th, 2023

MARITIM HOTEL PLAZA, TIRANA

08:30-09:00

Registration and reception of participants

09:00-09:30

Opening Ceremonies – Welcome speeches

- **Mr. Blendi GONXHJA**

Director General, General Directorate of Road Transport Services

- **Mr. Tiddo BRESTERS**

President of Fédération Internationale des Véhicules Anciens (FIVA)

- **Ms. Elva MARGARITI**

Minister of Culture of Albania

- **Mr. Erion VELIAJ**

Mayor of Tirana

09:30-11:00 SESSION I

- Mr. Sokol DUMA & Ms. Sibora XHEMALI (Albania), Retro - GDRTS: **Retro Albania and the significance of government policy in creating and safeguarding a future for HVs**
- Mr. Lars GENILD (Denmark), FIVA VP & Mr. Gabriel LECUMBERRI (EU), EPPA: **Lobbying: How to organize it nationally? Lobbying in the European Union: how to make it work for Historic Vehicles?**
- Mr. Lars GENILD (Denmark), FIVA VP: **Keeping HVs on the roads**

11:00-11:30 COFFEE BREAK

11:30-12:30 SESSION II

- Mr. Laurent HÉRIOU (France), FIVA VP: **The problems of harmonization in France and the need for it across the European Union**
- Mr. T.R. RAGHUNANDAN (India), KVCCC: **Learning from the mistakes of others: A case study on the difficulties of cooperating with government and/or institutions**
- Mr. Giuseppe DELL' AVERSANO (Italy), ASI Legislation: **LEZs and HVs: How Italy managed consistency in the regulations**

12:30-14:00 LUNCH BREAK

14:00-15:00 SESSION III

Discussion Panel: The Culture of the Automobile: How do Governments see it?

- Mr. Blendi GONXHJA, (Albania),
- Mrs. Lamiaa ZINOUNE, (Morocco), FRMVE
- Mr. Jean-Francois RUCHAUD, (France), FIVA, FFVE
- Mr. Artan LAME, (Albania), Collector, Activist for the protection of Albanian cultural heritage
- Mrs. Zerina BRUCI, (Albania) Secretary General, Ministry of Culture

15:00-15:30 COFFEE BREAK

15:30-16:30 FINAL SESSION

- Mr. Dimitris VERNARDAKIS (Greece), FILPA: **Legislation in Greece and the use of FIVA identity cards**
- Mr. Casey MAXON (USA), Hagerty: **From Hobby to Heritage in the U.S.: Leveraging a Century of Government Heritage Programs to Elevate the Automobile**

16:30-17:00 CLOSING STATEMENTS

17:00-17:30 MEDIA MOMENT

20:00 GALA DINNER