



## **ANFAO AND MIDO: PRESIDENT MARCOLIN ASSIGNS RESPONSIBILITIES**

In agreement with the ANFAO Executive Council, Cirillo Marcolin, the recently re-elected president of the Italian Association of Optical Goods Manufacturers (ANFAO) and the International Optics, Optometry and Ophthalmology Exhibition (MIDO), has assigned responsibilities for the associations' various activities.

For technical and regulatory aspects, Marcolin has confirmed Enrico Tormen as head of the Technical Committee.

Already involved in this area during the previous two-year period, Callisto Fedon will be responsible for relations with Certottica, the Italian institute for the certification of optical products, of which ANFAO holds the relative majority.

Industrial relations and matters concerning the labor unions will be handled by Giannino Lorenzon, who is also president of Ente Bilaterale dell'Occhialeria.

Vittorio Tabacchi will continue to be involved in EUROM 1, the European Federation of Optical Industries, of which he is president. The Italian representative at EUROM will be Renato Sopracolle, who will continue to be responsible also for relations with small associated firms and with the territory of Belluno.

Maurizio Dessolis will again be responsible for relations with large associated companies.

Tabacchi will continue to be president of the Commissione Difesa Vista and the Eyeglasses Museum at Pieve di Cadore, whereas Marcolin will personally handle relations with distribution and FIAMP, the Italian federation of fashion and personal accessories.

Paolo Pettazoni remains as president of Gruppo Lenti and Nicola Del Din will be responsible for the Confindustriale Storytalia project for promoting SMEs abroad.

With regard to ANFAO representatives at various meetings of Confindustria (the Italian employers' federation), Marcolin will speak for ANFAO at meetings on "Made In", Vitaloni has been confirmed for export and Pettazzoni for health-related subjects.

The Internationalization Committee, which is very important to Italian companies that are increasingly adept at exporting, will continue to be the responsibility of Giovanni Vitaloni.

Institutional communication, another delicate and important subject, will again be handled by the president, Cirillo Marcolin.

As to MIDO, the sector's main exhibition event of which ANFAO is the sole partner, Marcolin will continue to be directly involved with the collaboration of vice president Vitaloni, who will be specifically responsible also for actions concerning development, communication and related events (for example Out of Mido, the first edition of which took place a few months ago during Fuorisalone in Milan).

The team is already at work on its continued support and promotion of the Italian eyewear industry, a sector par excellence throughout the world.