

REPUBLIC OF ESTONIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE

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Mr Pierre Gramegna Managing Director European Stability Mechanism <u>SG@esm.europa.eu</u>

#### **Governor Appointment**

Dear Mr Gramegna,

I have a pleasure to inform you that on July 23<sup>rd</sup> 2024 the Governor of the ESM for Estonia has been changed. The new Governor is the Minister of Finance Mr Jürgen Ligi. Please find enclosed his Curriculum Vitae.

Yours sincerely,

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Acting Head of EU and International Affairs Department

Encl. Curriculum Vitae

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## Mr. Jürgen Ligi



# **Minister of Finance of Estonia**

Born on 16 July 1959

Party affiliation: Estonian Reform Party

### Education

1994 - 1996 Estonian Business School (MBA) 1989 - 1993 Tartu University, International Economy 1977 - 1982 Tartu University, Geography

#### Career

2016 - 2024 Member of Parliament, Chairman of the State Budget Control Select Committee (2016-2021), Chairman of the Security Authorities Surveillance Select Committee (2021-2022; 2023-2024) Chairman of the Study Committee on the Development of Estonian Language Instruction (2022-2023)

- 2016 Minister of Foreign Affairs
- 2015 2016 Minister of Education and Research
- 2014 2015 Member of Parliament, Chair of the National Defence Committee
- 2009 2014 Minister of Finance
- 2007 2009 Member of Parliament, Chairman of the Finance Committee
- 2005 2007 Minister of Defence
- 2003 2005 Member of Parliament, Chairman of Environment Committee
- 1999 2003 Member of Parliament; Head of Faction
- 1995 1999 Member of Parliament, Deputy Chairman of the Finance Committee
- 1993 1995 EVEA Bank, Head of Branch
- 1992 1993 Kaarma Municipality, Economic adviser
- 1990 1992 Business consultant
- 1989 1990 Chamber of Trade and Commerce, Head of Branch

### Languages

English, Finnish, Russian

## **Marital status**

Married, 2 children

#### Other

Member of the Supervisory Board of the Eesti Pank in 2021–2022 His hobbies are sports and reading.