
Date: 10.09.2023 **Time:** 08:50 hrs
Subject: STEWARDS DECISION No. 11 **Document No:** 2.12

From: The Stewards
To: The Competitor MATTEO FONTANA of car No. 79
Crew MATTEO FONTANA / ALESSANDRO ARNABOLDI
All Competitors / crew members

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

Facts Failure by the crew addressed above to activate the OK display on the FIA Safety tracking device within one minute after stopping on SS10 (Pavliani 2) on Saturday, September 9th, 2023 at 15:55 hrs.

Offence Breach of Art. 53.3.3 of the 2023 FIA WRC Sporting Regulations.

Decision Having considered that Mr. MATTEO FONTANA is a non-priority driver, Driver MATTEO FONTANA and Co-driver ALESSANDRO ARNABOLDI shall be jointly and severally liable to pay a **fine of € 250**.

In accordance with Art. 12.8 of the 2023 FIA International Sporting Code, fines shall be paid within 48 hours of their notification. Any delay in making payment may entail Suspension during the period a fine remains unpaid.

Reason The crew was informed accordingly by the Stewards and was given the possibility, if they wished, to bring forward any representations other than having forgotten to activate the OK display within one minute in the heat of the moment.

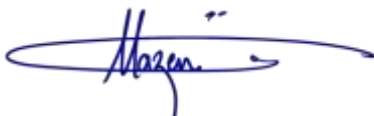
The team representative Mr. Luca MURDOLO appeared in front of the Stewards on September 9th 2023 at 22:25 hrs to make his representations on behalf of the crew. The team representative stated that both crew members confirmed that they did press the "OK" button.

He was shown the detailed report with the relevant extracts from the tracking Log of Car 79.

The data provided by the FIA Safety tracking system showed that Car 79 stopped on the stage at 15:55.51. The "OK" button was pressed at 15:57:28. The reaction time was therefore 00:01.36.

The Stewards conclude that a breach of the above regulations occurred and that the penalty imposed is in line with previous precedents.

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

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

<i>Name (in block letters):</i>	LUCA MURDOLO	<i>Date:</i>	10.9.2023
<i>Position within the team:</i>	TEAM MANAGER	<i>Time:</i>	8.55

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