



star and VERVA Racing Team remain on course for success

Oil corporation ORLEN continues sponsoring the VERVA Racing Team in the Porsche Mobil 1 Supercup.

Elmshorn, 27 June 2012 – ORLEN Deutschland GmbH and petrol station brand star remain strongly involved in the motor racing sponsoring: This year again the company based in Elmshorn will sponsor the VERVA Racing Team with its top driver, Kuba Giermaziak. With the backing of ORLEN this exceptional talent will battle for win in the Porsche Supercup this season.

The odds on a win are pretty good: After a top-ten place in all previous races Giermaziak (21) is already in sixth place in the overall rankings. The Porsche Mobil 1 Supercup has been a firm component of the Formula 1 World Championship since 1993 and is considered a launch pad for drivers' careers. The races are held across the world on the Formula 1 tracks.

Kuba Giermaziak has been racing since he was nine years old and in 2011 celebrated his first victory in the Porsche Mobil 1 Supercup, winning a turbulent and rain-sodden race at the Hungaroring, near Budapest. "Kuba Giermaziak's goal is Formula 1", says Wieslaw Milkiewicz, managing director and press officer of ORLEN Deutschland GmbH. "By continuing our sponsorship of the VERVA Racing Team we'll be giving him the support he needs to achieve this goal".



star – a strong brand of ORLEN Deutschland GmbH

star is the petrol station brand of ORLEN Deutschland GmbH, which has operated more than 560 petrol stations in the northern half of Germany since 2003. The company, which has its headquarters in Elmshorn near Hamburg, belongs to the Polish oil and petrochemistry group PKN ORLEN SA, which is the largest Polish company with an annual turnover of 26 billion euros in 2011 and one of the largest Central European groups.

PKN ORLEN SA is listed on the stock exchanges in Warsaw and London and is represented on the petrol station market in Eastern and Central Europe with a total of 2,700 petrol stations in Germany, Lithuania, Poland and the Czech Republic. In recent years, large investments have been made in Lithuania and the Czech Republic to bring the group a step closer to its goal of becoming the leading oil company in Central Europe.

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