

CAF wins order



SAUDI ARABIA: On July 4 Spanish rolling stock manufacturer CAF announced it had signed a €104.9m contract to supply Saudi Railways Organisation with eight 200 km/h passenger trainsets.

Each set will be formed of a diesel-electric locomotive and five steel-bodied coaches, designed to operate in temperatures of up to 55°C. There will be VIP, first and second class accommodation, with a buffet and facilities for disabled passengers.

CAF will be responsible for maintaining the trains for the first four years. ↩