

Date: **19.10.2023**

Time: **15h:10 hrs**

Subject: **STEWARDS DECISION NO. 11**

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From: *The Stewards*

To: *Competitor N° 14 BRIDGESTONE*
Crew: MODENA Stefano / DELORME Freddy

The Stewards, received a report from the clerk of the course [COC Report No.1], summoned and heard the driver[s] Stefano MODENA/ Fredy DELORME – team representative, [summons No.1], have considered the following matter, determine the following:

Driver and car No: #14 Stefano MODENA

Competitor: BRIDGESTONE

Time [fact]: 22:44

Session: Leg 1

Fact: Car did not stay in the Parc Fermé until the start of of Leg 2.

Offence: Breach of Article 3.10 2023 FIA eco Rally Cup Sporting Regulations.

Decision: Disqualification from the 2023 FIA EcoRally Cup.

Reason: Having considered the matter extensively, the Stewards determined that after suffering an accident, vehicle number 14 did not complete Leg 1.

During the hearing, the Team Representative acknowledge the facts and explain that they had an incident and couldn't repair the car in time to enter the Parc Fermé at the end of the Leg 1.

Although the Supplementary Regulations of the event in Article 13.5.3 state that if a competitor encounters a problem, such as an accident, and has to stop during one leg [except the last one], they may request a new start in the next leg and they did make this request; however, the team was ultimately unable to repair the vehicle in time to enter the car into the parc fermé before Leg 2, and were in Breach of Art. 3.10 of the 2023 FIA EcoRally Cup Sporting Regulations.

The Competitor is reminded that he has the right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards, in accordance with Article 15 of the FIA International Sporting Code and Chapter 4 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules, within the applicable time limits.



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