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## Strong debut for Jackson Lee with Czabok-Simpson Motorsport at Daytona!



## Daytona Beach, FL (January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024)

Sportscar debutante Jackson Lee enjoyed a successful first outing in the IMSA VP Racing Sportscar Challenge over the weekend with two excellent drives in the first two races of the series' season. Qualifying 4th and 6th out of the competitive 22 car field, he went on to record 6th and 7th place finishes for the two 45-minute sprints and bag a decent haul of points for the number 66 car. The races were hard fought and at the start of the second race he held 4th place for several laps before tire wear began to affect his exit speed out of the chicane.

"I had an amazing first experience in IMSA at the Roar! We made strong progress each time the car was on track and I felt I took big steps forward in learning the sportscar style of racing," said Lee. "It was great to work with everyone at CSM and Porsche to learn and help continue to develop our program. I'm excited to watch the team run this weekend in the Michelin Pilot Challenge and I will be cheering for them in the pits!" The Michelin Pilot Challenge car was also on track for the first time and clocked up a useful number of laps for all three of the drivers and the team learned much as they worked through various set-up options.

"Given that this was a brand-new car to all of us and also the first time the drivers' had been together, I was very happy with the way the weekend went, it showed we have three strong drivers capable of running at a competitive pace and the team went away with some quality data to work their way through," Stephen added.

Matthias Czabok, CSM co-owner, was thrilled with the performance of the Porsche: "The Porsche 718 GT4 RS CS's were fast and reliable straight out of the box and we learned a lot. The drivers and CSM crew all did a great job and to end up just 0.5 sec off the leading Porsche first time out was a decent start for Czabok-Simpson Motorsport." The team is now looking ahead to their IMSA Michelin Pilot Challenge debut this coming weekend when Sebastian Carazo, Nikita Lastochkin and Gordon Scully will pilot the number 67 car.

For more information, visit the team's website at:

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