

Mobile payment directly at the pump: From now on also with the smartwatch at all team gas stations

The partnership between team energie and PACE accelerates the digital transformation.



Paying directly at the pump – team energie – PACE Drive

Karlsruhe, June 21th, 2022 – Connected Fueling by PACE Telematics is Europe's technologically leading platform for mobile payment directly at the fuel pump. The Connected Fueling network continues to grow rapidly: With team energie, PACE expands its acceptance network in Brandenburg, Bremen, Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania, Lower Saxony, North Rhine-Westphalia, Saxony-Anhalt and Schleswig-Holstein, Germany, with another important partner.

Contactless payment has become increasingly important, and is therefore a matter of course for team energie. Paying directly at the gas pump enables the refueling process to be completed quickly and easily.

Connected Fueling not only enables practical and fast payment via the smartphone: As the only provider in Germany so far, PACE now also supports payment via the Apple Watch or Android smartwatch. You can leave your smartphone in your pocket or in the car while you pay at the pump with your watch.

Using the innovative PACE technology is very simple: After a one-time registration in the free PACE Drive app, you're ready to go. The next time you visit a team gas station, you simply select the gas pump and a payment method on your smartphone or smartwatch and authorize the transaction after filling up. The app informs you as soon as the payment has been made. You also receive the receipt digitally. Now, you can continue your journey right away. Of course, the gas station staff is informed about the payment in the cash register display. If you use PACE Drive on your smartphone and smartwatch, all data is synchronized automatically.

"We are proud to work with the visionary team at PACE," says Marc Wehrenberg, Head of Card Sales at team energie, "It is important to us to provide our customers with ever more cutting-edge services and offers. The seamless connection of our gas stations to the Connected Fueling platform now enables safer, easier, and faster payment at our gas stations. We are particularly pleased that this is now possible in a particularly technologically advanced way: contactless via smartwatch!"

"The partnership with team energie is of strategic importance for PACE. On the one hand, our collaboration is an important milestone towards the digitalization of gas stations. On the other hand, our network, which

already exists in the north of Germany, will thus become even denser," comments Klaus-Dietrich Gast, Head of Sales at PACE Telematics GmbH. "Refueling of the future is gradually becoming a reality."

About team energie

team energie GmbH & Co. KG, with 32 sales locations in energy trading and a dense network of gas stations in northern Germany, is valued as a reliable partner in the energy sector. The business field ranges from the classic distribution of lubricants and heating oil, to trading in eco-electricity and eco-gas. Thanks to its know-how and many years of experience, customers always enjoy the best service and the highest quality.

About Connected Fueling

The open Connected Fueling platform enables mobile payment directly at the pump through a uniform, cost-saving connection of all partners to the Connected Fueling cloud system. The independent platform is open to all petroleum companies, fuel card operators and POS system providers. In addition, the platform offers automotive manufacturers and app providers flexible interfaces and easy-to-integrate SDKs to integrate the mobile payment function into their systems.

For further information, please visit www.connectedfueling.com.

About PACE

PACE Telematics, based in Karlsruhe, Germany, is one of the leading technology providers in the field of Connected Car Services and Automotive Cloud Platforms. In addition to the Connected Fueling marketplace, PACE operates a manufacturer-independent, cloud-based automotive Big Data and IoT platform. With its technology, the Karlsruhe-based startup offers Connected Car solutions for B2B and private customers. For end customers, the Connected Fueling technology can be used with the free PACE Drive app.

Find further information at www.pace.car.

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