

## **Incivolo 5 August: declaration by the President of SACBO**

“Bergamo Airport represents a tried and tested system of operative security, certified on the foundation of the most advanced technologies for air traffic infrastructures. The events that have taken place cannot invalidate the quality and the importance of the great efforts that have been made in order to make the airport a leader in terms of security, nor can they put into question its functionality”. These are the words of Mr. Miro Radici, president of SACBO, following the aircraft accident which involved a cargo aircraft during landing at Bergamo Airport. “In light of events, I would like to underline our undertaking in assuring our prime objectives of security, and to guarantee our full collaboration with the relevant authorities”.

“Having overcome the emergency phase, our thoughts go to the two pilots involved, to whom we wish a speedy recovery - continued Radici - In the meantime we would like to apologise for the inconvenience caused to thousands of passengers who awaited departure during morning operations”.

“I would like to extend my gratitude to the fire brigade, who quickly reached the location of the accident and rendered the aircraft safe; to ENAC and ENAV who allowed the coordination of all of the stages of the emergency and our return to operational status; to the various law enforcement agencies (Polaria, The State Police and the Traffic Corps, the Military Police, the Local Police and the Financial Police), and to the Civil Protection Forces who both managed traffic and oversaw the airport during the long critical moments. My thoughts also go to the SACBO operational team, who both assisted passengers and also allowed the rapid return to normal activity, and to all of those who carry out their jobs within the airport on order to guarantee efficiency”.

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