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## Tajani met Uruguay's President José Mújica Cordano yesterday in Santiago de Chile

European Commission Vice-President Antonio Tajani, in charge of Industry and Entrepreneurship, met Uruguay's President José Mújica Cordano in Santiago de Chile yesterday. In their meeting, Vice-President Tajani and President Mújica dealt with the importance of industry for economic growth. Tajani and Mújica agreed to co-operate in four specific areas: naval construction, telecommunications, pharmaceuticals and veterinary medicine, by boosting the involvement of European companies in these sectors in Uruguay.

Tajani said the European Union is ready to organise business meetings in different EU countries to foster cooperation in occasion of a visit of the Uruguayan authorities in Europe.

Vice-President Tajani will remain in Chile until today, Tuesday, 11th March, to attend the inauguration of the new Chilean President. He will meet several regional leaders.



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