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Pierburg s.r.o.

PSA Award for Pierburg's Czech location

Ústí nad Labem, Czech Republic: Pierburg's Czech plant, Pierburg, s.r.o., recently received PSA's Best Plant Award 2015 for the exceptional product and delivery quality of an exhaust-gas recirculation (EGR) module complete with bypass and cooler. The French OEM's award recognizes outstanding supplier performance.

The award was presented at a ceremony on the occasion of this year's PSA Peugeot Citroën Supplier Days in Poissy, France. Dr. Andreas Müller, President of Pierburg s.r.o., accepted the award together with Rémi Robin, Sales Manager, Pierburg France.

Müller is delighted: *"This quality award puts us in the top four percent of PSA suppliers. On such a high-volume project it is a particular achievement to fulfil all the award criteria and to be rewarded in this form. We are very proud and will continue to do our utmost to maintain this high level."*

Robin adds: *"This award is an incentive for Pierburg to continue to be a reliable PSA supplier in Europe. But it is our goal to also accompany this OEM on its expansion course in China, where EGR valves have an important role to play in the fuel efficiency of future gasoline engine generations."*

Pierburg's Czech location employs a workforce of over 350. The plant manufactures emission reduction and air management products. In 2014, around two million EGR modules and over two-and-a-half million solenoid valves were made here.

About KSPG

The KSPG Group, which represents the Mobility sector within the Rheinmetall Group, has annual sales of €2.48 billion (2014) and ranks among the 100 biggest auto-industry suppliers worldwide. Some 11,000 employees at over 40 production plants in Europe, the Americas, Japan, India and China develop and manufacture components, modules and assemblies for the drive systems of present and future vehicles.

Represented on the international automotive markets, this first-tier supplier has three divisions: Hardparts, Mechatronics, and Aftermarket. Clustered under the Pierburg brand is KSPG's Mechatronics division which specializes in modules and assemblies for emission control, solenoid valves, actuators and valve train systems, as well as oil, water and vacuum pumps for cars, trucks, and offroad vehicles.



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From left to right: Richard Moulié, Supplier Development Manager PSA, Pascal Gignoux, Supplier Development Executive Director of Powertrain and Chassis PSA at the presentation of the award along with Dr. Andreas Mueller, President Pierburg s.r.o and Rémi Robin, Sales Manager, Pierburg France