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The Stewards, having received a report from the Clerk of the Course (Doc 3.6), having examined the evidence, having summoned and heard the Crew members, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

Facts: During SS1, Competitor #206 infringed the vehicle-to-vehicle communication regulations.

Offence: **Breach of Art. 47.3.3 of the 2026 FIA Cross-Country Rally Sporting Regulations.**

Decision: **To impose a time penalty of 15 minutes to be applied on SS1**

Reason: The Stewards acknowledge the explanation provided by the competitor that the overtaking requests were allegedly not received inside the vehicle. However, the evidence available to the Stewards and the additional data and explanations provided by the supplier confirm that the requests were properly transmitted/received through the official system.

After analysing the information provided by the Clerk of the Course, the Stewards decide that in this case there is no doubt about the infringement committed.

The Stewards also consider the repeated nature of the infringements. Despite three previous penalties for identical conduct during the same Selective Section, the Competitor again failed to comply with the overtaking procedure prescribed by the regulations.

The Stewards emphasise that compliance with overtaking requests is not only a sporting obligation but also an important safety measure in cross-country rally competition. Failure to allow a faster competitor to pass can create unnecessary danger for both crews and may also affect the sporting fairness and outcome of the competition by impeding other competitors.

The Stewards decision was made based on FIA 2026 International Sporting Code Art. 11.7.1, Art. 11.7.3.a, Art. 11.7.3.f and Art. 12.4.1.h.

Competitors are reminded that they have the right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards, in accordance with Article 15 of the FIA 2026 International Sporting Code and Chapter 4 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules, within the applicable time limits.



Wilhelm SINGER
Chair of the Panel of Stewards



Antonio MEDEIROS
FIA Steward



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Competitor: MARCUS WATK

Vehicle No: 206

Crew:

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Signature:



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