SAFARI RALLY KENYA 2022





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 Subject:
 STEWARDS DECISION NO. 2
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From: The Stewards

To: The Competitor M-SPORT FORD WORLD RALLY TEAM of car No. 42

Crew CRAIG BREEN / PAUL NAGLE

The Stewards, having received a report from the Clerk of the Course, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

Facts The above addressed competitor requested the allocation of a new time on SS8

(Soysambu 1) where the crew was delayed by Car No. 16.

Decision The time of Competitor No. 42 on SS8 (Soysambu 1) is corrected to **19:07.9.**

Reason Competitor No. 42 reported that their Crew was hindered by the dust generated by

Car No. 16 between 24.72km to 27.65km on SS8.

Car No.16 stopped at 17.4km through the stage to inspect a rear suspension failure.

Having examined the report from the Clerk of the Course, the information provided by the competitor, tracking data available, on-board video and the time set by Car No. 42 on SS8 (Soysambu 1), the Stewards find that Car No. 42 was forced to slow down significantly when approaching the dust generated by Car No. 16 and therefore conclude that the request for a correction of the time is justified.

The allocation of corrected or notional times is provided for in the WRC Sporting Regulations for certain cases which do, however, not specifically include a crew being delayed due to the above-mentioned circumstances.

With a view to sporting fairness in competitions and with reference to Art. 1.1.5 of the 2022 WRC Sporting Regulations, the Stewards exercise their authority under Art. 11.9.2.a and Art. 11.9.3.j of the 2022 FIA International Sporting Code. Considering that the time loss was significant and cannot merely be considered as a "racing incident", the Stewards decide to correct the time of competitor No. 42 on SS8 as specified above.

Competitors are reminded that they have the right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards, in accordance with Article 15 of the 2022 FIA International Sporting Code and Chapter 4 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules.

Mazen Al-Hilli The Stewards Henrik Frank

his decision was notified by email to the Competitor's officially nominated representative as below:

Name (in block letters):	CÉLINE GUES	Date:	25.6.2022
Position within the team:	SPORTING CO-ORDINATOR	Time:	14:36