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Marelli wins two honors at the 2026 Automotive News PACE and PACE Pilot Awards

Marelli, a global mobility technology supplier to the automotive sector, has received **two awards** at the **2026 Automotive News PACE Awards** ceremony, held on November 17 in Novi, Michigan, U.S. The awards recognize the following innovations:

- The **2026 Automotive News PACE Award** for **HorizonView**, its next-generation pillar-to-pillar display technology, which enables digital content to extend across the lower windshield area from one side of the cockpit to the other.

- The **2026 Automotive News PACE Pilot Award** for **Affordable 5G RedCap**, a vehicle telematics solution designed to bring essential 5G capabilities to a broader range of vehicle segments at a cost closer to today's 4G solutions.

François Nivelle, Head of Innovation and Advanced Engineering, Electronics at Marelli, accepted the awards on behalf of the teams behind the winning innovations.

Automotive News PACE Award for HorizonView
The PACE Award recognizes game-changing innovations developed by automotive suppliers and successfully deployed in an in-production application. HorizonView brings driving, navigation, contextual and passenger-facing information in line with the driver's natural field of view, while enabling content to extend across the lower windshield area. Compared with a conventional head-up display, the solution occupies around 75% less volume, at approximately one liter versus four liters. The displays work with a reflective polarized surface for mirroring and a black background (frit) on the windshield. Proprietary warping algorithms compensate for windshield curvature so occupants perceive a flat virtual image. Its architecture combines display technology, optics and software to give vehicle makers greater flexibility in tailoring the in-cabin experience across different platforms. HorizonView is a scalable display technology offered in three distinct product configurations: LeanHorizon with one thin-film transistor (TFT) display, ProHorizon with two, and EliteHorizon with three.

Automotive News PACE Pilot Award for Affordable 5G RedCap
The PACE Pilot Award recognizes pre-commercial innovations with the potential to transform future mobility. Affordable 5G RedCap applies Reduced Capability 5G technology to vehicle telematics, providing the connectivity needed for advanced vehicle functions without the hardware complexity and cost associated with full 5G. As 4G networks are expected to begin phasing out in some regions around 2030, the technology provides vehicle makers with a practical path to future-proof connectivity across vehicle lifecycles that can extend well beyond 2035. Compared with 4G, Affordable 5G RedCap offers a 50% higher data rate and 2.5 times lower latency, while targeting a comparable price point. The solution supports automatic switching between 5G and 4G networks and combines dual-frequency global navigation satellite system (GNSS), next-generation Wi-Fi and Bluetooth connectivity. It is designed to support functions ranging from media streaming and real-

time navigation to over-the-air updates, emergency calls, remote commands, and remote diagnostics.

"We are honored to receive these awards, which recognize our focus on practical innovation that creates value for vehicle makers, drivers and passengers," said **Kelei Shen**, President of Marelli's Electronics business. *"These innovations combine our expertise in hardware, software and systems integration to help vehicle makers create driving experiences that evolve over time. By bringing these capabilities together in scalable solutions, we provide them with greater flexibility to meet different vehicle and user needs."*

About Marelli
Marelli is a global mobility technology supplier to the automotive industry. With a strong and established track record in innovation and manufacturing excellence, our mission is to transform the future of mobility through working with customers and partners to create a safer, greener, and better-connected world. With around 40,000 employees worldwide, the Marelli footprint includes over 150 sites globally. For more information, visit the Marelli website at www.marelli.com.

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