

# POLICIES AND PARTNERSHIPS TO REDUCE DRINKING AND DRIVING

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#### **ABOUT DIAGEO**

- + World's leading premium drinks company across spirits, beer and wine
- + 25000 employees worldwide
- + Europe is our second largest region globally
  - Over 7000 employees
  - Global headquarters
  - Home to iconic brands
- + Creating long term values to shareholders and the communities where we operate







## **RESPONSIBILITY & SUSTAINABILITY**







## **OUTLINE**

- 1. Partnerships to reduce drinking and driving
- 2. Advocating for effective policies





#### DIAGEO'S ACTIONS TO TACKLE DRINKING AND DRIVING

+ Drinking and driving: a key concern for Diageo



+ Our approach to tackling alcohol misuse:



- + Responsible marketing and consumer information
- Working in partnerships to address misuse
- + Supporting effective policy approaches
- + Signatory to the European Road Safety Charter
- + Member of the European Alcohol and Health Forum







# PARTNERSHIPS TO REDUCE DRINKING AND DRIVING

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#### **NEVER DRINK AND DRIVE**

- + A global programme to commit consumers to never drink and drive
- + Over 800.000 consumers in 30 countries joined the pact
- + Shaping positive attitudes: 84% more likely not to drink alcohol at all if they have to drive
- + A platform for global engagement



# SUPPORTING LAW ENFORCEMENT JTP IN HUNGARY

- Mika Hakkinen in support of the police's work to enforce drink drive limits
- + The 'Never drink and drive' message reached 6 million people
- + Engaging our employees
- + A 'natural partnership' between Diageo and the National Police







## NGO PARTNERSHIP CITY WALKERS IN GREECE

- + Shaping consumer attitudes to drinking and driving, based on relevant research
- + 'Every step you take is your choice' message reached over 1 million consumers
- + Using various channels: website, Facebook, mobile, traditional media, on-trade events





'We welcome our long lasting collaboration with Diageo Hellas, which brings together the private sector and civil society to address a very important issue in Greece.'

Vasiliki Danelli-Mylona, President of Road Safety Institute "Panos Mylonas"



# PARTNERSHIP WITH RSI AND ETSC AVENUE PROJECT

- + Gold sponsorship of a major educational, experiential training and research project to address road safety
- + A platform for broad engagement with drivers all over Greece, though sophisticated training centers, the NESTs (Networks and Education for Safety in Traffic)
- + 2880 adult consumers trained in the first 4 months of operation November 2011 March 2012







# A MULTI STAKEHOLDER PARTNERSHIP DIVERTITI RESPONSABILMENTE IN ITALY



- + Promoting responsible drinking and the concept of designated driver
- + With the patronage of the Ministry for Youth
- + In Partnership with ACI and research foundation Umberto Veronesi











### **DIVERTITI RESPONSABILMENTE**









+ 53% claim to always use a designated driver when they go out











# GETTING TO A LARGER SCALE PARTNERSHIP WITH CARREFOUR IN ITALY





- Reached over 6 million consumers in 60 hypermarkets
- + 81% evaluated the information in the communication materials very useful
- + 75% could calculate BAC and assess how much alcohol they drank





# ADVOCATING FOR EFFECTIVE POLICIES

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### ETSC DRINK DRIVING POLICY NETWORK

- + 18 Drink Driving Monitors providing regular update on Member State policy developments
- + 5 expert seminars across Europe (Belgium, Greece, France)
- + 2 policy papers
  (Young and Recidivist Drivers and Traffic Law Enforcement)
- + A ranking of EU Member States' performance in tackling drink driving and a compendium of four European case studies







### DIAGEO POLICY POSITIONS

- + A consistent and stringent penalty system with tougher penalties for repeat and high BAC offenders
- + High visibility enforcement to ensure compliance with BAC limit
- + Lower BAC for novice drivers and public transport drivers
- + The use of alcohol interlocks for repeat offenders





### POLICIES AND PARTNERSHIPS















