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## KINETIC MOTORSPORTS ACHIEVES ANOTHER TOP-10 AT MOSPORT

**Buford, Ga.** - Kinetic Motorsports returned home from across the border in Canada from the world famous Mosport International Raceway after posting its best results to date. Weather from Ernesto, the latest hurricane to hit the Atlantic coast, had a huge impact on the weekend as remnants from the storm made their way through eastern Canada. As a result, IMSA made the decision to alter the schedule a bit by racing a day early in order to beat Mother Nature. Kinetic owner and driver Russell Smith was up to the task at Mosport qualifying in the 12th spot to start the fifth segment of the IMSA Cup Challenge in his No. 38 Porsche 997.



**Kinetic Returns From Mosport With Another Top-10**

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After qualifying 12th as a result of average practice times, Smith began his assault on Mosport and the rest of the field right from the Green Flag. He moved through the field quickly taking spot after spot until he found himself in the top-five. However in the closing laps, Smith was hit in the passenger side door of his Kinetic Porsche after Steve Valentinetti made an aggressive overtaking maneuver sending Smith off track. As a result of the contact, multiple cars passed the No. 38 taking Smith out of the top-10. After regaining control, Smith was able to pass several cars in the few remaining laps making his way back into the top-10 finishing the race 8th in the GT3-7 class.



**Smith in His No. 38 Porsche 997**

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"This was an incredibly exciting and fun race," said Smith. "I had never been to Mosport before and I am extremely pleased with the track layout. Due to the hurricane, our average practice times determined our qualifying positions which allowed us to run in dry conditions before the weather became a factor. Although I was knocked out of the top-five, I thoroughly enjoyed the entire weekend and only look forward to another great performance at Petit."

The next installment of the IMSA GT3 Cup Challenge presented by Michelin is Friday, September 29th in conjunction with Petit Le Mans at Road Atlanta. For more information about Kinetic Speed Shop and its motorsports division, please visit [www.kssmotorsports.com](http://www.kssmotorsports.com).

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