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## 5th Round Porsche Mobil 1 Supercup – Valencia (ESP) Busy weekend for Konrad Motorsport

The weekend of the fifth round of the Porsche Mobil 1 Supercup in Spain ended with two TOP-10 results for the team Konrad Motorsport. At the 5.4 kilometres long street circuit in Valencia the Netherlander Patrick Huisman and the Brit Nick Tandy covered ranks seven and eighth. Siso Cunill crossed the line on 12th position, but later on was excluded from the results by the race control.



Best of the Konrad-Motorsport-Pilots in Valencia – Patrick Huisman

Team-mate Nick Tandy run into bad luck already in the free session on Friday, when his front hood went off and smashed into his windscreen. Due to this incident the Brit, who started for the first time in Valencia, had hardly an opportunity to learn the racetrack and had to settle with a disappointing tenth rank in the qualifying. It all went better for the Konrad-Motorsport-Pilot in the race. "It's really unbelievable, that we were so quick in the race today", the Brit laughed. "After the start I had an incident with Maassen, which caused not only a bad setup but also some problems with the brake. However, somehow I could keep the pace with the opponents and finally it was enough to finish eighth. Under these circumstances it was a considerable result."

Also Siso Cunill, driving the third Porsche 911 GT3 Cup of Konrad Motorsport, reported about a difficult course of the race. Started from 13th position it all went fine in the initial phase for the Spaniard. "However, I than had a collision with Zampedri, but I managed to cross the finish line on twelfth position", says Cunill, who soon lost his pleasure about the good result. Later on he was excluded from the lists by the race control because of the incident with the Italian.

"At the end we are satisfied with the weekend in Valencia. Of course the result is not what we expected, but we have to consider that it was the first time, Nick was here and that he first had to learn the track", team manager Franz Konrad strikes a balance. "In the race it was enough for positions seven (Patrick Huisman) and eight (Nick Tandy). Siso Cunill delivered a good performance, but struggled with an accident."

The next round of the Porsche Mobil 1 Supercup takes place in two weeks in the context of the British Formula 1 Grand-Prix in Silverstone.

"I am happy that the weekend is over, because on all days I had problems with an understeering car", says Patrick Huisman after the 14 laps on the Valencia Street Circuit. "In the race today I had graining at the front wheels already after two laps, and with that I wasn't able to keep the pace with the top. Later on I was happy that the opponents behind were fighting for positions, so I could keep my position and finally finished on seventh rank", the fourfold Supercup champion described the course of his race. "Up to the next round we should get a grip on our problems, to fight for top positions again."

### Bad Luck in Valencia – Nick Tandy



#### Qualifying - Valencia

1	R. Rast	2:07.818 min
2	N. Siedler	+ 0.684 sec
3	J. Bleekemolen	+ 0.904 sec
4	S. Edwards	+ 1.118 sec
7	<b>P. Huisman</b>	<b>+1.572 sec</b>
10	<b>N. Tandy</b>	<b>+ 1.685 sec</b>
13	<b>S. Cunill</b>	<b>+ 1.917 sec</b>

#### Race - Valencia

1	R. Rast	30:35.701 min
2	N. Siedler	+ 7.259 sec
3	J. Bleekemolen	+ 10.670 sec
4	J. v. Lagen	+ 15.019 sec
7	<b>P. Huisman</b>	<b>+ 18.583 sec</b>
8	<b>N. Tandy</b>	<b>+ 19.375 sec</b>
-	<b>S. Cunill</b>	<b>EXC</b>

#### Supercup – Driver standing

1	R. Rast	88 Pt
2	J. Bleekemolen	74 Pt
3	<b>N. Tandy</b>	<b>68 Pt</b>
4	S. Rosina	64 Pt
5	N. Siedler	54 Pt
7	<b>P. Huisman</b>	<b>40 Pt</b>
19	<b>S. Cunill</b>	<b>3 Pt</b>

#### Supercup- Team standing

1	Al Faisal Lechner	152 Pt
2	<b>Konrad Motorsport</b>	<b>109 Pt</b>
3	Lechner Racing	93 Pt
4	VELTINS MRS	91 Pt
5	Abu Dhabi tolimit	63 Pt
6	Bleekemolen/Harders	62 Pt

#### Supercup – Schedule

13.03.	Bahrain	BAH
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09.05.	Barcelona	ESP
16.05.	Monaco	MON
27.06.	Valencia	ESP
11.07.	<b>Silverstone</b>	<b>GBR</b>
25.07.	Hockenheim	GER
01.08.	Budapest	HUN
29.08.	Spa Francorchamps	BEL
12.09.	Monza	ITA

#### Infos about the Supercup

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