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## PRESS RELEASE

The northern coast of Albania was struck by a devastating 6.4 magnitude earthquake at 2:54 a.m. local time last night. According to data of the Italian National Geophysics and Volcanology Institute (INGV) and the US Geological Survey (USGS), the epicentre of the earthquake struck around 10 km from the city of Durrës and 31 km from the city of Tirana, killing at least seven people and severely damaging the territory.

Adria Ferries has had an extremely close bond with the 'Land of the Eagle' for many years, so the Italian ferry company immediately took action and set up its own crisis unit to respond rapidly to any requests for assistance and humanitarian or emergency healthcare aid, as well as offering its services to Italian and Albanian authorities and institutions.

The unit will be headed by Mr. Roberto Mataloni, Ms. Michela Rossi and Mr. Gabriele Ubaldi, who will handle all requests and needs relating to assistance of the local population hit by the earthquake.

The company has also opened a current account for donations to provide concrete support to the Albanian population hit by this terrible tragedy.

Updates on donation will follow.

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Dott. Roberto Mataloni

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Roberto Mataloni', written over the typed name.

