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ALPINE: successful in road construction

ASFINAG awards A1 rehabilitation to ALPINE. Contract value ~ 26 million euros. Other successful road construction projects: a section of the Innkreis Motorway rehabilitation and a section of the Neubau bypass in Upper Austria, together totaling ~ 53 million euros.

Salzburg: ALPINE Bau GmbH succeeded in winning a section of the A1 motorway rehabilitation, landing three big infrastructure projects within a few months. "Our high competence in infrastructure projects enabled us to land this important contract section," says Roman Esterbauer, managing director of ALPINE Bau GmbH, pleased at being selected for the A1 and two other construction projects. A total contract value of nearly 70 million euros was awarded to ALPINE.

A1 West Motorway

Most of the West Motorway has already been rehabilitated but there are still a few gaps. ALPINE Bau GmbH won the contract for the general rehabilitation of the A1 West Motorway near Auhof-Wolfsgraben. This 8.5-km stretch of highway will be resurfaced under a joint venture, ALPINE being responsible for the technical management. The contract value is ~ 26 million euros. Construction should be completed by October 2010.

Further contracts for traffic route engineering

ALPINE won the contract for the general resurfacing of an 11-km section of the Innkreis Motorway between Pichl and Meggenhofen a few months ago. The contract value is approx. 35 million euros and the motorway section should be completed by December 2010.

ALPINE recently won the contract to build the new B1 Wiener Strasse coming from Linz after the intersection with the B139, the "Neubau Bypass," under a joint venture. The project involves the construction of a 177-meter green bridge and extensive noise protection measures. The contract value is approx. 18 million euros with completion scheduled in November 2010.

Competence in infrastructure construction

Traffic route and constructional engineering have been the company's core competencies from the very beginning. This high competence seems to have paid off since extensive economic recovery plans for the infrastructure should



cause this sector to be less severely affected by the prevailing economic crisis. A greater slump is anticipated in residential, building and industrial construction. ALPINE also scores in the energy sector and in the production of building material.

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