



# Kerkloh re-elected for a second term as President of ACI EUROPE

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**Brussels, 22 June 2018:** As part of the 28th Joint ACI EUROPE & WORLD Annual Assembly and Congress which took place in Brussels earlier this week, the General Assembly of ACI EUROPE re-elected Dr Michael Kerkloh, CEO, Munich Airport - for a second term as President of the airports trade body.

**Dr Kerkloh** said *"I would like to thank you for the trust you have placed in me. It is an honour to be re-elected to chair ACI EUROPE. This is an interesting time in our industry and the wider air transport sector. Robust growth and yet, significant and fast-emerging risks. I'm not just talking about the usual cyclical nature of air transport, but also the volatile geopolitical situation, the disruption happening to the retail & other non-aeronautical revenues in our business and regulatory risk from the aggressive campaigning by airlines on the aero-revenue side. All of which means that ACI EUROPE has a lot of work on its plate."*

He added *"As President, my priority at all times will be to continue to ensure we defend the collective interests of all our members, regardless of size or location. I will also work to ensure greater association with our World Business Partners and coherency with our other industry stakeholders."*

During this year's General Assembly, the following people were elected to the Board of ACI EUROPE, for a first mandate:

- Mr. Jaime Garcia Legaz, President & CEO – Aena
- Mr. Ugo de Carolis, CEO – Aeroporti di Roma
- Mr. David Cicéo, Managing Director & President – Cluj Avram Iancu International Airport & Romanian Airports Association
- Dr. Dimitry Kamenshchik, Chairman of the Board of Directors – Moscow Domodedovo Airport
- Mr. Dalton Philips, CEO – daa

In addition, the following people were re-elected to the Board for a second mandate: Dr Stefan Schulte, CEO of Fraport AG; Mr. Dominique Thillaud, Président, Société Aéroports Côte d'Azur, Nice & Cannes-Mandelieu; Dr. Yiannis Paraschis, CEO, Athens International Airport; Mr. John Holland-Kaye, CEO, Heathrow Airport; Mr. Robert Sinclair, CEO, London City Airport; Mr. Raul Laurent, Director General des Ports et Aéroports - CCI métropolitaine Bretagne Ouest.

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*aircraft movements* in 2016. These airports contribute to the employment of **12.3 million people**, generating **€675 billion** each year (**4.1%**) of **GDP** in Europe.

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