## **CENTRAL EUROPEAN RALLY 2023**

26 - 29 October

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 Subject:
 STEWARDS DECISION No. 16
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From: The Stewards

**To:** The Competitor FILIPPO MARCHINO of car No. 53

Crew FILIPPO MARCHINO / PIETRO OMETTO

The Stewards, having received a report from the Clerk of the Course with photo and video evidence attached, summoned the above crew members as well as a competitor's representative, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

**Facts** On Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2023 at 14:27 in the road section after the STOP of SS18,

on the national road "B85", car No. 53 overtook another car passing the double solid

centre line.

Offence Breach of Art. 34.3.1 of the 2023 FIA WRC Sporting Regulations

**Decision** Fine of € 500 onto the driver of car No.53 FILIPPO MARCHINO

**Reason** A hearing was held on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2023 at 16.40 hrs in the presence of

driver Filippo Marchino, co-driver Pietro Ometto and Team Representative, Aldo

Malchiodi.

As the video evidence shown was very clear, the driver accepted to be in the wrong

and apologised for his lapse.

Road safety is at the heart of the FIA and the public image of rallying is important to protect. The Stewards concluded that the driver of car no. 53 was in breach of Art. 34.3.1 of the 2023 FIA WRC Sporting Regulations, which explicitly mandates that crews must observe the national traffic laws, and imposed the above fine under WRC

Art. 34.3.4 a).

Competitors are reminded that they have the right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards, in accordance with Article 15 of the 2023 FIA International Sporting Code and Chapter 4 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules.

Edoardo Delleani The Stewards ii Tarkiainen Wolfgang Gasto

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

Name (in block letters):	ALDO MARCHIODI	Date:	29.10.23
Position within the team:	TEAM MANAGER	Time:	17:45

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