



## **VODAFONE: MICHELE ANGELO VERNA NEW HUMAN RESOURCES AND ORGANISATION MANAGER**

*Milan, 4 January 2005* – Starting 1 January 2005, Michele Angelo Verna is the new Human Resources and Organisation Manager of Vodafone Italia, reporting directly to the Managing Director, Pietro Guineani.

The Human Resources and Organisation department is responsible for recommending and implementing human resources selection, management, training and development policies, in keeping with corporate guidelines. Moreover, this department is responsible for defining and implementing industrial-relation management policies.

Michele Angelo Verna has been with Vodafone since 1998. He was Head of Human Resources for Central Italy until 1999. After that, he was Head of Personnel Selection and Management and Industrial Relations until 2001, and became Vodafone Italia's Manager of Human Resources in July 2003.

His career began with "La Fondiaria Assicurazioni" and continued with Procter & Gamble, where he was Head of Personnel and Industrial Relation Management.

Verna has a Law degree from the University of Florence, where he graduated in 1994. He was born on 14 September 1968 in Florence, is married and lives in Milan.