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**KRUG EXPEDITION UNVEILS BRAND-NEW BEDROCK XT2 EXPEDITION TRUCK BUILT  
FOR ADVENTURERS AND THRILL-SEEKERS OF ALL TYPES**

***Now Available in the United States for the First Time, KRUG's Most Capable Expedition  
Vehicle Yet is Designed with Remote Exploration in Mind***

**SCHLADMING, AUSTRIA (May 20, 2024)** – Few automotive builders globally have the expertise and understanding to skillfully craft world-class expedition vehicles on a scale comparable to the incredible work that Austria-based KRUG Expedition is doing. Known for designing the most rugged, versatile adventure rigs in the marketplace today, KRUG Expedition is pleased to announce the company's first foray into the United States market via their brand-new Bedrock XT2 vehicle platform. The Bedrock concept was designed as the most powerful and capable travel rig that the company has ever offered, leveraging more than three decades of automotive ingenuity and design prowess to establish a more dependable go-anywhere and do-anything ultimate expedition vehicle.

“Our team at KRUG Expedition has been tasked to establish a new breed of expedition vehicle, one with no compromises in engineering that is built to thrive in any conditions. The Bedrock XT2 is the result of years of extensive testing and customer feedback, resulting in our most capable vehicle ever. Bedrock XT2 was specifically built with expedition travel and truck enthusiasts in mind,” comments CEO of KRUG Expedition, Slawa Knorr. “In recent years, we've noticed major demand from the U.S. marketplace in our vehicles. The Bedrock XT2 gives us a

perfect opportunity to enter this market with a vehicle capable of transforming modern expedition travel from a 360-degree view. Our customers are quite literally at the center of any and all outdoor adventures with the way the Bedrock XT2 is strategically configured.”

Built atop a custom AT44 XT2 Ford F-550 designed in partnership with renowned automotive builder Arctic Trucks, the new KRUG Expedition Bedrock XT2 establishes a new high watermark in the industry in terms of comfort and capability.

“Arctic Truck’s mission has always been to build vehicles that allow customers to explore without limits,” said Randy Hasson, COO of Arctic Trucks North America. He continued, “We see KRUG as a natural partner in building high-quality, well engineered mobility solutions.”

Sporting an imposing 176-inch wheelbase and featuring dimensions of 263 inches in length, 95.5 inches in width and 90 inches in height, KRUG’s Bedrock XT2 stands alone as the ultimate excursion vehicle powerhouse. Implementing a tri-axle 6x4 drivetrain, the Bedrock XT2’s weight distribution is dramatically improved for enhanced comfort both on and off-road. The addition of the third axle decreases ground pressure by upwards of 25%, while formidable 365/80R20 Continental multi-purpose tires provide superb traction in rugged terrain and smooth operation when on-road. Arctic Trucks’ 8-link rear air suspension system includes independent control from inside the cab, allowing quick air pressure adjustments to accommodate heavy payloads and variable terrain. The new rear tag axle also features OEM F-550 hydraulic disc brakes for improved control and reduced braking distances.

Arctic Trucks went to great lengths to re-engineer the F-550’s body and frame to minimize suspension lift, which helps to retain near-stock suspension geometry and ultra-low center mass for stability. Engineered to handle the rigors of remote travel with ease, the custom Bedrock XT2

frame features several other standard and optional capability features, including front and rear limited slip differentials, a semi-automatic tire inflation system and an optional central tire inflation system for dynamic tire pressure adjustment from inside the cab. The subframe of each Bedrock XT2 powerhouse further allows for users to decouple the module body from the vehicle chassis, which ensures that the module is not damaged when off-road driving results in twisting, heavy loads being placed on the chassis frame.

Incorporating the finest materials available is of the utmost importance for each KRUG Expedition vehicle. KRUG builds each module using reinforced sandwich panels that provide superior insulation and performance characteristics. These modules are also completely free of cold bridges, which not only prevents condensation inside, but also consumes less energy in extreme cold or hot environments. Both the inside and outside of the wall and ceiling panels are coated with a GRP laminate that is extraordinarily resistant to mechanical influences.

With an array of interior options available for the Bedrock configuration, KRUG Expedition provides endless possibilities for customization for adventurers and explorers of all types. Inside, the Bedrock's living module is designed with a modern, functional aesthetic, tailored to meet the demands of long-distance travelers. The sleeping area boasts a luxurious king-size bed, while the dinette can easily transform into an additional sleeping space. The kitchen is equipped with high-quality appliances and functional materials, ensuring that meal preparation is convenient and enjoyable.

The bathroom is equipped with a separating toilet and a full shower, supplied by a robust 118-gallon water tank. The pressurized filling system includes a sophisticated filtration system with three pre-filtering stages, activated carbon, and a fine filter capacity of up to one micron, complemented by a powerful PURION 1000 UV treatment.

The fresh water supply to the kitchen's drinking water tap is filtered using the advanced General Ecology Seagull IV-X2 system that ensures the effective removal of chemical and visible contaminants to deliver the highest quality drinking water. The next layer of water treatment incorporates a state-of-the-art UV LED unit, designed to instantly eradicate any residual bacteria or viruses that may have bypassed previous filtration stages as soon as water is drawn.

The Bedrock XT2 is equipped with the Truma Combi diesel-powered air heating system, known for its rapid heat-up times, low-noise operation, and infinitely variable power control, ensuring a consistent and comfortable temperature inside the module. This system provides both heat and on-demand hot water, enhancing the overall expedition experience.

Designed for a fully electric experience, the living module features a 1450 Wp solar panel array and a massive Li-Ion 23 kW / hours battery bank, utilizing advanced components by Victron. This integration ensures a reliable and sustainable energy supply for all onboard systems, enhancing the overall functionality and comfort of the Bedrock XT2.

Despite being fully capable of traveling off the grid, the Bedrock XT2 offers numerous creature comforts. The module includes preparation for Starlink installation, allowing seamless connectivity from anywhere. Additionally, it features a 32" Smart TV in the dinette area and a 24" Smart TV in the cabover section, providing entertainment and convenience from anywhere.

While the Bedrock XT2 comes fully equipped with an array of impressive standard features, additional customization options are available to enhance its capabilities further. For those seeking optimal comfort in colder climates, a hydronic heating system can be added to provide underfloor heating in the living area, radiators in the dinette and bathroom, and automatic frost protection, ensuring warmth and comfort in the most extreme conditions.

In contrast, for hot climate exploration, the Nomadic Cooling X3 Air Conditioner can be incorporated. This advanced air conditioning system delivers cool air with the highest possible efficiency and lowest energy consumption.

For culinary enthusiasts, an outdoor kitchen can be integrated into the underfloor storage boxes, offering a convenient and enjoyable cooking experience in the great outdoors.

Available at a starting price of \$690,000, KRUG Expedition's Bedrock XT2 truck will officially be introduced on U.S. soil on May 17th at the Overland Expo West in Flagstaff. For more information on KRUG Expedition's Bedrock XT2 and all available expedition vehicles, please visit [www.krugxp.us](http://www.krugxp.us).

### **About KRUG Expedition**

With its headquarters in the Austrian Alps, KRUG Expedition is a cutting-edge, innovative and creative expedition manufacturer that continues to transform modern expedition travel with expert know-how. The company's product portfolio comprises a specific Series Modules program, a complete-truck solution program, custom builds, empty modules and a lively parts business. KRUG Expedition is home to expedition travelers and truck enthusiasts worldwide. "Welcome to the tribe!" - This promise underlines the company's ambition to provide a lasting platform for customers, from the beginning to their purchase journey beyond after-sales services, true to our full-circle, 360-degree approach in everything we do.

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