

PRESS RELEASE

ECTAA announces Frank Oostdam as President

Frank Oostdam from the Dutch Association of Travel Agents and Tour Operators (ANVR) has been reelected today as President of the European Travel Agents' and Tour Operators' Association for the period 2024-2026.

Braşov, 14 June 2022 – ECTAA, the European umbrella organization for travel agents and tour operators, is pleased to announce the re-election of Frank Oostdam as President for a second consecutive two-year term. In addition to Oostdam's re-election, the ECTAA representatives elected Heli Mäki-Frän̄ti from Finland as Vice-President and Jan Van Steen from Belgium as Treasurer. The Executive Board will also include Marios Kammenos from Greece, Pawel Niewiadomski from Poland, Daniela Stoeva from Bulgaria and Boris Zgomba from Croatia.

Frank Oostdam expressed his enthusiasm for continuing in his role: "I am very pleased to have been entrusted this important role at ECTAA. We are entering a new period at EU level, with newly elected Members of the European Parliament and soon the nomination of Commissioners heading the executive body of the EU. Our focus will be on concluding a fair and balanced revision of the passenger mobility package, which includes the package travel Directive, and ensuring the proper implementation of the Green Deal legislation adopted during the last mandate of the Commission. I look forward to working with members and industry stakeholders in advancing the agenda of the travel and tourism industry."

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About ECTAA

ECTAA represents the interests of 80,000 travel agents and tour operators in Europe, which provide consultancy and sell transport, accommodation, leisure and other tourism services as well as combined products to leisure and business customers.

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