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Mr. Peter van Blyenburgh, a Dutch national residing in Paris, France, was born in The Netherlands ('48), educated in Canada, the Netherlands Antilles and The Netherlands, studied in Switzerland (Business Administration) and has held various management positions with a number of industrial and service supplying corporations in the USA, Europe and the Middle East.

Mr. van Blyenburgh has been involved with unmanned systems since 1987 and has supplied advisory services in this field to corporate and/or governmental entities in Europe, the Middle & Far East and North America.

In 1995 he instigated, and in 1997 founded, EURO UVS, which changed its name to UVS International in January 2004; he is currently in his 6th two-year term as president of this internationally operating non-profit association registered in Den Haag, The Netherlands, which deploys its activities out of offices in Paris, France and is dedicated to the promotion of unmanned systems.

He is the founder and chief executive of Blyenburgh & Co (B&C), a company registered in Paris, France, to which the UVS International Board of Directors has contractually entrusted the association's administration, as well as the organization of its unmanned system-related conferences, symposia and workshops. Mr. van Blyenburgh is the editor and publisher of the internationally recognized annual UAS yearbook (UAS: The global Perspective), as well as the fortnightly UVS News Flash.

He is an active participant in UAS-related international working groups, including EUROCAE WG73 Sub-Group 4, the ICAO UAS Study Group, and the International Coordination Council.

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