

Press Release

DEKRA Provides Expertise in Safety, Standardization, and Certification

Strategic Cooperation with Chinese Association of Automobile Manufacturers

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The expert organization DEKRA has entered a strategic cooperation in China with the Chinese Association of Automobile Manufactures (CAAM). A corresponding agreement with the CAAM has now been signed and presented on the sidelines of the most important industry conference in Guangzhou.

With the help of DEKRA, Chinese automobile manufacturers want to prepare for the future topics of electromobility, automation, and connectivity. This will involve both the reliability of the systems installed in the vehicle, and the undisturbed interaction with the connected environment.

The Deputy Secretary General of CAAM Jian Hua Shi emphasized the significance of the cooperation: "DEKRA is the world's largest testing organization providing automotive services. In the strategic partnership, CAAM will work together with DEKRA to promote the Chinese automotive industry in the aspects of standardization and certification, among others."

Stan Zurkiewicz, Chief Regional Officer of DEKRA East Asia, explains: "DEKRA has been dedicated to automotive safety for more than 90 years. With the expansion of our network of test facilities and laboratories, we are well prepared for the further development of mobility and its connectivity. We have been building the infrastructure toward using our strengths to support the Chinese automotive industry in this time of rapid change. As the world's largest provider of testing and inspection services to the automotive sector, it is imperative for us to play a key role in ensuring the safety of mobility in the future."

Picture Caption:

Stan Zurkiewicz, Chief Regional Officer DEKRA East Asia, speaking at the China Auto Parts Annual Conference and Forum. On the sidelines of the conference, DEKRA and the Chinese Association of Automobile Manufactures (CAAM) agreed on a strategic cooperation.

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About DEKRA

DEKRA has been active in the field of safety for more than 90 years. Founded in 1925 in Berlin as Deutscher Kraftfahrzeug-Überwachungs-Verein e.V., it is today one of the world's leading expert organizations. DEKRA SE is a subsidiary of DEKRA e.V. and manages the Group's operating business. In 2016, DEKRA generated sales totalling approximately 2.9 billion Euros. The company currently employs more than 39,000 people in more than 50 countries on all five continents. With qualified and independent expert services, they work for safety on the road, at work and at home. These services range from vehicle inspection and expert appraisals to claims services, industrial and building inspections, safety consultancy, testing and certification of products and systems, as well as training courses and temporary work. The vision for the company's 100th birthday in 2025 is that DEKRA will be the global partner for a safe world.