



Dear Eric

On behalf of the team at Mercedes AMG High Performance Powertrains (HPP) and Mercedes-Benz, I would like to offer our heart-felt thanks for the incredible contribution that you and your team have made towards the achievements of the 2014 season.

Lewis Hamilton won the first ever Formula 1 Russian Grand Prix at the Sochi Autodrom, with team mate Nico Rosberg finishing second after a strong recovery drive from a first lap pit-stop. All of the top five finishers of the Sochi race were powered by the HPP Power Unit, a fitting result to seal the first F1 Constructors Trophy for Mercedes-Benz in its 120 years of motorsport. Following the tenth Mercedes 1-2 victory of the season in Texas, it was confirmed that a Mercedes driver will win the 2014 F1 Drivers' Championship. The challenge has been immense but we have realised our goals in stunning style!

I recognise that you and your team have all worked incredibly hard to support our requirements over long days, nights and weekends so that we may share this moment in history. You should be very proud of what we have achieved together.

We, here at Brixworth, remain focused on reliability and will continue to manage Power Unit health to make sure we provide all our drivers the ability to compete wheel-to-wheel until the very last race is run and the drivers Championship is concluded.

Yours sincerely,

Andy Cowell

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