

BENI STABILI S.P.A. SIIQ

Illustrative report pertaining to point 5 of the agenda of the ordinary Shareholders' meeting of Beni Stabili S.p.A. SIIQ of 12 April 2018 drafted by the Board of Directors pursuant to artt. 123-ter and 125-ter of Legislative Decree n. 58 dated 24 February 1998.

5. Examination of the first section of the Remuneration Report. Resolutions pertaining thereto and resulting therefrom.

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Dear Shareholders,

This Remuneration Report shows, in compliance with the laws and regulatory provisions in force, the basic principles and guidelines to be pursued by Beni Stabili S.p.A. SIIQ with its Remuneration policy, approved by the Board of Directors on 6 February 2018, upon proposal by the Remuneration Committee and, subject to the opinion of the Chief Executive Officer, for what concerns the remuneration of Executives with Strategic Responsibilities.

In particular, in accordance with Art. 123-ter of Italian Legislative Decree 58/1998, in the first section of the Report, which is indicated in full below, the main contents of the Remuneration policy are pointed out (the powers conferred on the matter to the company bodies, the fixed and variable components of the remuneration, the methods for assigning the variable components and the *bonus*), as well as the information concerning the actual adoption and implementation of the policy itself.

With the Remuneration Report, the Company intends to submit to your attention a clear illustration of the overall top management remuneration system of Beni Stabili, so that you can consciously express your advisory vote on the first section of the Report, as provided by Art. 123-*ter*, paragraph 6, of Italian Legislative Decree 58/1998.

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SECTION I - REMUNERATION POLICY

1. Corporate bodies and officers involved in the preparation and approval of the remuneration policy

Shareholders' Meeting

The Shareholders' Meeting ("Shareholders' Meeting") of Beni Stabili S.p.A. SIIQ ("Beni Stabili" or the "Company"), called to approve the annual financial statements pursuant to Art. 2364, paragraph 2 of the Italian Civil Code shall resolve, in a purely advisory capacity, in favour of, or against, the first section of the Remuneration Report ("Report"), illustrating the remuneration policy ("Policy"), in force at least for the following year, for the members of the Board of Directors ("Directors") and the executives with strategic responsibilities ("Strategic Executives"), as well as the procedures used for the adoption and implementation of said Policy.

Should the Policy be significantly amended during the year by the Company Board of Directors ("Board of Directors") and, as a result, the Policy is changed substantially from that on which the Shareholders' Meeting expressed its opinion pursuant to the previous paragraph, the Board of Directors shall call a Shareholders' Meeting to express an opinion about such revised Policy - in a purely advisory capacity, in favour or against – on the basis of a special report, drafted by the Board of Directors on the Policy as amended.

Board of Directors

As proposed by the Company's Remuneration Committee - and conditional upon the favourable opinion of the Chief Executive Officer of Beni Stabili ("Chief Executive Officer" or "CEO") as regards the remuneration of the Strategic Executives - the Board of Directors shall approve the Policy and, at least on an annual basis, assess its effectiveness, to be duly reported to the Shareholders' Meeting in the context of the Report.

Remuneration Committee

The Company has established within the Board of Directors a Remuneration Committee ("Committee"), composed of three independent Directors, one or more of which with appropriate knowledge and experience of financial matters and in terms of remuneration policies.

On an annual basis and at the latest during the Board of Directors' meeting resolving upon the call of the Shareholders' Meeting to approve the annual financial statements (and to express the opinion on the first section of the Report), the Committee shall formulate a proposal to the Board of Directors on the Policy adopted by the Company, pointing out any need to amend or integrate the Policy. During the year, the Committee shall also report to the Board of Directors on any possible need to amend or integrate the Policy, as well as on any failure to implement the Policy and/or on the infringement of its principles.

With regard to the operational activity of the Committee, it has to be noted that the Committee always operates through duly called meetings and resolves in absence of the directly interested parties. Meetings are held at the request of anyone of its members and the Committee has the power to access the information and corporate departments necessary or useful in order to perform its duties. All Committee's meetings are duly recorded. The Committee may avail itself of external consultants in order to perform its duties, and in such case the relevant costs shall be borne by the Company.

The Committee lastly submitted its proposal to the Board of Directors in relation to the Policy on February 6, 2018. The remuneration policy of financial year 2018 is substantially in line with the policy adopted for financial year 2017.

In its proposal, the Committee confirmed that the Policy is compliant and consistent with the existing corporate practices and suitable to allow the definition of competitive remuneration

levels and to promote equality and transparency. The assessments of the Committee were performed independently and without requesting support from independent experts.

The Board of Directors fully approved the proposal of the Committee on February 6, 2018.

The Committee will verify the correct implementation of the Policy, duly reporting to the Board of Directors.

Chief Executive Officer

The Chief Executive Officer, where appropriate, may submit proposals to the Board of Directors relating to the Policy adopted by the Company on the remuneration to be paid to the General Manager if appointed, and to the Strategic Executives, where appointed, illustrating any need to amend or integrate the Policy in this respect. Should the Board of Directors decide to accept the amendment or addition to the Policy proposed by the Chief Executive Officer, it shall in any event contact in advance the Committee. The aforementioned power may be exercised by the Chief Executive Officer at the Board of Directors' meeting which resolves to call the Shareholders' Meeting for the approval of the financial statements pursuant to Art. 2364, paragraph 2 of the Italian Civil Code, or at any other Board of Directors' meeting resolving upon the calling of a Shareholders' Meeting, so that a report on the amended Policy may be included in the agenda of the forthcoming Shareholders' Meeting.

During the fiscal year, with particular reference to the General Manager if appointed and the Strategic Executives' remuneration, the Chief Executive Officer will verify the correct implementation of the Policy, duly reporting to the Board of Directors.

2. Aims of the remuneration policy and underlying principles

The Policy is a key instrument to protect and strengthen the reputation of Beni Stabili and create long-term value for all the Shareholders.

In compliance with the applicable regulations and in line with the values of transparency and responsibility, the Company, by means of the Policy, the Company intends to:

- a) guarantee, also through constant monitoring of market trends, a correct definition of competitive remuneration levels, promoting internal equality and transparency;
- b) guarantee that the remuneration of Directors and Strategic Executives is established at a level sufficient to attract, retain and motivate staff with the appropriate professional skills to best perform their respective duties and to successfully manage the Company;
- c) structure the remuneration in order to promote a medium/long-term sustainability and to guarantee that the remuneration is also based on results achieved in the medium/long term.

The Policy approved by the Board of Directors on February 6, 2018 is substantially in line with the remuneration practices previously adopted by the Company.

3. Policy on fixed and variable components of remuneration

Non-executive Directors

According to the Policy, the remuneration of non-executive Directors consists of a fixed annual remuneration commensurate with the commitment required to each one. The amount of this component of the remuneration is the same for all non-executive Directors, except for the Chairman who is granted with an higher remuneration (please refer to paragraph 11 below).

Attendance fees could be foreseen as a variable portion of the Remuneration, based on the actual attendance by each Director to the meetings of the Board of Directors.

Executive Directors

With respect to the executive Directors, the Policy provides that their remuneration shall be composed of a fixed component and two possible variable components, in line with the guidelines below:

- the fixed component shall be sufficient to retain and motivate the executive Directors to best perform their duties, in accordance with the standard practice in force from time to time and in line with the market average;
- the executive Directors shall benefit of a possible yearly "variable" component ("MBO"), consisting of a cash premium up to 100% of the fixed component of the remuneration, to be granted upon achievement of predetermined annual performance targets; furthermore, as an incentive for an even better improvement of the executive Directors' performances, with reference to annually set targets, the same can benefit of an additional *upside* up to a 50% maximum of the variable remuneration component, if the yearly objectives are not only reached but also exceeded;
- the executive Directors shall also benefit of a possible medium-long term "variable" component ("LTI"), consisting of a number of free shares of the parent company Foncière des Régions S.A. ("FdR") equal to a maximum amount representing up to 100% of the fixed component of the remuneration, to be granted upon achievement of predetermined medium-long term performance targets.

Strategic Executives

The remuneration of the Strategic Executives shall be determined by applying, *mutatis mutandis*, the same architecture used for the Executive Directors' remuneration (also with reference to

the criteria for assessment of results), taking into account the functions allocated and the objectives assigned to them. In such a case, the remuneration to be granted to said Executive Directors will be determined and paid only by the Company, as said Strategic Executives do not hold any office into the parent company Foncière des Régions.

In particular:

The remuneration granted to the General Manager shall be composed by a fixed component and two eventual variable components, related to, respectively, short and medium-long term targets, in accordance with the guidelines below:

- the fixed component shall be in line with the market practices and sufficient to retain and motivate the General Manager to best perform his/her duties;
- the short term variable component ("**Bonus**") consists of a cash premium up to 50% of the fixed component of the remuneration, to be granted upon achievement of predetermined annual performance targets; furthermore, as an incentive for an even better improvements on the part of the General Manager with respect to targets set annually, the same can benefit of an additional *upside* up to a maximum 50% of the variable remuneration component, if the yearly targets are not only reached but also exceeded;
- the medium-long term variable component ("LTI"), consists of the assignment of a number of free shares with a three-year or more vesting period of the parent company Foncière des Régions; up to 50% of this allocation will be based upon the market performance of Beni Stabili share (provided that it remains within the Group) and the remaining 50% will be based upon the achievement in the medium-long term of predetermined operational targets related to Beni Stabili. Furthermore, the General Manager may also participate in Group incentive plans, aimed at the retention of its management, which may provide for exceptional attribution of free shares of the parent company to Foncière des Régions S.A. linked to parameters related to the Group itself.

In this respect, it has to be noted that the possible assignment of free shares of Foncière des Régions S.A. to the General Manager shall be resolved by the Board of Directors of the Company, in accordance with the existing agreements between Beni Stabili and Foncière des Régions S.A. and the free stock grant plans approved by the competent bodies of Foncière des Régions S.A. (the "FdR Plans").

Incentive schemes based on financial instruments

Currently the Company does not have any incentive schemes based on financial instruments in force.

Nonetheless, the remuneration system, as already explained, contemplates the possible

assignment - by the Beni Stabili Board of Directors to the Strategic Executives (including the General Manager) of Beni Stabili – of free Foncière des Régions S.A. shares, in accordance with specific agreements in force between Beni Stabili and Foncière des Régions S.A. and with the FdR Plans.

According to the terms of the FdR Plans, each year the Board of Directors of Foncière des Régions S.A. may resolve, also on a non-recurring basis, to assign free Foncière des Régions S.A. shares to the beneficiaries (including Stategic Executives) - identified on each occasion, based on Group performance. The assignment becomes final on completion of a vesting period beginning on the date of the resolution regarding each annual assignment and that shall last 3 years minimum. For the entire duration of the vesting period, the beneficiaries cannot be considered owners of the shares and, therefore, are not entitled to exercise the rights attributed to the shareholders.

4. Policy on fringe benefits

According to the Policy, the Executive Directors Officer and the Strategic Executives may be granted (for mixed use) and with tax withholdings pursuant to applicable laws) with certain fringe benefits, standard for directors/officers holding similar positions in listed companies similar, in size and quality, to the Company. Such fringe benefits consist of (i) accommodation if applicable, (ii) company car and (iii) company mobile phone.

5. Criteria for assessment of results

General approach

The variable components of the remuneration are assigned on the basis of an assessment of the short and medium/long term results achieved, performed using the benchmarks indicated in the Policy (see below) and taken into account the specific economic situation and the real estate market situation.

In general, the performance assessment is based on profitability and on other sustainable business leverages. Beni Stabili also takes into consideration numerous other circumstances, including the compliance with the Group values, the generation of value and the increase of the EBIT.

MBO component for executive Directors

The MBO component shall be assigned to the Chief Executive Officer upon achievement of Group's performance targets that should be clear, precise, quantifiable and operational. In general, the MBO component of the remuneration is awarded year by year, in part, on the basis of the achievement of quantitative targets regarding Real Estate market and financial indicators, such as, by way of example (i) financial results; (ii) the generation of sustainable value (iii) the improvement of Company's strategy; (iv) the enhancement of the financial profile, (v) the enhancement of market positioning in the respective geographic areas where the Group operates and, in part, on the base of the achievement of qualitative targets relating

to the management, leadership and strategic position within the Company and the Group.

LTI component for executive Directors

The Chief Executive Officer is beneficiary of an LTI plan issued by the parent company Foncière des Régions S.A., according to which the LTI component shall be assigned to the Chief Executive Officer in case of achievement of Group's *performance* targets, including the *performance* of the subsidiary Beni Stabili;

MBO and LTI component for Strategic Executives

The variable component shall be granted to Strategic Executives upon achievement of clear, precise, quantifiable and operational performance objectives. The Board of Directors every year determines, on the basis of the Committee's proposal, said objectives; in doing so, the opinion of the Chief Executive Officer is also taken into consideration. The objectives are furthermore determined on the basis of the strategic plan, of the budget approved by the Board of Directors during the relevant year and of the current Company's priorities.

In particular, the Company may assign a variable bonus to each Strategic Executive, in accordance with the abovementioned guidelines and with reference to the General Manager, up to a maximum of 50% of the fixed component of the gross annual remuneration. Furthermore, as an incentive for an even better performance of the General Manager, also exceeding the awarded annual targets, the same can benefit of an additional *upside* up to a maximum of 50% of the variable remuneration component, if the annual targets are not only reached but also exceeded.

The General Manager is currently the only Company's Strategic Executives.

Provided that the parameters to operate under the "SIIQ" Regime have to be satisfied, the performance objectives of the General Manager are associated with:

- (i) the achievement of an adequate level of remuneration for Shareholders, with particular reference to EPRA Earnings and NAV;
- (ii) the improvement of profitability of the property assets, and of the occupancy rate;
- (iii) the optimization of the value of individual properties, also through asset rotation;
- (iv) the management of the property development projects and the launch of new property development projects planned in line with the budget and with the scheduled timing;
- (v) the efficient management of the working group, with the aim of improving its cohesion and bringing out talents and professional skills.

6. <u>Information on compliance of the remuneration policy with the long-term interests</u> of the company and with the risk management policy

The Company considers that the remuneration system is consistent, as a whole, with the targets of creating value for all Shareholders, also during the long term period, throughout the

prevision of an LTI component within the remuneration of the Executive Directors and of the General Manager.

The Policy is such that Directors and Strategic Executives are under no circumstances expected to assume risks to an extent exceeding the risk appetite envisaged in the corporate strategies, also taking into consideration the various levels of control exercised by the relevant corporate bodies, with particular reference to the risk management system.

7. Maturity of rights and any deferred payment systems

The *performance* objectives to be achieved are identified during the Board of Directors' Meeting called to approve the draft annual financial statements and/or in connection with the possible appointment of an executive director by the Board of Directors.

The achievement of the predetermined *performance* objectives is assessed during the last Board of Directors' Meeting to be held in the fiscal year or, at the latest, during the Board of Directors' Meeting called to approve the draft financial statements, normally coinciding with the first Board Meeting after the end of the financial year. The Company may envisage a deferred payment system of the MBO component. The Policy also allows the Company to enter into specific *ad hoc* arrangements with the executive Directors, concerning the MBO component, in order to permit the Company to hold deferred payments or to reclaim, in whole or in part, the MBO variable components possibly awarded, but subsequently proved to be awarded based on data manifestly misstated.

The assignment of the LTI component shall become final on completion of a vesting period starting from the date of the Foncière des Régions' Board of Directors' decision to allocate free shares in favour of directors and employees of the Group, upon approval of that specific allocation from Beni Stabili's Board of Directors.

8. <u>Information on any lock up clauses requiring that financial instruments are kept in portfolio after their acquisition, with an indication of the relevant lock up periods and criteria used to determine such periods</u>

As at today, the Company has no incentive schemes based on financial instruments, nor maturing plans including clauses requiring that financial instruments be retained in the portfolio after their acquisition.

For the sake of completeness, the FdR Plans referred to in paragraph 3 above do not envisage that the Executive Directors and the Strategic Executives retain the allocated Foncière des Régions S.A.shares in portfolio at the end of the *vesting* period.

9. Policy on termination of office or employment contract

The Policy allows the Company to enter into specific *ad hoc* contractual arrangements on Executive Directors, the General Manager, if appointed, and Strategic Executives, concerning indemnities payable in case of anticipated termination of the office, provided, in any case, that (i) no indemnity shall be payable in case of fair dismissal nor in the case of voluntary resignation from office, (ii) such indemnities cannot exceed 200% of the fixed yearly remuneration of the relevant Executive Director (plus any received bonus and any amounts accrued by the Director) and (iii) the agreements shall be compliant with the relevant market benchmarks and with the applicable laws and regulations.

10. <u>Information on any insurance cover, welfare or pension contributions provided, other than mandatory elements</u>

According to the Policy, the Executive Directors and Strategic Executives may benefit of the following insurance covers, additional to the mandatory covers:

- "Directors & Officers' Liability" policy (D&O), which covers, third party liability, inter alia, of the Chief Executive Officer and Strategic Executives for monetary losses deriving from claims for compensation for damages in relation to any offence committed by the insured during the course of his/her duties, except in case of wilful misconduct and to the extent that the Company has already compensated the insured;
- "Legal aid policy", which covers the costs relating to any legal aid provided as defence counsel to the insured, in court proceedings and in out-of-court settlements, with regard to the specific cases envisaged.

In addition, the Strategic Executives may benefit from the following mandatory insurance, which are characterised by a coverage cap exceeding that one provided by the relevant National Collective Labour Agreement, whose exceeding cost relating to the higher coverage cap is borne by the Company:

"Executive life policy", in their capacity as executives, with coverage cap in line with the relevant National Pay Agreement whose premium is paid by the Company.

- "Professional and equivalent accident policy", which indemnifies the permanent invalidity points assessed as a result of professional or extra-professional accidents, the coverage cap of which is calculated on the seriousness of the accident and the type of event involved, using a maximum of 5 times (in case of death) or 6 times (in case of total permanent disability) the gross annual remuneration of the insured. It has to be noted that, whereas extra-professional accident cover is mandatory under the National Pay Agreement, equivalent accident cover is not mandatory;
- "Supplementary healthcare policy" covering medical, health and surgery costs in addition to

the health care fund envisaged in the relevant employment contracts.

11. Other information

The Policy does not contemplate specific remunerations for the independent Directors. The

remuneration of the Independent Directors is determined on the whole by the Shareholders'

Meeting at the time of their appointment.

With reference to the participations to each committee within the Board of Directors,

Directors shall receive a fixed annual remuneration, regardless of the specific internal

committee of which the Director is a member.

Attendance fees could be foreseen, based on the actual attendance by each Director to the

meetings of the Board of Directors.

The fixed remuneration payable to the Chairman, who holds also the office of independent

Director and has certain specific technical skills, is composed by a fixed compensation higher

than that of the other non-executive Directors.

With regard to the offices held in subsidiaries by any Beni Stabili director or Strategic

Executive, the Policy provides that (i) if the relevant office held in the subsidiary is a non-

executive one, the remuneration due shall be returned in full to Beni Stabili, while (ii) if the

relevant office is an executive one, the remuneration due to the relevant Director may be

retained by the same, upon Company's consent.

The Policy is substantially in line with the remuneration principles and guidelines in force

within the Beni Stabili Group and, in particular, with the directives of Foncière des Régions

S.A., the Company exercising management and coordination activity.

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Having regard to the above, we therefore invite you to express your vote on the first section

of the Report that illustrates the Remuneration policy of the Company and the procedures

used for adopting and implementing this policy.

Rome, 22 March 2018

For the Board of Directors

The Chairman

(Ariberto Fassati)

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