Special Provisions – Organising Committee Remarks

GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR RALLY AND RALLY SPRINT COMPETITIONS 2026

41.2 PERSONNEL & RESTRICTIONS AT SERVICE

41.2.1 The presence of team personnel or any means of transport of the team (including the helicopter) is prohibited within a distance of one kilometre from its competing car, except:

- The Service Parks - The Remote Service Zone – RSZ

- The refuelling areas (Remote Refuelling Zones)

- One team member, at official car-washing areas

- Where permitted by Bulletin

- When the competing cars, following the route described in the road book, are obliged to follow the same road(s) as their team personnel, provided that they do not stop at the same place at the same time.

In addition, in national competitions, the following is prohibited:

a. The deviation of the competition car from the route of the competition. The route also includes the verges of the road.

b. Persons performing the duties of a mechanic at the Service Parks are prohibited from circulating on the route of the competition, being at the finishes of the Special Stages, or following the competition cars in any capacity.

The circulation of any service car or ordinary car carrying spare parts, fuel, tyres, tools, etc., from the finish of each Special Stage to the next Time Control is prohibited. A breach of the above will result in the exclusion of the crew and its referral to the EPA. The drivers of these cars must accept, if requested by members of the organisation, an inspection of their car to ascertain that they are not transporting the items referred to in § b above.

For the application of Article 41.2.1, the Organiser will appoint persons as judges of fact, preferably with motorcycles, who will move along the route of the competition.

41.2.2 The delivery of food, drink and clothing and the exchange of information (data card, road book, etc.), as well as the dictation of instructions on the method of repair, from and to the crew, is permitted at the Service Parks.