



## TÜRKİYE SUALTI ARKEOLOJİSİ VAKFI

To:

MARITIME AND HISTORY MUSEUM OF CROATIAN LITTORAL – RIJEKA

Mrs MARGITA CVIJETINOVIC STARAC, Director

Mrs TEA MAYHEW, Curator

Muzejski trg 1, 51000 Rijeka, Croatia

Subject: Piri Reis exhibition

Dear Mrs Cvijetinovic Starac and Mrs Mayhew

Following our preliminary conversation in Istanbul with Mrs Tea Mayhew, We are sending you our letter of intent where we express our interest in supporting the organising of an exhibition dedicated to the work of famous Ottoman cartographer Piri Reis in your museum.

We are celebrating 500th anniversary of work and life of one of the most famous and important Ottoman cartographer Piri Reis who lived in the period of Sultan Suleyman the Magnificent. Our intention is to promote his work in as many European countries as possible and especially in maritime museums. Since We already established good connections with your museum through the Association of Mediterranean Maritime Museums, we would be very pleased to offer this joint activity to you.

We are looking forward to our future and successful collaboration.

Yours sincerely

Oğuz Aydemir

President

The Turkish Foundation of Underwater Archaeology