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10.00 am/ 17.00pm **OPENING SESSION**

Short Video-Presentation

H.E. Giorgio Starace, Italian Ambassador in Japan

H.E. Manlio Di Stefano, Undersecretary of State, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation

Representative of Japanese Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology-

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10.20 am/ 17.20 pm **SESSION 1 – ITALIAN AND JAPANESE SPACE ACTIVITIES AND POLICIES**

Mr. Giorgio Saccoccia, President of Italian Space Agency (ASI)

Mr. Shoji Yoshikazu, Director of International Affairs, Japanese Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA)

10.40 am/ 17.40 pm **SESSION 2 – THE ITALIAN INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS FOR GEO-OBSERVATION, SATELLITE MANUFACTURING AND LAUNCHING, SPACE TRAFFIC AND DEBRIS MANAGEMENT**

- **Projection of the video “The Italian Space Industry”**
- **The technological know-how and expertise of the Italian Space Industry, representative of the Business Space Associations (AIAD, AIPAS, ASAS)**
- **Geo-observation for natural disasters prevention and capabilities in the Space Situational Awareness domain, Mr. Paolo Minciacchi, CEO of E-Geos.**
- **The Vega launch vehicle, AVIO**
- **Presentation on hardware components for satellites and orbiting stations, small satellite launch services, space traffic and space debris management, representatives of 2/3 selected Italian SMEs**

11.40 am/ 18.40 pm **CLOSING REMARKS**

Counsellor Andrea Mazzella, Head of Office for the Promotion of Italian industry in the defense and space sector, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation