



## Westphal Earns First Pole for PR1 Motorsports

Willow Springs, Calif. (April 5, 2008) – Jeff Westphal in his TNT Demolition/Cacci Construction Van Diemen followed his pole at Fontana with another this morning at Willow Springs in similar conditions he endured at Fontana to claim his second consecutive pole position and the two points that go with it for Round 3 of the Pacific F2000 Series presented by Hankook. “Conditions were difficult today but the team gave me a good car and I was able to get a quick lap early and save the tires.” Westphal commented. “Even though we are allowed six tires for this event instead of the usual four, you still have to take care of them”.

Westphal’s time of 1:18.230 was just .073 of a second ahead of series points leader Robert Podlesni in his Dave Freitas Racing, Terminal Velocity/Alpinestars Van Diemen, who clocked in at 1:18.303. “P2 is good with the conditions today and like Infineon, not a bad spot to start from.” He continued, “I did not manage a clear lap as I was catching traffic at the wrong points of the track and I tried to keep a gap but it did not help today”

Third on the grid will be Shaun Modisette in his Carson Trailer’s Van Diemen. Shaun lapped at 1:18.802 and said “I don’t think I did my best lap today, but I am in a good position for the race.”

Next to Modisette on the second row will be James Hakewill in his Van Diemen at 1:18.868. James recovered from an early spin at turn 3 to turn in his time on his last lap.

On the third row will be Peter Hansel in his Comar Performance Inc., GS610 Maximum Performance Brake Fluid Van Diemen at 1:18.986 and Nick Freytag in his PR1 Motorsports, G Factory/Sodi Kart Van Diemen, at 1:19.105.

Seventh and eighth will be the Dave Freitas Racing Van Diemen’s of Chuck Hulse and Ira Fierberg with the fourth Dave Freitas Racing Van Diemen of Peter Hastrup and Scott Rarick in his Piper/Fast ward/Red Line Oil Piper DF5 filling out the top ten.

Max Hyatt survived a moment when his brakes failed entering turn three and he went straight on Round Three is set to take the green flag today at 1:00 pm local time.

Pos	No.	Name	Team	Results		Make
				Best Time	Difference	
1	39	Jeff Westphal	PR1 Motorsports	01:18.2	-	Van Diemen RF05
2	84	Robert Podlesni	Dave Freitas Racing	01:18.3	0.073	Van Diemen RF08
3	26	Shaun Modisette	PR1 Motorsports	01:18.8	0.572	Van Diemen RF03
4	88	James Hakewill	James Hakewill	01:18.9	0.638	Van Diemen RF03
5	65	Peter Hansel	Comar Performance Inc,	01:19.0	0.756	Van Diemen RF02
6	9	Nicky Freytag	PR1 Motorsports	01:19.1	0.875	Van Diemen RF06
7	21	Chuck Hulse/R/M	Dave Freitas Racing	01:19.4	1.173	Van Diemen RF-03

8	27	Ira Fierberg	Dave Freitas Racing	01:19.6	1.382	Van Diemen RF05
9	5	Peter Hastrup	Dave Freitas Racing	01:19.9	1.636	Van Diemen RF02Z
10	34	Scott Rarick	Scott Rarick	01:20.0	1.726	Piper DF5
11	31	Nick Kodenko	Mike & Patty Kodenko	01:20.2	1.976	Van Diemen RF05
12	22	Max Hyatt	PR1 Motorsports	01:21.1	2.916	Van Diemen RF05
13	4	Richard Lai Fatt	Richard Lai Fatt	01:22.1	3.885	Mygale SJ04
14	24	Dennis Goughary	Landmark Motorsports	01:24.6	6.408	Carbir D53
15	18	Pierre DeMartines		01:26.2	7.997	Mygale SJ04