

## Press Release

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### EIM re-elects President and elects two Vice-Presidents

Today, the General Assembly of EIM unanimously re-elected **Pier Eringa**, Chief Executive Officer of the Dutch rail Infrastructure Manager ProRail, as EIM President. EIM's General Assembly also elected two EIM Vice-Presidents, **Miguel Nieto Menor**, Director General of the Spanish rail Infrastructure Manager ADIF (ES) and **Graham Hopkins**, Group Director of Safety, Technical & Engineering of the British rail Infrastructure Manager Network Rail (UK).

EIM President **Pier Eringa** thanked all members of EIM for their confidence and said: *“Together with my fellow board members, I continue being committed to leverage Infrastructure Manager’s drive for innovation to pave our way into the future. Cooperation, transparency and customer service are important to achieve this. Only together can we build the European infrastructure network of tomorrow. Following this, I am looking forward to continuing the excellent cooperation with EIM’s Board Members, Lena Erixon of Trafikverket (SE), Miguel Nieto Menor of ADIF (ES) and Graham Hopkins of Network Rail (UK).”*

The General Assembly endorsed the **work done** and progress made by EIM in **2017** and set out an ambitious **work plan for the second half of 2018** and beyond.

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EIM, the association of European Rail Infrastructure Managers, was established in 2002 to promote the interests and views of the independent Infrastructure Managers in Europe, following liberalisation of the railway market. It also provides technical expertise to the appropriate European bodies such as the European Union Agency for Railways. EIM's primary goal is promoting growth of rail traffic and the development of an open, sustainable, efficient and customer orientated rail network in Europe.

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