

Recently a new general director has been appointed at the National Agency for Cadastre and Land Registration (ANCPI) – **Mr. Marius Arthur URSU**.

Mr Ursu is a geodetical engineer and has graduated from the Faculty for Cadastre and Geodesy of the University of Timisoara. Most of his professional career is related to the cadastral system. Thus, between 2001 – 2004 he was chief engineer and then technical director at County Office for Cadastre, Geodesy and Cartography Timis and further, between 2004 – 2012 he led as director the Office for Cadastre and Land Registration Timis, positions which allowed him to accumulate a considerable managerial expertise.

At the beginning of his mandate the new general director has set two main objectives: the first one refers to the unification of all regulations in the field of cadastre and land registration in a single normative act.

The second regards the achievement of general cadastre in Romania, which in the first phase should cover the land situated in the extravillan area. Registration of extravillan land in cadastre and real estate publicity represents a major priority for Romania, which shall lead to the increase of land value, shall boost the land market, investments, and infrastructure development, shall stimulate the agricultural production and in the mean time shall facilitate the implementation of regional and national policies.

Arthur is married with two children. Being a supporter of the dictum „*Mens Sana in Corpore Sano*”, he plays sports as often as possible. He loves to travel and in his opinion the surrounding world beauties enrich and develop the human personality.

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