

## **AXÈGAZ on the Arctic circle!**

## In February, 2014, RENAULT TRUCKS, who is finalising its new Euro-6 compatible natural gas vehicle, sought AXÈGAZ's help to supply natural gas to its vehicle in Sweden.

The new vehicle had to undergo several extreme conditions tests. One of them, the "Winter Test" took place in north of Sweden, hundreds of kilometres away from the nearest natural gas supply point (it was, therefore impossible to drive the vehicle to the supply point for refuelling).

AXÈGAZ was in charge of designing, delivering and operating a natural gas station on the circuit where the Winter Test was taking place. This was accomplished in 4 weeks from the order confirmation by Renault Trucks (for comparison, delivery time for this type of installation is normally 6 months).

AXÈGAZ managed to get all the required permits in 2 weeks' time whereas the normal delivery time is about 8 weeks and set up the logistics required to fill the gas station up.

AXÈGAZ trained Renault Trucks employees and others services providers on site, so that they could safely operate the gas station.

Over the six-week test period, the test vehicle was repeatedly filled up to the entire satisfaction of Renault Trucks.

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