

## Press Release

### **RECARO AIRCRAFT SEATING RECEIVES BEST MANAGED COMPANIES AWARD 2025**

*This is the fourth Best Managed Companies Award presented to RECARO Aircraft Seating*

**FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 23, 2025** – RECARO Aircraft Seating, a global market leader in aircraft seats, is pleased to once again receive the prestigious Best Managed Companies Award 2025. This award recognizes outstandingly managed companies and is regarded internationally as a seal of quality for excellent management, operational excellence and innovative business processes.

Last Thursday, May 22, 2025, RECARO Aircraft Seating was honored with the prestigious award at a festive dinner in Frankfurt am Main - presented by Deloitte Private, UBS, the Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung and the Bundesverband der Deutschen Industrie e.V.. With this renewed success, RECARO Aircraft Seating reaffirms its leading position in the aviation industry and emphasizes its ongoing commitment to quality and innovation in the global market.

“This award recognizes the strength of our organization in all its diversity, from strategic alignment to operational excellence,” says Peter Müller, CFO of RECARO Aircraft Seating and RECARO Holding. “I am particularly impressed by the commitment and sense of responsibility our teams

demonstrate every day to contribute to overall success. Receiving the award is also, for me, a sign of appreciation for this very effort.”

“We are very proud to once again be among the best-managed companies in Germany,” says Mark Hiller, CEO of RECARO Aircraft Seating and RECARO Holding. “This success highlights once again that our values and our team spirit are embodied in our daily actions. Together, we will achieve our ambitious goals for the coming years and continue to set benchmarks in the aviation industry.”

The Best Managed Companies program is a competition and seal of quality for successful medium-sized companies. The vision: to build a national and global ecosystem of excellently managed mid-sized companies. A key unique selling point of Best Managed Companies is its international character: Best Managed Companies was launched by Deloitte in Canada in the 1990s and has since been successfully introduced in more than 45 countries.

“Best Managed Companies such as RECARO Aircraft Seating have impressively demonstrated their outstanding corporate management. Their success is based on a well thought-out and intelligent business model, a highly motivated team, and the unconditional will to initiate and implement new ideas. As pioneers and role models, they have more than earned their award as Best Managed Companies,” explains Markus Seiz, Director at Deloitte Private and head of the Best Managed Companies program.

RECARO Aircraft Seating employs over 2,900 people worldwide and has a strong regional presence with five locations on four continents. The company focuses on developing innovative technologies and redefining comfort and premium quality for air travelers.

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#### **About RECARO Aircraft Seating**

RECARO Aircraft Seating combines innovation with comfort since its founding in 1972. Today, the family-owned company is a leading supplier of premium seating solutions in the aviation industry for economy, premium and business class. Headquartered in Schwaebisch Hall, Germany, RECARO has a global presence in China, Poland, South Africa and the United States, with more than 2,900 employees and sales of approximately 576 million euros in 2024. Known for its ergonomic lightweight designs and a commitment to excellence, RECARO strives to shape the future of air travel, by constantly investing in R&D, while maintaining a focus on reliability, efficiency and sustainability. For more information, please visit [www.recaro-as.com](http://www.recaro-as.com).

#### **About RECARO Group**

The RECARO Group encompasses the three independently operating divisions RECARO Aircraft Seating headquartered in Schwaebisch Hall, Germany, RECARO Gaming located in Stuttgart, Germany, and RECARO Rail located in Grodzisk Wielkopolski, Poland. RECARO consistently establishes the benchmark for innovation, comfort, and design excellence in seating solutions, supported by an international team of more than 3,100 professionals. With sales of 588 million euros in 2024, the Group underlines its strong presence in the global market. For more information, please visit [www.recaro.com](http://www.recaro.com).

The RECARO brand is represented in the automotive seating business area by the licensee RECARO Automotive and in the child seat and stroller business area by the licensee RECARO Child Safety.

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