

EKO ACROPOLIS RALLY GREECE 2023

7 - 10 September

Date: 10.09.2023 Time: 18:00 hrs STEWARDS DECISION NO. 17 **Document No:** 2.18 Subject:

From: The Stewards

To: The Competitor KAJETAN KAJETANOWICZ of car No. 25

Crew KAJETAN KAJETANOWICZ / MACIEJ SZCZEPANIAK

All Competitors / crew members

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

Facts The above addressed competitor requested the allocation of a new time on SS10

(Pavliani 2) where the crew was slowed down by a marshal.

Decision The time of competitor No. 25 on SS10 (Pavliani 2) is **not** amended.

Reason In his request Competitor No. 25 stated that he was driving at the 11.5km mark of SS10

> (RB SS10 box 12), approaching the water crossing, when the Crew received unclear signs by marshals and people present at the scene, which as a result caused him to stop

in the water crossing.

Having examined the report from the Clerk of the Course, the information provided by the competitor and the tracking data available, the Stewards conclude that the request for a correction of the time is not justified as there were other cars in front of the Competitor which managed to pass the above-mentioned situation without suffering a significant time loss. Furthermore, no additional supporting evidence from the Competitor was provided to substantiate this request or support the claim.

The allocation of corrected or notional times is provided for in the WRC Sporting Regulations for certain cases which do, however, not specifically include a crew claiming to having been delayed.

With a view to sporting fairness in competitions and with reference to Art. 1.1.5 of the 2023 WRC Sporting Regulations, the Stewards exercise their authority under Art. 11.9.2.a and Art. 11.9.3.j of the 2023 FIA International Sporting Code. The Stewards may thus decide that, if they deem the time loss to be significant and do not consider it as a "racing incident", a corrected time can be implemented. However, competitors must moreover be able to prove that it was extraordinary circumstances that led to any perceived time loss. The Stewards consider that the above criteria were not met in the

present case.

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.

The Stewards

Yiannis Kantas



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

Name (in block letters):	PAWEL KAJZAR	Date:	10.9.2023
Position within the team:	TEAM CO-ORDINATOR	Time:	18:05

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