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Subject: STEWARDS DECISION NO. 4 **Document No:** 2.4

From: The Stewards
To: The Competitor MOTORSPORT IRELAND RALLY ACADEMY of car No. 32
Crew WILLIAM CREIGHTON / LIAM REGAN

All Competitors / crew members

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 SS14 where car No. 32 stopped at the incident scene of car No. 28.

Decision The time of competitor No. 32 on SS14 is corrected to **06:19.4**.

Reason Competitor No. 32 stopped, as requested in such cases during the drivers' safety briefing, at the incident scene of car No. 32 at approximately Km 0.8 on SS14. The crew therefore complied with the requirement of Articles 12.2.1.i and 12.2.1.h of the 2024 FIA International Sporting Code, especially "follow[ing] the instructions of the relevant officials for the safe and orderly conduct of the Event".

Having examined the report from the Clerk of the Course, the information provided by the competitor of car No. 32, the split times set by competitors on SS14 and on SS12 and having reviewed the on-board video from car No.32, the Stewards 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 2024 WRC Sporting Regulations, the Stewards exercise their authority under Art. 11.9.2.a and Art. 11.9.3.j of the 2024 FIA International Sporting Code. Considering that the time loss was significant and it cannot merely be considered as a "racing incident", as the crew acted for the "safe and orderly conduct of the Event", as required, the Stewards decide to correct the time of competitor No.32 on SS14 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 2024 FIA International Sporting Code and Chapter 4 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules.



Edoardo Delleani
The Stewards



Tim Mayer



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This decision was notified to the Competitor's officially nominated representative as below:

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| <i>Name (in block letters):</i> | PABLO MARCOS | <i>Date:</i> | 21.7.2024 |
| <i>Position within the team:</i> | TEAM REPRESENTATIVE | <i>Time:</i> | 11:00 |