

Rome, 29th January 2007

## In Rome “Fontana Pietro Spa for the Italian Award of Excellence”



Good morning,

a new award was assigned to Fontana Pietro S.p.A. in Rome on 29th January 2007.

A new recognition by the Italian Industry Representatives to Fontana Group, which, in spite of the recent crisis in the automotive market, was able not only to survive but also to develop itself setting up the Fontana Pietro Kalip Plant in Turkey.

Fontana Group was also able to grow up diversifying into niche vehicles activities and applying the know-how gathered during its 50-year experience with different materials, in particular with aluminium.

Honoured Mr. Walter Fontana, Fontana Group President - Chairman & CEO, received by Mr. Luca Cordero di Montezemolo, Confindustria President, the Award of Excellence, a certificate assigned from the Association and reserved to the companies that are able to distinguish themselves nationally thanks to their competence and the achieved results.



## CONFINDUSTRIA PREMIA LE ECCELLENZE

*Di fronte al cambiamento  
la maggior parte degli uomini  
si chiede perché:  
io mi domando perché no?*

(J.F. Kennedy)



*D'ora in poi mi rivolgo  
solo al futuro, poiché ho  
deciso di passarci il resto  
della mia vita*

(A. Einstein)

ATTESTATO DI ECCELLENZA

**Fontana Pietro S.p.A.**

Torino, 12 dicembre 2006

Il Presidente  
*Ugo Fontana*



Mr. Walter Fontana was accompanied by Miss Valentina Fontana, Fontana Group Advisor.





## Innovation champion company



The target is the evaluation of the companies' capacity concerning development and innovation.

Companies with the best structural values (such as investments, patents, human resources) of the innovation process have been chosen and also societies with the best results of innovation activities according to the targets typically checked by R&D and according to the values stating company's competitive and economical performance. Particular attention has been paid to innovation strategies and policy.

## Confindustria rewards the excellences

