

## The Leaning Tower of Pisa



ROME - Friday April 6 (Reuters) - After 11 years of work to haul it closer to the vertical, the Leaning Tower of Pisa will reopen to visitors in November, Italy's Public Works Minister Nerio Nesi said Friday.

The 12th-century tower, one of Italy's most famous images, was closed in 1990 because it was deemed to be leaning too far for tourists to climb safely.

Michele Jamiolkowski, head of the team straightening the tower -- but not by too much -- said the lean had been reduced by 39.6 centimeters (15.59 inches) so far and the eight-story deemed to be leaning too far for tourists to climb safely.

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