

Press Release

Expert organization focuses on digitalization:

DEKRA Invests in Magility

- Acquisition of 25.1% of the company's shares
- Strategic partnership between Magility and DEKRA
- Core competencies in development and implementation of digital activities

The expert organization DEKRA has acquired a 25.1% share in Magility. Magility and DEKRA are partners since May 1. Magility will add "a DEKRA Partner" to its corporate logo. The company, which is based in Kirchheim unter Teck near Stuttgart, is a global technology-oriented strategy consulting firm for companies operating in mobility industries. One of its core competencies lies in the development and implementation of digital business models.

Functional safety and cybersecurity are key challenges in the Internet of Things. Magility helps its customers to improve the product safety and corporate security of their technologies. The company also focuses on enhancing the customer's process and organizational competencies. The digitalization specialists provide expertise based on the project in question – also in the world of DEKRA – in order to enhance business models and safety and security as part of the digitalization of products and procedures. This predominantly involves the joint development of customer fields in the automotive sector and mechanical and plant engineering as well.

About Magility

Magility GmbH is a global technology-oriented strategy consulting firm based in the greater Stuttgart area. It provides assistance to companies operating in mobility industries. Magility has decades of experience in industrial management and expertise. The consulting network, which is headed by Managing Director Dr. Michael W. Müller, has extensive knowledge of industries and products along the value chain, especially in mobility industries.

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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 will generate sales totalling approximately 2.9 billion Euros. The company currently employs more than 38,000 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.