Premiere of "La Mafia è Bianca" - European Parliament, Brussels

"La Mafia è bianca" is an Italian documentary which will be presented to the European media on Tuesday **31 January at 18:30 in Room PHS 3 C 050** in the European Parliament in Brussels. The presentation is an initiative of of the Italian centre-left coalition (l'UNIONE). It will be attended by the Italian MEPs **Umberto GUIDONI** (GUE/NGL), **Giusto CATANIA** (GUE/NGL), **Claudio FAVA** (PSE) and **Luigi COCILOVO** (ALDE) as well as the movie's authors **Stefano Maria BIANCHI** and **Alberto NERAZZINI**.

The movie deals with the Mafia's connections with the political world in Italy. Packed with interviews, it investigates closely this longstanding relationship and pays particular attention to the recent past and to the Sicilian reality. In many ways it is a shocking indictment on how the "Mafia" mind-set is still omnipresent and deeply rooted in Italian society today and also raises serious cultural as well as political questions.

SCREENING OF THE MOVIE:
TUESDAY 31/01/06 AT 18:30,
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