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Subject: STEWARDS DECISION No. 5 **Document No:** 2.6

From: The Stewards
To: The Competitor HELLENIC POLICE of Car No. 77
Crew IOANNIS PLAGOS / ALKIVIADIS RENTIS

All Competitors / Crew members

The Stewards, having received a report from the Clerk of the Course with 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 Car No. 77 did not follow the defined roadway as indicated in Road Book box 4 on SS1 (as published in Bulletin 3, Att. 2b)

Offence Breach of Article 19.2 of the 2023 FIA WRC Sporting Regulations

Decision To impose a 20-second time penalty on Competitor HELLENIC POLICE of Car 77 to be applied at TC1A.

Reason The Stewards, having examined video evidence, summoned and heard from the Driver Mr. IOANNIS PLAGOS and Co-Driver Mr. ALKIVIADIS RENTIS of Car 77 in the presence of the Competitor's Team Co-ordinator Ms. EVGENIA VASILEIOU on Friday, 8 September 2023 at 21:05 hrs.

The Driver, Mr. IOANNIS PLAGOS, explained that he was anxious while driving on SS1 (EKO Super Special Stage). It was his first time driving this new car and due to the excitement, he just forgot to do the second loop around the obstacle as required in the Road Book. He acknowledged and apologised for this mistake.

The Stewards conclude that the Crew of Car 77 did not follow the defined roadway and therefore were in clear breach of Article 19.2 of the 2023 FIA WRC Sporting regulations. A time penalty is therefore applied for this infringement.

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.



Mazen Al-Hilli
The Stewards



Tanja Geilhausen



Yiannis Kantas

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

<i>Name (in block letters):</i>	EVGENIA VASILEIOU	<i>Date:</i>	9.9.2023
<i>Position within the team:</i>	TEAM CO-ORDINATOR	<i>Time:</i>	08:45

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