







The Embassy of the Czech Republic in Italy,

CzechInvest and Confindustria Lombardia

are pleased to invite you to the seminar

"EU Funds: Investing in the Czech Republic with the European Support"

- -- Date: 26 October, 2011
- -- Time: 9:30 12:30
- -- Venue: Confindustria Lombardia, Milano, via Larga 4

You will be able to understand why Italian companies such as Gruppo Marzotto, SIAD, Unicredit, Cromodora Wheels, Beghelli, and many others have already expanded their manufacturing, services, sourcing, research and design activities to the Czech Republic. It is not just long industrial heritage stretching back more than 150 years but also strong technical academic and R&D base and a favorable location of the Czech Republic with well-developed transportation links to the entire Europe.

Overview of the recent investment and partnership opportunities and available support for foreign companies, including the EU structural funds in the Czech Republic will be provided.

No fee necessary, but registration in advance needed.











Agenda:

- 9:30 Registration & Coffee
- 10:00 Welcoming Address Stefano Poliani, Vice President, Confindustria Lombardia
- 10:10 **Future Potential of Czech Italian Business Cooperation** Milan Tous, Head of Economic Section, Embassy of the Czech Republic in Italy
- 10:30 Attractiveness of the Business Environment and Financial Support in the Czech Republic Lucie Votavova, Marketing and Information Specialist, CzechInvest
- 11:00 Structural Funds and Partnership Opportunities for Italian Companies – Joint Ventures and Acquisitions CzechLink Vit Svajcr, Sourcing Section Senior Project Manager, CzechInvest
- 11:30 Q & A Session
- 12.00 Networking Session & light aperitif

The seminar will be held in English & Italian language.

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