





## Drivalia, the Mobility Supporter of Jubilee 2025, together with BYD, inaugurates the new Mobility Store on Via della Conciliazione in Rome.

- As the Mobility Supporter of the Jubilee 2025, the Crédit Agricole Auto Bank Group company will provide, thanks in part to its fleet of BYD vehicles, its rental and mobility solutions designed to meet the travel needs of millions of pilgrims and tourists.
- Drivalia has opened its new store at Via della Conciliazione 7, within the Jubilee Info Point.

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**Drivalia**, the mobility and rental company of the Crédit Agricole Auto Bank Group, strengthens its role as the official Mobility Supporter of Jubilee 2025 with the inauguration of its **new Mobility Store on Via della Conciliazione**, in the heart of Rome. Just steps from St. Peter's Square, this new store is a cornerstone of Drivalia's partnership with the Dicastery for Evangelization in preparation for **Jubilee 2025**.

Drivalia's presence in Rome is further enhanced by its collaboration with the Asian automotive giant **BYD**. The company has expanded its range of sustainable mobility solutions, featuring models such as the **BYD Atto 3 and BYD Dolphin** - electric and compact vehicles ideal for navigating city traffic with ease - and the **BYD Seal U DM-i**, a spacious plug-in hybrid designed for families.

Located within the Jubilee 2025 Info Point, the new Mobility Store will serve as the official hub for pilgrims arriving from around the globe to participate in the Holy Year. Catering to the mobility needs of millions of visitors expected in the Eternal City, the store includes **a parking facility at the Vatican Rome Terminal**. This latest addition joins Drivalia's network of **over 20 Mobility Stores across the city**, including key locations at Fiumicino and Ciampino airports and the Roma Termini and Roma Tiburtina train stations.

Through its **network of Stores**, the **drivalia.com website**, and **the official Jubilee app**, **Iubilaeum25**, Drivalia will offer pilgrims and tourists exclusive rates for short-term rentals and E+Share electric car sharing services.

"Together with Drivalia, we continue our journey toward Jubilee 2025, providing practical solutions to the real mobility needs of the faithful who will come to the Eternal City, always keeping the protection of Creation at heart", said **Monsignor Rino Fisichella**, Pro-Prefect of the Dicastery for Evangelization.

"This agreement is a perfect example of how technology and vision can converge to deliver sustainable and innovative mobility solutions. We are proud to contribute our BYD vehicles to the Jubilee 2025 project, offering pilgrims new and eco-friendly mobility options", commented Alfredo Altavilla, BYD Special Advisor for Europe.







"Partnering with the Vatican for Jubilee 2025 is both an honor and a responsibility, underscoring our mission to provide mobility that serves people and communities. We are grateful to the Dicastery for Evangelization for its trust in us", said **Giacomo Carelli, CEO of CA Auto Bank and Chairman of Drivalia**. "We are ready to deliver a quality mobility experience to pilgrims and tourists, guided by the slogan "Moved by Hope", a tribute to the Jubilee motto, "Pilgrims of Hope", and a message of positivity that will inspire all our initiatives for the Holy Year".

## Drivalia

Drivalia, a rental, leasing and mobility company of the CA Auto Bank group, provides a full range of mobility solutions, from electric car sharing to innovative car subscriptions and rentals of all durations. Drivalia deals with all-round mobility, offering innovative mobility plans that combine flexibility, a digital experience, an on-demand approach, and sustainability. In June 2019, the Company launched the Mobility Store network, physical outlets where customers can have access to all its mobility services. With the opening of the first fully electrified Mobility Store at Torino Caselle airport in 2020, followed by many others, Drivalia has become a leading operator also in sustainable mobility. In fact, thanks to the more than 1,800 charging stations installed at all its stores to date, the Company has the largest private electrified network in Italy. The electrification process will proceed in all the European countries where Drivalia operates also in 2024. For more information:

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## BYD

BYD is a high-tech multinational company that aims to harness innovation to improve the quality of life. Founded in 1995 as a rechargeable battery manufacturer, today the company is active in a variety of industries, including automotive, rail transportation, renewable energy and electronics, with more than 30 industrial parks spread across China, the United States, Canada, Japan, Brazil, Hungary and India. From energy production and storage to its applications, BYD is dedicated to providing zero-emission energy solutions to reduce global dependence on fossil fuels. With its line of energy vehicles, the company is present in 90 countries and regions, covering more than 400 cities on six continents. Listed on the Hong Kong and Shenzhen stock exchanges, BYD is one of the companies included in the Fortune Global 500 list, recognized for its innovations in an increasingly green world.