Vienna, 2019-04-17 – 3,488 passenger cars were registered and deregistered within one day between January and March 2019, as Statistics Austria reports. Compared to the first quarter of 2018 with 5,178 one-day registrations, this represents a decrease of 32.6%. The highest year-on-year decline was recorded in February 2019 (-45.1%), followed by March (-31.0%) and January (-21.5%).

In the first three months of 2019, one-day registrations accounted for 4.3% of all new passenger car registrations (first quarter of 2018: 5.7%).

The number of short-term registrations of passenger cars up to seven days declined by 31.1%, registrations up to 30 days and 60 days fell by 16.3% and 13.0%, respectively. New passenger car registrations up to 90 days (-13.2%) and up to 120 days (-13.0%) also decreased.

For more detailed results and further information concerning statistics of motor vehicles please refer to our website.

Information on methods, definitions: Motor vehicle statistics (registrations of new and used vehicles as well as the stock of vehicles) are secondary statistics, compiled on the basis of daily data files sent to Statistics Austria by Austria’s association of insurance companies (VVO). VVO, in turn, receives data by the insurances’ registrations offices, responsible for registrations, de-registrations and rectifications of motor vehicles and trailers.

Within motor vehicle statistics, all motor vehicles, once nationally or internationally registered, are levied, irrespective of the registration’s duration.

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