STEWARDS DECISION [RALLY]



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Forest Rally Nannup Western Australia and Surrounds 18/05/2024

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

Competitor - Toyota Gazoo Racing Australia

Crew - Lewis Bates / Anthony McLoughlin

Date - 18/05/2024

Location - Tyre Marking point at Service Out A

Fact – Car #2 was found to have "soft" compound tyre in the vehicle as a "spare" which was the fifth 'soft' compound tyre with the vehicle and exceeded the allocation of 4 tyres of this compound tyre for the event.

Rule – Australian Rally Championship Sporting and Technical Regulations Part 2, Article 4, Tyres item (c) and 2024 Forest Rally Bulletin #2

Decision – The crew of Car #2 were found to be in breach of the regulation as per the infringement notice.

Reason – The crew admitted the breach of the regulation but wished to have the matter of the penalty applied reviewed by a Stewards panel. The evidence provided did not support a review of the penalty applied. The breach of the rules has a prescribed penalty and as such the current penalty of 2 mins per additional tyre used (1 tyre) will be applied to the total stage times for Heat 1.

The Competitor/Driver is reminded of their Right of Appeal as set out in NCR101 – National Competition Rules - APPEAL

Issued by the Stewards of the Event:		
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