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Helphire Group plc named Market Leading Credit Hire Company 2007 by Auto Body Professionals Club

Helphire Group plc, which includes Total Accident Management, has announced its most recent accolade of **Market Leader** in the category of **Credit Hire Companies 2007**, as awarded by the ABP – Auto Body Professionals Club, the UK body repair sector's leading trade organisation.

Now in its third year, the ABP Club commissioned independent market research and analysis of the ten categories of key importance to the body repair industry, with 'Credit Hire' being one of these.

Companies in this category were ranked based on proportion of total turnover attributable to the body repair sector, with Helphire Group plc leading the pack to beat competitors by some £170m.

"The award is a fantastic achievement and reflects the positive attitude of UK bodyshops towards Helphire Group and the continued commitment we as a company place on the body repair market," said David Robertson, Helphire Group Operations Director.

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Editor's notes:

Accident Management by Design

Total Accident Management Limited is the Repair and Claims management subsidiary of Helphire Group plc. Total specialises in Motor Claims services and provides claims and repair handling to the fleet and insurance accident management sectors.

Founded in 2002, Total is one of the Helphire Group's five specialist operating companies, providing fleet accident management solutions to over 50,000 fleet vehicles (mixed portfolio of cars through to vans and HGVs), handling in excess of 20,000 claims and 16,000 repairs annually.

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