

## PRESS RELEASE AEROPORTO GUGLIELMO MARCONI DI BOLOGNA announces its financial calendar for the year 2017

Bologna, December 19, 2016 – Aeroporto di Bologna announces the dates for the publication of its 2017 financial results as approved by the Board of Directors and at the Shareholders' Meeting.

## **Board of Directors Meetings**

Monday, March 13 Statutory and consolidated financial statements as at

December 31, 2016

Monday, May 15 First quarter 2017 results

Monday, September 4 Second quarter 2017 results and interim financial report

as at June 30, 2017

Monday, November 13 Third quarter 2017 results

Shareholders' Meeting

Thursday, April 27 Approval of the statutory financial statements for the

fiscal year 2016

Possible changes of the dates above indicated will be promptly communicated.

Dedicated conference calls with institutional investors and financial analysts will be held after the financial results approvals.

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**Bologna Guglielmo Marconi Airport**, classified as a "strategic airport" in the centre-north area of the National Airports Plan prepared by the Ministry of Infrastructure and Transport, is now the seventh biggest Italian airport by passenger numbers, with nearly 7 million passengers in 2015, of which 75% on international flights (Source: Assaeroporti). Located in the heart of the Emilian food valley and the automotive and packaging industrial districts, the airport has a catchment area of about 10.7 million inhabitants and around 47,000 companies, with a strong propensity to exports and internationalisation and with commercial expansion policies to Eastern Europe and Asia.

In 2015 102 destinations were served from Bologna: the presence at the airport of some of the largest airlines in Europe along with some of the leading low-cost carriers and the close link with European



continental hubs make Bologna Italy's forth airport in for global connectivity (Source: ICCSAI - Fact Book 2016) and the first in Europe in terms of growth of connectivity in the decade from 2004 to 2014 (Source: ACI Europe Airport Connectivity Report 2004-2014).

As for airport infrastructure, the airport has recently completed a major upgrade and expansion of the passenger terminal, while the capacity of aeronautical infrastructure is deemed adequate to accommodate the expected growth over the coming years. The company's aim is to make Bologna Airport one of the most modern and functional in Italy, an important gateway to the city and region.

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