



Dear press colleagues,

Will you attend the upcoming UITP World Congress in Vienna? If you do, we would be happy to welcome you to our unveiling ceremony of a new model of airport people mover: **Airval - the world's first fully automated metro.**

We are pleased to present you the first pre-series vehicle, which went successful through its qualification program, at the 58th UITP World Congress in Vienna. The prototype vehicle will be revealed by Dr. Hans-Jörg Grundmann, CEO of Siemens Mobility, and Robert Lohr, President Lohr Industries.

Since 2004, Siemens and Lohr Industrie have conducted a major research and development program called Neoval to develop a new generation of a rubber-tired fully automated metro. Neoval is today giving life to two new products: Cityval – smart modular train for sustainable urban development - and Airval – airport people mover.

**The unveiling ceremony will take place in the outdoor area located between Halls A and B, on Monday, June 8th 2009 at 3:30 pm. We are looking forward to seeing you there!**

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