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POLICEMEN ORDER Operating Detective Unit

In the morning of today, Soldiers of the Detective Unit of the Provincial Drills of military Policemen Order and Agents of Police of the Mobile Squad of Drills, at the conclusion of complex inquiries on the political and entrepreneurial dynamics concerning the accomplishment of "wind parks" in Sicily, performed 8 Orders of care protect emitted from the G. THE. P. of Palermo (dr. ssa TO. Advice) on request of the antimafia Attorney's office (P. M. To. Cartosio – P. Padua), towards:

1. AGATES Giovan Baptist, been born at Mazara of the Rampart 19.7.1942, pluripregiudicato mafia member, brother of the knownest AGATES Mariano;
2. AQUARA Antonio, been born to Ottati (Salerno) the 06-05-1958, therein res., entrepreneur (arr. dom.);
3. BELL Baldassare, been born at Mazara of the Rampart the 30.8.1949, therein res., person in charge of the Sole Door Activity Productive (S.u.a.p.) of the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart (arr. dom.);
4. CUTTONONE born Antonino to Mazara of the Rampart the 12.2.1936 and therein res. (Arr. dom.), entrepreneur and manager of the Concrete Mazara;
5. FRANZINELLI Luigi, been born at Objection of Ledro (TN) the 05-10-1944 and resident to Thirty, entrepreneur;
6. MARTINO Vito, been born at Mazara of the rampart the 20-11-1967 and therein res., entrepreneur, already councillor and town advisor (FI);
7. SALADIN Melchiorre, been born at Salemi the 06-08-1948 and therein res., entrepreneur;
8. ME IT IT Giuseppe, been born at Mazara of the Rampart the 30.03.1948, already architect of the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart, in action held for association mafia member.

The blitz all flew off' dawn and saw pledged beyond hundred between Agents of Police and military Policemen that operated simultaneously in the locality of Mazara of the Rampart (TP), Marsala (TP), Drills (TP), Castelvetro (TP), Room Consilina (KNOWS) and Thirty.

The prisoners are at varied title retained responsible of the following offenses: • Of the offense of whom all' art. 416 encore c. 1, 3, 4 and 6 C. P., to have agreed all' association mafia member named What Ours, and particularly to the family mafia member of Mazara of the Rampart the economical control of activity, of authorizations, contracts and public services in the area of the electric production of energy by means of wind installations as well as to the political exchange of vows – mafia member. • Of the crime of whom to the artt. 110 and 326 c. p. to have, united to unknown official publics in service I press the local government of Mazara of the Rampart, competition to reveal news of office segretate, concerning the diagram of convention for the accomplishment of a wind park to care of the society "Enerpro", I document temporarily removed from the strongbox where was taken care of and given back known to the directors of the concurrent society SUDWIND so that this ultima presented a same convention to more advantageous conditions.

• Of the crime of whom to the artt. 81, 110, 319, 321 c. p., 7 D. L. 152/91, because, for the means dell' entrepreneur SALADIN Melchiorre in competition with other official publics to the state done not identify, the Martino [nell' exercise of the functions of councillor of the municipal council of Mazara of the first Rampart and of town Advisor then] and the Bell [nell' exercise of the functions of person in charge of the Sole Door Activity Productive of the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart] completed opposite actions to the you have to d' office [consisted nell' to have constantly and repeatedly favored the society South Wind s. r. l. in the contracts of a convention with the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart for the accomplishment of a wind station for the electric production of energy], establishing a corrupting transaction with Aquara Antonino and Franzinelli Luigi, respectively sole director and partner of the South Wind S. r. l., stressing and large money of sums receiver and motorcars of luxury. • Of the offense of whom to the artt. 110 C. P. and 7 c. TWO and III L. 2/5/1974, n. 195 because in competition with GOSTNER Josef - in the quality of partner and special prosecutor of the "FRI-EL GREEN POWER S.p.a." – It reached an agreement on to correspond the MARTINO Vito – candidate in the strip of "FI" to the regional elections Sicilian 2006 – a contribution of €30,000, without it prescribed decision dell' company organ and without l' enrolment in the budget of the society.

L' antimafia operation in argument is melted on the results of the inquiries conducts from the Mobile Squad of the Police headquarters of Drills and from the Detective Unit of the Provincial Drills of military Policemen Order on a series of projects concerning the accomplishment of varied wind installations (c. d. "wind parks") in the province of Drills, inquiries them whose risultanze you were exhibited with two informative receipts of offense in which analyze themselves the political and entrepreneurial dynamics that, particularly, They pushed l' local Government of Mazara (but also other local governments) to choose for a program of progressive expansion dell' wind energy. The inquiries were conducts on two fundamental and distinguished traveled: l' acquisition and l' attentive analysis of a series of fit expression dell'

bureaucratic course – technician – administrative I continue; a' imposing activity d' interception of conversations exists between the protagonists of the events object d' inquiry, the that agreed to follow "in progress" l' criminal activity.

The result more pointing out some inquiries of military Policemen and Police consists nell' to have checked that l' criminal activity mail in to be from entrepreneurs and politicians has an imprimatur mafia member that orientated formal procedure and objective dell' criminal activity to the purpose of to monitor mysteriously l' whole productive distribution in the territory, also by means of l' custody of the necessary intense activities for the accomplishment of the wind installations (excavations, l' enliven land, supply of cement and of inert, etc.) for a to deal of Euro millions of hundred to which add themselves, for the same entity, the enormous regional financings of whom the enterprises in argument have in last benefited, according to the esteem of the Unit of PT of the revenue Officer of Palermo that with the its you study contributed all' analysis of the phenomenon.

In fact, in such entrepreneurial activity they have proposition roles of leading Thing of relief of representatives importance Ours that have activated to acquire, in direct and indirect manner, the management or however the control of concessions, of authorizations, contracts and public services in the area of the electric production of energy, by means of the wind accomplishment of installations, pianificandola in its moment salieera on the occasion of some summit mafia members, thanks to the agreed synergy of Criminal actions mail in to be:

1) from Thing of summit of representatives Our mazarese (AGATES Giovan Baptist, MYSELF IT IT Giuseppe, CUTTONE Antonino and TAMBOURINE Matteo) or from reporting of the same one (MARTINO Vito, town advisor of Mazara of the Rampart, l' produce dell' man d' honor CUTTONE Antonino, already councillor in the Municipal Council dell' then mayor FLEECE Nicolò and, therefore, of town advisor) introduced all' inside of the public administration, which used to do themselves deviant, with illegal conducts, the moderate course of the course administrative, to the end of to favor the enterprises chosen dall' organization, damaging those contributing; 2) from town officials (BELL Baldassare) and official publics (you rhymed unknown) that behind the money of sums of promise and of other usefulness and following the indications of the reporting of Thing Ours abused their office putting in to be fit illegitimate and illegal (town opening of strongbox containing documents reserved and revelation of secret d' office, subtraction and destruction of actions, alteration of the physiological course of the procedures so as to deprive of power the town Council);

3) from entrepreneurs, some people of which of reference of Thing Ours, and hidden mafia members representatives of partners (SALADIN Melchiorre) and other official of the enterprises favored dall' organization mafia member (AQUARA Antonio, FRANZINELLI Luigi), that developed corrupting activity, promising sums of money and other usefulness and intermediating, united to the reporting of Our Thing all' inside dell' local Government, with officials and official publics

to drive the administrative course, to the end of to promote understandings between varied entrepreneurs Official of enterprises operating in the area dell' wind energy (Sudwind, Enerpro, Wind of the Rampart S.r.l.) avoiding the inside competition and to guarantee all' organization the control of such productive distribution in the territory, also by means of l' custody of the necessary intense activities for the accomplishment of the wind installations (excavations, l' enliven land, supply of cement and of inert, etc.). Moreover, if from a side it emerged that the MARTINO Vito operated under precise indications of the of him father-in-law CUTTONE No, dell' AGATES Giovan Baptist, d' other song, the inquiries agreed to ascertain like the mediation mail in esser from the SALADIN came constantly reported, planned and shared dall' ascertained representative of the family mafia member of Salemi RABITO Paolo, already submitted to the measure of prevention of the special surveillance aside of the Tribunal of Drills and condemned for Association.

It make began in 2003 when some enterprises, between the that the ENERPRO and the SOUTH WIND S. r. l. presented to the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart l' authorization to realize wind parks on the town territory. The SALADIN Melchiorre, entrepreneur of Salemi, received dall' then supporting some mandamento mafia member of Mazara of the Rampart, TAMBOURINE Matteo, l' authorization to operate that "manager" entrepreneurial for the accomplishment of a wind park in the territory in matter, l' individualize – between the society that did request to the Commune of Mazara – the SOUTH WIND, what fitter enterprise to pursue the objective dell' organization mafia member Such criminal strategy came confirmed in the course of A meeting l' press l' installation of the "Concrete Mazara S.p.a." been necessary between AGATES Giovan Baptist (brother of the boss AGATES Mariano), MYSELF IT IT Giuseppe, CUTTONE Antonino and SALADIN Melchiorre, in which "thing ours" established to favor the SOUTH WIND.

To tal necessity, the same SALADIN Melchiorre – with the in person complicity done not identify – succeeded to come in possession of the project of an of the concurrent enterprises, it "ENERPRO", that came withdrawn from the town offices in which was taken care of. L' examination of such project agreed to change that of the SOUTH WIND, to give back the most competitive. In parallel, the FRANZINELLI Luigi and l' AQUARA Antonio, partners in the SOUTH WIND, so contracted a corrupting agreement with SALADIN Melchiorre and the town advisor of Mazara of the Rampart MARTINO Vito, promising to deliver to both the comprehensive sum of €150,000 in two installments: the first one (of €75,000) corresponded to the contracts some convention, for the accomplishment of the wind park, between the SOUTH WIND and the Commune; the second one in a moment Successive. The first slice of the share, would have been detained in part from MARTINO Vito, and in part poured to the other official publics involved nell' Agreement. L' local government of Mazara of the Rampart invited the enterprises asking for to bring corrections and integrations to the respective diagrams of convention.

November 18 2004 reached to the Commune of Mazara the letter (sent off to the courteous caution dell' Ing. Baldassare BELL) with that the society ENERPRO adhered all' invitation dell' local Government and cited copy of a correct proposal of convention and integrated. Such

letter, and I' cited proposal of convention, did not come timely introduced in the relevant pamphlet and, so, the successive day, 19 November 2004, the Municipal Council of Mazara of the Rampart approved the diagram of convention of the SOUTH WIND, affirming, nell' deciding action, that it is treated dell' sole society that had answered to the proposals dell' local Government of integrations and corrections. December 21 2004 the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart contracted with the SOUTH WIND the convention for the accomplishment of the wind station. L' action is signed, beyond that from the town clerk, also from the Managerial f. f. of the BELL city Planning Area Baldassare and, for the SOUTH society WIND, from FRANZINELLI Luigi.

In the I continue, it came devised the possible evolution of the formal procedure of payment of the concordant sums of money with the FRANZINELLI and I' AQUARA, that is I' eventuality that the duties in money were able esser replaced nell' gross of motorcars of donation rolled formally addressed to society of comfortable: the new operation of payment is carried out in the delivery to the MARTINO Vito of a motorcar Mercedes mod. E220 C. D. THE. registered CP 919 HN, addressed to the society TRELETTRA s. r. l. Aside of the FRANZINELLI Luigi to the purpose of to delay the payment cash besides of the share. (Dell' motorcar and been arranged the I confine as well by means of which the offense was committed, and the confiscation is expected, former art. 322 ter. C. P)

May 26 2005 the town Council of Mazara of the Rampart expressed opposite opinion on the project for the accomplishment of a wind park for the electric production of energy in the actual territory presented from the ENERPRO. The MARTINO Vito participated in the council session, voting against I' approval of the project and declared: "I have not doubtful nell' to express the opposite vow". Unexpectedly, however, in the December 2005, the two societies reach to an Agreement: the two projects come unified and comes designated, for the accomplishment of the wind park, a third society: it "WIND OF THE RAMPART", buyer of the project and of the branch d' business is some SUDWIND that of the ENERPRO. From this moment in then, MARTINO Vito works for I' accomplishment of the new one Agreement, you stop staying the subtended Agreement corrupting.

March 20 2006 I' Agreement it is carried out between it "SOUTH WIND" and it "WIND OF THE RAMPART". NICASTRI Vito, NICASTRI Roberto, NICASTRI Erika, MARUCA Ida, ARCILESI Elisabeth – partners of the WIND one OF THE RAMPART – sign with the SOUTH WIND of FRANZINELLI Luigi a private writing for the transfer of a branch d' business concerning a' industrial initiative for the development of a project for the accomplishment of a wind park on the territory of Mazara of the Rampart, for an amount due of €700,000. 6 April 2006, with notarial action, also the ENERPRO s. r. l. sold to the "WIND OF THE RAMPART" the branch d' business constituted from a wind project of park in the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart. 27 April 2006 the town Council of Mazara of the Rampart approved the deliberation concerning the opinion asked for dall' A.R.T.A. on a project of accomplishment of a wind park named "Twenty of Wine" aside of the society "INJURE" (Factory Energies Renewable Alternatives).

The project of the society F. AND. R. TO. created grosses worries in the business group – mafia member of whom do part MARTINO Vito, SALADIN Melchiorre, NICASTRI Vito and other. But, actual on input of NICASTRI, it came devised a strategy that safeguarded the interest of everything: to impose the F. AND. R. TO. of to find an Agreement of collaboration with it "WIND OF THE RAMPART". It will have to be l' Administration of Mazara of the Rampart to compel the F. AND. R. TO. to reach such Agreement, with the threat, otherwise, of veder boycotted the actual project. To MARTINO the task of convincing was reserved the Mayor MACADDINO Giorgio to put in to be the strategy inspired from the same MARTINO and from NICASTRI. And so the MARTINO called BROWN Ettore – assigned printing of the Commune and right arm of the Mayor – to charge it of to fix a meeting between the Mayor and the representatives of the society F. AND. R. TO. On input of the MARTINO the BROWN Ettore called l' Ing. FALESI Sebastiano, main contributor of INJURE Caesar, official dell' enterprise and fixed l' appointment with the Mayor.

Senonché, also the society INJURE had fastened understandings for the actual wind project of park to Mazara, revolting itself, in this case, to the ME IT IT Giuseppe that it is revolted immediately the FALESI to the ME IT IT Giuseppe, which demonstrated surprised and disappointment. To its say, in fact, he had informed the Mayor MACADDINO Giorgio, that INJURE was it "thing ours". MARTINO Vito used itself, also, to level the road, from the bureaucratic point of view, to the "WIND OF THE RAMPART", the waves to facilitate it in the to succeed, to full title, in all of the relations established from the SOUTH WIND with l' local Government mazarese. Particularly, it was indispensable to transfer the "WIND OF THE RAMPART" the Convention in due time contracted with the SOUTH WIND. The NICASTRI Vito delivered to the MARTINO the draft of a letter, directed all' local Government, with that it "WIND OF THE RAMPART" asks to the same one of "to take fit" that the Convention in matter devesi understand transferred, note, from the SOUTH WIND to the "WIND OF THE RAMPART".

MARTINO delivered the draft to BROWN Ettore – assigned printing of the Commune – for to make it have the official GIAMMARINARO Giovanni, which should pronounce itself on the congruità. 20 September 2006 proposition to the protocol of the Commune of Mazara came the letter with that it "WIND OF THE RAMPART" asks it "taken d' action" of the transfer to be some convention contracted between the Commune and the SOUTH WIND.

To margin of the event, also the society "Fri-El Green S.p.a." of Bolzano began to itself nell' environment mazarese to pursue the actual entrepreneurial purposes, having for object the wind accomplishment of parks. The channel across which the FRI-EL s' introduced in the Inevitable corrupting dynamics was SALADIN Melchiorre, which recommended l' enterprise bolzanina to MARTINO Vito because it supported politically. In the May 2006, MARTINO Vito was pledged in the election campaign, being he candidate to the regional elections in the strip of "FI". FRANZINELLI Luigi a financing got him: actual it "Fri-El Green S.p.a." of Bolzano promised him a "contribution" for the electoral expenditures of €50,000, ritenendolo it "l loosen"

fundamental to obtain of itself in the business dell' wind energy to Mazara. Treating itself of a hidden financing, the money came credited on the checking account of SALADIN Melchiorre and from these delivered to MARTINO. To justification dell' operation, SALADIN emitted some invoices, so as to to make it pass for a payment of services nell' longed for some relations between l' enterprise of SALADIN and the FRI-EL. May 28 2006 the regional elections hold themselves in Sicily. MARTINO Vito the second resulted of the done not elect in the strip of "FI".

After the elections, MARTINO exercised pressures on the FRI-EL (also means FRANZINELLI Luigi) to obtain the money that the SALADIN Melchiorre meanwhile had detained for oneself, giving rise to a controversy pears that the SALADIN came convened from the CUTTONE Antonino (father-in-law of MARTINO Vito). The matter will be resolved from FRANZINELLI Luigi, which will convince GOSTNER Josef, directing some FRI-EL, to carry out a discount of €30,000 directly on the checking account of MARTINO Vito.

The subjects involved nell' inquiry

To the end of to facilitate the understanding of the events, and marked some pregnant role I turn from "Thing ours", seems useful to sketch synthetically a profile of each of the investigated, emphasizing, particularly, the precedents legal and of police of the representatives mafia members involved in the present inquiry: SALADIN Melchiorre, entrepreneur, like adjoining guide to the fugitive MESSINA MONEY Matteo, results to be advisor of the "C.T.A. I associate technological environmental", with seat in Calatafimi, of whom is president of the C. d. TO. SCIMEMI Antonino. Between the associated v' it is the "ME.FRA.S. s.r.l."; is, besides, sole director of the "Saladin s. r. l. projects – constructions – participations". Still, it is partner of the "societa' general enterprise constructions – I know. ge. the. co. s.r.l.", operating in the area dell' building.

L' entrepreneur salemitano is the promoter dell' operation that can be defined "Mazara 1". He from the carried out interceptions (how reports to FRANZINELLI Luigi in the course of a conversation) already had received first years the "placet" from the family mafia member mazarese to realize a wind park in the territory "of skill" of such family. Participating, together to the same one MYSELF IT IT, to AGATES Giovan Baptist and to CUTTONE Antonino, to the summit mafia member svoltosi I press l' installation of the "concrete mazara s.p.a." in the course of which decided themselves that the SOUTH WIND would have been to realize the wind park of Mazara of the Rampart. Such designation had been confirmed him dall' then supporting some mandamento mafia member of Mazara of the Rampart TAMBOURINE Matteo, arrested nell' October 2006. Naturally, that it had allowed, for SALADIN, l' employment of an engagement to guarantee, to the mafia members, the payment of their sums being up according to the routine established from Thing Ours.

In virtue of such Agreement, SALADIN Melchiorre decides "to sponsor" the SOUTH society WIND, that chooses, the most fit ritenendola – between those that moved forward the relevant request – to realize the wind project of park and to guarantee the payment of the due shares to

the "technicians" (town officials and politicians) and to the mafia members. He, so, it does the relevant proposal to FRANZINELLI Luigi (plenipotentiary of the SOUTH WIND), mettendolo to the running one of all of the appearance of the matter and reconciling itself with him for an official relation of collaboration between the SOUTH WIND and l' enterprise of the same SALADIN but, above all, l' pertain to the shares that should be paid. SALADIN Melchiorre carries before the actual work with the fundamental contribution of the town advisor mazarese (FI) MARTINO Vito. And' the mafia member TAMBOURINE Matteo to put in contact SALADIN with MARTINO. With the complicity of unknown employees of the town offices of Mazara of the Rampart, SALADIN Melchiorre succeeds to take sight of the project presented from the "ENERPRO", concurrent enterprise for the accomplishment of the wind park of Mazara. This agrees to change the project of the SOUTH WIND, so as to give back the most competitive. Episode that constitutes the offense of revelation of secret d' office in competition with unknown official publics. The 11 May 2004 SALADIN Melchiorre proposes to FRANZINELLI Luigi of to pay a share of €75,000 to make to obtain the "SUDWIND" it "building license" for the accomplishment of the wind park of Mazara. The SALADIN June 1 reports to AQUARA Antonio d' to have renewed the promise of a comprehensive share of €150,000 in two solutions (€75,000 subito and €75,000 to the l' release some building license). And AQUARA adheres all' initiative. 23 August 2004 SALADIN informs FRANZINELLI Luigi d' to have taken l' engagement of to pay a share, whose first slice will be of €75,000, and collects l' adherence of FRANZINELLI all' initiative.

The SALADIN Melchiorre convinces the the FRANZINELLI Luigi to deliver MARTINO Vito, as partial payment of the tangential to promessagli, l' motorcar Mercedes mod. C 220 C. D. THE. registered CP 919 HN. It contributes to define the painting of the criminal personality of SALADIN Melchiorre l' ascertained its activity nell' to organize the creation of a clandestine printer of money fake in Mazara of the Rampart.

AGATES Giovan Baptist is the brother of the more known Mariano than one, even though continuously held to leave from 1982 (with a short parenthesis between 1991 and 1992) covers, since the years '80, the role of capomandamento of Mazara of the Rampart.

Also AGATES Giovanbattista, just like the already mentioned Mariano, is man d' honor introduced in the family of Mazara of the Rampart: repeatedly condemned in the last years for the crime of whom all' art. 416 encore c. p. for which already deducted entirely the trouble. AGATES Giovan Baptist intervened in summit of representative of its quality of the family of Mazara of the Rampart for "to drive" l' allocation of the intense activities directed to the accomplishment of some wind parks and marked to make yes (all' result of an appropriate summit announced dall' AGATES l' press the seat of the "Concrete Mazara", and to which participated also ME IT IT Giuseppe, CUTTONE Antonino and SALADIN Melchiorre) that the relevant intense activities to the accomplishment of one of two installations object of the investigations they entrusted not already to the "ENERPRO" (that too, in a first moment, had had l' support of ME IT IT Giuseppe and seemed to have greater chances that the actual project was approved from the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart) but to the "SUDWIND", enterprise that, thanks to the contacts of SALADIN Melchiorre, had obtained l' support of the town advisor

mazarese MARTINO Vito and, means these, of the representatives mafia members CUTTONE Antonino (that moreover, like is itself already Emphasized, it was the father-in-law of MARTINO to have the quest' last married the daughter) and TAMBOURINE Matteo.

CUTTONE Antonino, (nicknamed "l' honorable") was from long suspected time of to make part of the family mafia member of Mazara of the Rampart and for such reason was submitted, from the November 1995 to the November 1999, to the measure of the special surveillance of public safety. And' partner of fact of the "Concrete Mazara" (in which brag company participations, between the other, AGATES Mariano, AGATES Giovan Baptist and AGATES Epifanio). For such reason, moreover being able to count sull' support of the son-in-law MARTINO Vito, town advisor of Mazara of the Rampart, used itself also to the end of to make yes that the enormous necessary quantity of cement for the accomplishment of the wind installations came supplied from the aforementioned society.

MARTINO Vito, first in town quality of councillor (until 2004) and subsequently in town its quality of advisor of Mazara of the Rampart (FI), is the pivot around which rolls a lot of the "pouring political" of the event. He, in fact, operand in tight connection with the summits of the family mafia member of Mazara of the Rampart (and in the first place with the actual father-in-law CUTTONE Antonino) and doing lever on the actual knowledge all' inside dell' local government, used itself much effectively so that l' enterprise chosen for the accomplishment of the wind installations, and that is to say it "SUDWIND" was able to benefit of a true and actual one "preferential lane" for the accomplishment dell' installation. To fine tal, particularly, the MARTINO – working in tandem with l' architect Baldassarre BELL, all' period of the responsible facts of the Sole Door Activity Productive (S.U.A.P.) of the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart – used itself

So that the society "ENERPRO" S. r. l. came excluded from the possibility of to contract with the commune of Mazara an in all convention same, and or rather more advantageous for l' administration, to that of the SUDWIND. Everything also doing mercimonio of the actual public function, since the MARTINO, in exchange for the promise of the payment of 75,000 euro and of the reception of a car Mercedes, it is pledged to express, in town Council, l' devote opposite to the project presented from the ENERPRO. Contravening to the it you have to of town advisor, MARTINO Vito used itself for "to drive" the relevant procedure to the accomplishment of the wind park "Mazara 1", doing in manner, that, to detriment of the other concurrent enterprises, is contracted appropriate convention between l' local Government of Mazara of the Rampart and the society "SOUTH WIND s.r.l.". Particularly, he maneuvers to make yes that the convention comes approved from the Municipal Council, rather than from the town Council, organ of which, too, he does part. To tal necessity, d' Agreement with the town official BELL Baldassarre, convinces FRANZINELLI Luigi to change it "letter d' intent" with that the SOUTH WIND, adhesive all' invitation, in tal sense rivoltole dall' local Government, had brought alterations and corrections to the actual proposal of convention for the accomplishment of the wind park.

In the letter at first moved forward to the Commune of Mazara (but not yet protocollata), the SOUTH WIND had, between l' other, guide in the town Council l' organ preferred all' approval of the diagram of convention; and had forecast l' execution of a further meeting technician with l' competent Councillor. On suggestion of MARTINO Vito, the letter had been changed from FRANZINELLI Luigi, which, in the new drawing up, I had individualized in the Municipal Council l' competent organ, and had eliminated the reference all' execution of a technician meeting future with l' Councillor. MARTINO had, then, provided to receive itself personally the new letter and to use itself for its protocollazione. To the end of to favor the SOUTH WIND, besides, MARTINO Vito uses to paralyze itself the concurrent initiative of the society ENERPRO. Between l' other, in the session of the town Council of May 26 2005, does a declaration of vow opposite all' approval dell' agenda having to object "sober Approval of the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart presented from the firm ENERPRO s. r. l. of Genoa", and devotes against l' approval of such OR. d. G. in the course of the same council session, contributing, in tal manner, to the negative decision adopted from the assembly.

To reward it of its work, AQUARA Antonio and FRANZINELLI Luigi promise to MARTINO – means the SALADIN Melchiorre - a comprehensive share of 150,000 euro, of which, according to the Agreement, 75,000 euro should be paid to the contracts some convention between the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart and the SOUTH WIND. The sum is destined, for most, personally to MARTINO. For a part, however, he will act as intermediary, distributing some sums to other official publics that I am used itself in favor of the SOUTH WIND. As partial payment for its illicit activism in favor of the SOUTH WIND, MARTINO Vito received in delivery l' motorcar Mercedes mod. C 220 C. D. THE. registered CP 919 HN, of the value of €36,800, taken in financial renting from FRANZINELLI Luigi I press it "financial Daimlerchrysler Services S.p.a." of Frosinone, and formally addressed to the "TRELETTRA S.r.l.".

Since in the December 2005 the SOUTH WIND and the ENERPRO reach to an Agreement that contemplates the substantial unification of the respective projects and the designation of a third society, it "WIND OF THE RAMPART" what entrepreneurial subject that should lead to limit l' work, from this moment in then MARTINO begins to operate to support this Agreement and to keep watch than be, however, maintained the pregressi you reconcile corrupting. With NICASTRI Vito, outlet of the "WIND OF THE RAMPART", MARTINO contracts an Agreement: the town advisor s' will pledge to make to approve, in town Council, the project of such society and, like compensation, will receive a financing for the Squad of soccer of the Mazara. Since l' approval of the project of the "WIND OF THE RAMPART" and l' approval of that of the society F. AND. R. TO. herald to an Agreement of unification of two initiatives (how agreed between the two societies), NICASTRI wonders him (in the course us conversations of February 9 2007) of to use itself in manner that the town Council you approve them jointly. MARTINO, in accoglimento of the coming request from NICASTRI, begins to exercise pressures on the Mayor of Mazara of the Rampart to obtain l' approval joined in town Council.

BELL Baldassare, all' period of the facts, was the person in charge of the Sole Door Activity Productive of the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart. In such garment, abusing its

prerogatives, did in manner, behind explicit request of the MARTINO, that the SUDWIND obtained some illicit advantages in the contest directed to the determination dell' enterprise that should have realized the wind parks, sottraendo and hiding a letter of intent transmitted from the "SUDWIND" to the local government of Mazara of the Rampart so that the SUDWIND could send off it another one indicating some alterations advised from the same BELL.

IT IT Giuseppe, already official in service I press l' office contracts of the commune of Mazara of the Rampart, was nevertheless stable and organic introduced in the family mafia member of Mazara of the Rampart at least until the end of 2004. For this motive (beyond that to have, abusing its function, gotten upset an important public competition to advantage of the entrepreneur mafia member ACCOMANDO Michele, nonchè of holding and port of a semi-automatic gun mark "Mauser" and a gun marks "Ruger" caliber 357 Magnum) the ME IT came IT stroke in stopping in execution of OCC emitted in given 3 May 2007 from the G. THE. P. of Palermo. For such facts the ME IT IT, with sentence of October 30 2007, was retained responsible, between the other, of the crime of whom to the art. 416 encore c. p. and sentenced to the trouble of years ten and months eight of imprisonment. In a first moment, the ME IT IT sostenne the project of the society "ENERPRO" and after to have participant to an appropriate meeting with AGATES Giovan Baptist, CUTTONE and SALADIN taken fit that it "SUDWIND" enjoyed some mafia members representatives of support, withdrew the actual support to the "ENERPRO" and it is lined up in favor of the "SUDWIND". Finally, the ME IT IT it used itself in favor dell' Agreement between the society "WIND OF THE RAMPART" and F. AND. R. TO. receiving from the MARTINO Vito the promise that in positive case of conclusion of this Agreement, would have received at least 20,000 euro and an assignment to carry out the technical relief for it "Wind Of The Rampart".

FRANZINELLI Luigi results to cover social offies, between the other, in the following society:

1. President of the administrative commission of the "Business Municipal Bond Of The Energy Services And Other Of The Commune Of Shore Of The Garda", operating in the production, I convey, distribution and electric commerce of energy;
2. President of the "I Associate Bardonetto", for the electric production of energy;
3. Sole director of the "energy mountains laburnum picentini – S.r.l.", for the electric production of energy;
4. Sole director of the "EOLO LATIUM S.r.l.";
5. Sole director of the "EOLO MURGE S.r.l.";
6. Sole director of the "ESSEOLICA S.r.l.";
7. Director of the "Delight Tower Corporation S.r.l.", for the production, I convey, distribution and electric commerce of energy;

8. Sole director of the "INVENT S.r.l.", for the manufacture, installation, repair and maintenance of pumps, compressors and hydraulic systems;
9. Sole director of the "murgeolica S.r.l.", for the production, I convey, distribution and electric commerce of energy;
10. Advisor of the "Wind Nova S.r.l.", you Study of architecture and engineering;
11. Director delegated of the "Sardegolica S.r.l.", for the production, I convey, distribution and electric commerce of energy;
12. Sole director of the "SOUTH WIND S.r.l.", for I' installation, repair and electric maintenance of installations;
13. President of the Board of directors of the "TRELETTRA S.r.l.", firm stopped the 5/5/94, operating I' activity of bookkeeping, company consultancy, you charge legal and consultancy about fiscal;
14. Sole director of the "V.i.p. . Wind in stern – S.r.l.", you study of architecture, engineering and other technical activity;
15. Director of the "Wind Ionian Tyrrhenian S. r. l. in abbreviation WIT S.r.l.", for the production, I convey, distribution and electric commerce of energy.

In priority, FRANZINELLI Luigi also held contributions of the "WIND OF THE RAMPART S.r.l.", with seat in Alcamo. Also it "SOUTH WIND S.r.l." held contributions of such society. Nell' August 2004 the FRANZINELLI with SALADIN Melchiorre adheres all' Agreement corrupting that he contracted with AQUARA Antonio, and, or rather, s' pledges in first person to get the 75,000 euro that will constitute the first slice of the share. October 2 2004 confirmation to SALADIN Melchiorre the availability to pay the share, that the same FRANZINELLI indicates in the comprehensive sum of 150,000 euro. It subordinates, however, the payment of the same one to the certainty that to the SUDWIND is released the building concession for the accomplishment of the wind park of Mazara of the Rampart.

After it some convention between the SOUTH WIND contracts it and I' local Government of Mazara of the Rampart for the accomplishment of the wind park of district "Eaglet", FRANZINELLI Luigi fulfills, even if partially, all' corrupting obligation of nature negotiates with MARTINO Vito, consegnandogli I' motorcar MERCEDES mod. C 220 C. D. THE. registered CP 919 HN, of the value of €36,800, formally granted in financial renting to the society "TRELETTRA s.r.l." from the "financial DAIMLERCHRYSLER Services S.p.a." of Frosinone. On the occasion of the regional elections of 2006, in which MARTINO Vito is candidate, the FRANZINELLI convinces the society "FRIEL" of Bolzano, in the person of GOSTNER Josef, to carry out a hidden financing in favor of MARTINO, on the checking account of which the figure will be credited of €30,000. FRANZINELLI is at the running one of the fact that for I' operation "wind Eaglet district of park" were tangential to promises also to the local political faction mafia member. It has direct

relations with CUTTONE Antonino, father-in-law of MARTINO Vito. Quest' last, for example, in the telephone call that has with SALADIN Melchiorre the 11 June 2006, hours 12.01, communicates him that will have host to lunch FRANZINELLI in the house of the father-in-law.

AQUARA Antonio results introduced in the following enterprises:

1. "To. CAMPANIA S.r.l., for production of the milk, of whom is sole director;
2. "E.CO.INT. of AQUARA Antonio", in the area of the electric production of energy from renewable sources, individual enterprise of whom is official;
3. "Civil and Industrial electrification F.E.R.A.P.U.", operating in the area of the electric production of energy, with function of President of the Board of directors;
4. partner of the "Energy you Ascend Alburnum AND Picentini s. r. l. – (EMAP S.r.l.)", with electric energy of production activity, of whom is sole director FRANZINELLI Luigi and a social contribution of capital is of the "TELETTRA S.r.l.;
5. partner "Wind of the Rampart S.r.l.", operating in the wind area source, of whom is partner also NICASTRI Vito and of whom had held contributions FRANZINELLI Luigi and it "SUDWIND S.r.l.";
6. partner of the "WIND LUCANA s.r.l.", for the electric production of energy, you study and searches on the renewable sources of energy alternate;
7. partner of the "Delight Tower Corporation S.r.l.", for the construction and the mechanical commerce of parts and electrician, as well as of installations for wind energy, of whom is director FRANZINELLI Luigi and are social proprietors of contributions it "TELETTRA S.r.l." and it "FRI-EL S. p. to. and FRI-EL AG";
8. partner of the "holding Company Alburnum S.r.l.", for the construction and the mechanical commerce of parts and electrician, as well as of installations for wind energy;
9. "Invent s.r.l.", for the mechanical construction of parts and electrician, as well as of installations for wind energy, of whom is sole director FRANZINELLI Luigi, while in priority was it the same AQUARA Antonio;
10. partner of the "Murgeolica s.r.l.", for the unwinding and the development, in the region Apulia, of activity turns to the wind production of energy, of whom is President of the Board of directors and representing dell' enterprise GOSTNER Josef;
11. Sole director of the "Paestany Energy s.r.l.", for the production, the transportation, the electric distribution of energy;
12. Advisor of the "Sardeolica S.r.l.", for the electric production of energy, the public and private civil and industrial electrification of intense activities of completion;

13. Sole director of the "SOUTH WIND S.r.l.", for the mechanical construction of parts and electrician, as well as of installations for the wind production of energy, of whom will be then Sole Director FRANZINELLI Luigi, society resulting to have a contribution pledge in the society "Wind Of The Rampart S.r.l.", subsequently returned to the "SOUTH WIND" for l' extinction of the pledge;

14. Partner of the "V.i.p. wind in stern S.r.l.", for the electric production of energy, you study and searches on the renewable sources of energy alternate, of whom is Sole Director FRANZINELLI Luigi and the social capital belongs, in part, to the "TELETTRA Service S.r.l.";

15. President of the "Vudab S.r.l.", for the electric production of energy;

16. Partner of the "Ionian Wind Tyrrhenian S.r.l.", for the electric production of energy, renewable sources of energy alternate, with Sole Director FRANZINELLI Luigi and whose social capital belongs, in part, to the "TELETTRA S.r.l.".

SALADIN Melchiorre agrees with l' AQUARA Antonio him "engagements" for two tranches of share from €75,000 cadauna, directed all' emission of the necessary authorizations for the accomplishment of the wind park proposed from the "SOUTH WIND" to the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart. Moreover, AQUARA demonstrated always full availability to reward the town officials that use itself in favor of the SOUTH WIND, getting their, also, you charge professional, agreeing with SALADIN Melchiorre and FRANZINELLI Luigi that will introduce l' engineer BELL Baldassare in a work to Holy Nymph.

BELL Baldassare covers l' assignment of official dell' Office "Sole Door Activity Productive" (S.U.A.P.) of the Commune of Mazara of the Rampart from the date of founding of such office until its substitution with l' architect INGARGIOLA Mario, 7 April 2005 happened and is' the examining official of the relevant practice to the contracts some convention between the Commune of Mazara and the SOUTH society WIND for the accomplishment of a wind park in district "Eaglet". It favors it contracts it of such convention in damage of the concurrent enterprises, agreeing l' interference, in the procedure, of the town advisor MARTINO Vito, supportandolo in the maneuver turns to deprive of power the town Council and l' competent councillor from the relevant procedure all' approval of the convention proposal from the SOUTH WIND.

Quest' last society, adhering to an invitation, in tal sense rivoltole dall' local Government of Mazara of the Rampart, presentation to such Administration a "letter d' intent" with that brings alterations and corrections all' original proposal. In the body of the letter it individualizes in the town Council l' organ deputy all' approval of the diagram of convention, and does reference to the necessity of a further technical meeting of nature between the same SOUTH WIND and l' competent councillor. In the course of a telephone call existed the 11 October 2004, MARTINO Vito and BELL Baldassare convince FRANZINELLI Luigi, representing of the SOUTH WIND, to

change the letter d' intent (whose first drawing up, reached to the Commune, did not be still protocollata), indicating, rather than in the town Council, in the town Council l' competent organ. FRANZINELLI welcomes the suggestion and works of result: sends a new letter, containing the alterations advised from MARTINO and BELL. The first one "letter d' intent" comes eliminated and the second one protocollata to care of the MARTINO comes.

Such second letter will be cited to the deliberation of Council with that, November 19 2004, comes approved the diagram of convention of the SOUTH WIND. To the opposite one, BELL Baldassare omits to transmit timely to the Municipal Council the letter, reached all' Office S. U. TO. P. November 18 2004, with that the society ENERPRO – likewise to how much fact from the SOUTH WIND – accepted to change the actual diagram of convention, increasing the royalty to 2.15% and declaring itself available to the accomplishment of a' work d' interest of the community mazarese. The missed knowledge of the cited letter of the ENERPRO agrees with the Municipal Council of Mazara of the Rampart of to affirm – in the deliberation with that the successive day, 19 November 2004, approves the diagram of convention with the SOUTH WIND – that alone such enterprise had answered to the proposal of alterations and late corrections dall' local Government to all the society that had done request of to realize wind parks. Also this omission, well, offers a further pretext to favor the SOUTH WIND to detriment of the other interesting society.

Also BELL Baldassare knows that MARTINO Vito has a personal interest in the contracts some convention aside of the SOUTH WIND. The town official appears, so, participating all' Agreement corrupting, receiving the promise of 10,000 euro. Other compensation, for the favors given back from BELL is, moreover, its insertion (hidden, until he will be under the floodlights like official in charge of the procedure that will ensure to the SOUTH WIND l' assignment of to realize the wind park of Mazara) in the consortium of designers of the wind station of Holy Nymph. [END]