

## PRESS NOTE

## "SECURING SUPPLIES OF CRITICAL RAW MATERIALS MUST BE A PRIORITY FOR COOPERATION AMONG EUROPEAN STATES"

This was stated by Roberto Cingolani, Leonardo CEO, on the sidelines of the summit between France, Germany, and Italy on critical raw materials

Rome, 26/06/2023 - Roberto Cingolani, CEO of Leonardo, expressed satisfaction with the European Commission's proposal on the *Critical Raw Materials Act*, on the sidelines of the summit between France, Germany, and Italy on critical raw materials, which was held today in Berlin: "Everything that goes in the direction of identifying suitable solutions to guarantee supplies of critical raw materials, especially in industrial areas vital to the European economy, should be vigorously supported, with a view to increasing cooperation among member states. We live in a period by which the speed of choices does not often coincide with the urgency of the decisions to be taken. This is good for most industrialised countries to unite their needs in order to offer the European institutions an organic vision capable of giving support and further development to their economies."

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