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### **Gibraltar Maritime Administration to Attend Cannes Yachting Festival 2015**

The Gibraltar Maritime Administration ('GMA') will be attending and exhibiting at the Cannes Yachting Festival from Tuesday 8th to Sunday 13th September 2015, as part of its sustained effort to promote the benefits of the Gibraltar Yachts Registry as a reputable and attractive register in the yachting industry.

The Cannes Yachting Festival has established a reputation for attracting the most prominent maritime companies in the industry and has long been known as a global showcase for the presentation and promotion of a wide diversity of yachting products and services. As one of Europe's leading in-water yacht shows, the Festival is one of the main international events in the Superyacht and Megayacht nautical calendar in Europe.

At this year's event, Diana Soussi Avellano, Registrar of Yachts will head a team of GMA representatives at the event. The GMA will host a stand featuring Gibraltar's maritime services and is an excellent forum for attendees to network and learn about developments in the industry. It provides an ideal opportunity for the GMA to discuss, with key industry players and the general public, the complete package of benefits that the Gibraltar Yachts Registry offers to yacht owners.

The Hon Albert Isola MP, Minister for Maritime Services commented, "The Cannes Yachting Festival is 'the place to be' in order to network with yacht owners, builders, financiers and agents. A British Red Ensign and EU Member State yacht Register, Gibraltar is considered one of the highest-quality flags for pleasure and commercial yachts of all sizes, offering the complete package for owners. Maintaining a marketing presence in events such as this generates interest in the Gibraltar-registered fleet, which continues to grow year-on-year. We are totally committed in our support to the maritime sector and to driving more business here."

Details on the Festival and the Gibraltar Yachts Registry can be found online via the following links:

<http://www.cannesyachtingfestival.com>

<http://www.gibraltaryacht.com>

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