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Snap-on Funny Car Driver Tony Pedregon Wins at NHRA Nationals in Minnesota

Third Win of Year Keeps Him in Points Standings Lead

KENOSHA, Wis. – August 17, 2009 – Snap-on Funny Car dragster Tony Pedregon captured his third victory of the year and maintained his lead in the season-point standings with a victory on Sunday at the NHRA Nationals held at the Brainerd International Raceway in Brainerd, Minn. Pedregon's win had extra special meaning for Snap-on as hundreds of Snap-on customers, franchisees and fans were in attendance at the race because of the presence of the Snap-on Tools NO COMPROMISE TOUR[™] at the raceway over the weekend.

"Snap-on has truly become a good luck charm for our NHRA drivers," said Alicia Smales, vice president of marketing for Snap-on Tools. "Every time this season that we have had a customer outing or a NO COMPROMISE TOUR[™] event at a NHRA race, one of our sponsored drivers has won. We want to congratulate Tony on another great win and we look forward to seeing Tony and his brother Cruz at our NO COMPROMISE TOUR[™] tour stop in Kenosha on August 18."</sup>

Before returning to the track on August 20-23 at the NHRA Nationals in Reading, Pa., the Pedregon brothers will be stopping by the Snap-on Tools NO COMPROMISE TOUR[™] in Kenosha, Wis. on August 18 at Snap-on world headquarters, 2801 80th Street. The tour stop is scheduled from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and the Pedregons will be on hand from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. to sign autographs.

To learn more about Snap-on tools and its racing program, visit <u>www.snapon.com/racing</u>.

About Snap-on Tools

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