



Press release

DHL and FIA World Endurance Championship extend successful global logistics partnership

Multi-year agreement reinforces DHL's role as Official Logistics Partner and expands collaboration to Asian Le Mans Series

Bonn/Le Mans, June 12, 2026 – DHL and the FIA World Endurance Championship (FIA WEC) today announced the extension of their long-standing partnership through a new multi-year agreement. Building on a collaboration that began in 2012, DHL will continue to serve as the Official Logistics Partner of the FIA WEC, the legendary 24 Hours of Le Mans and, for the first time, also support the Asian Le Mans Series – further strengthening its role in delivering world-class motorsport logistics on a global scale.

As the FIA WEC continues to experience rapid growth – driven by the introduction of the Hypercar category and a steadily increasing number of manufacturers – DHL's expertise in managing complex, large-scale logistics operations remains essential. The championship spans key markets across Europe, North and South America, Asia, and the Middle East, with a growing global fanbase and participation from leading automotive brands, including Alpine, Aston Martin, BMW, Cadillac, Corvette, Ferrari, Ford, Genesis, Lexus, McLaren, Mercedes, Peugeot, Porsche and Toyota.

DHL is responsible for coordinating and executing the reliable transportation of race cars and critical equipment across all championship events. This includes consolidating shipments for multiple manufacturers and teams, transporting spare parts, garage infrastructure, broadcast equipment, and even large volumes of alternative fuels. Delivering such precision logistics requires seamless coordination and flexibility, ensuring all race assets arrive on time, regardless of tight schedules and intercontinental transitions.

“With the strong growth of the FIA World Endurance Championship and the increasing number of manufacturers, precise and scalable logistics are becoming ever more critical. Our partnership demonstrates how we jointly create the conditions for peak performance, both on and off the track,” said Felix Heger, CEO DHL Global Forwarding Germany & Switzerland.

Across a typical FIA WEC season, DHL manages logistics for all races featuring a grid of 36 cars, including the transport of approximately 120 containers, up to seven dedicated aircraft charters per intercontinental leg, and thousands of race tires. A dedicated team of motorsport logistics specialists



ensures hands-on support at venues worldwide, combining operational excellence with on-site expertise.

To enhance efficiency and low-emission logistics, DHL has implemented a smart combination of air and ocean freight solutions tailored to the race calendar. DHL supports the use of alternative fuels and low-emission transport solutions, including biofuel trucks and sustainable marine freight options. These efforts align with the broader ambition shared by DHL and FIA WEC: to make a traditionally carbon-intensive sport more sustainable and future-ready through innovation in technology, processes, and behavior.

“We are delighted to extend our successful relationship with DHL. As the FIA World Endurance Championship continues to grow, we count on the support of our trusted partners more than ever and DHL is truly an industry leader in logistics. Not only that, but as a global series, we have a duty to minimize our carbon footprint, and DHL wholeheartedly shares our commitment towards a more sustainable future. We look forward to continuing to work together closely over the years to come,” said Frédéric Lequien, the CEO of the FIA World Endurance Championship.

“Sustainable Endurance Award” by DHL

As part of the extended partnership, DHL continues to support the DHL Sustainable Endurance Award. Presented annually, the award recognizes FIA WEC teams that demonstrate outstanding commitment and progress in sustainability across areas including environmental management, social responsibility and innovation. By highlighting and rewarding tangible initiatives, the award encourages the sharing of best practices and continuous improvement throughout the championship.

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DHL is part of DHL Group. The Group generated revenues of approximately 82.9 billion euros in 2025. With sustainable business practices and a commitment to society and the environment, the Group makes a positive contribution to the world. DHL Group aims to achieve net-zero emissions logistics by 2050.