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OFFICIAL NOTICE BOARD

Official Notice Board

All official documents will be published on the On-line Notice Board on the Rally website www.rally-novagorica.si and in the Sportity app (downloadable for iOS devices on Appstore and for Android devices on Google Play): Password is RNG26.



The graphic features a purple and pink abstract background. In the top left is the Sportity logo, a stylized 'S' in a blue square. To its right is the word 'Sportity' in a white script font. Below this, the text 'For direct event information please download the Sportity app and insert this password:' is written in white. A large white rounded rectangle in the center contains the password 'RNG26' in bold black text. At the bottom left is the website 'www.sportity.com'. At the bottom right, the text 'Sportity app is available in' is followed by two app store logos: 'Available on the App Store' and 'Get it on Google play'. Below each logo is a QR code.

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CONCRETE BLOCKS WHICH WILL PREVENT CUTTING CORNERS

Concrete blocks will be installed at selected locations during the rally to prevent corner cutting. During reconnaissance, the concrete blocks will not be in place; however, their locations will be clearly marked, as shown in the first image below. During the rally, the blocks will be positioned approximately 5 cm from the edge of the road, as illustrated in the second image below.

During reconnaissance



During rally





ACCESS TO THE SERVICE PARK

We would like to inform all competitors and support crews that access to the Service Park is permitted exclusively to vehicles displaying a valid **“Service”** sticker.

Support vehicles displaying any other identification sticker, or without the appropriate identification, will not be permitted to enter the Service Park.

Please ensure strict compliance with the instructions of the Organizer and authorized personnel when entering the Service Park.



CEREMONIAL START

Art. 12.1 Ceremonial start procedures and order

Before the Start there will be a Start Area according to Art. 40.1 of the RRSR
Ceremonial start will take place on Friday September 25th 2026 at Kidričeva ulica in Nova Gorica.
Ceremonial start will be at 18:30 according to starting order for Ceremonial Start. Before the Ceremonial start there will be a Holding area, all cars have to be in Start Area from 17:00 to 17:30.

Crews must wear overalls.

Any crew reporting late to holding area will be penalized as follows:

Up to 10 min	50,00 €
10 – 20 min	100,00 €
Over 20 min	according to the decision of the Stewards

After the ceremonial start crews will go back to service park.



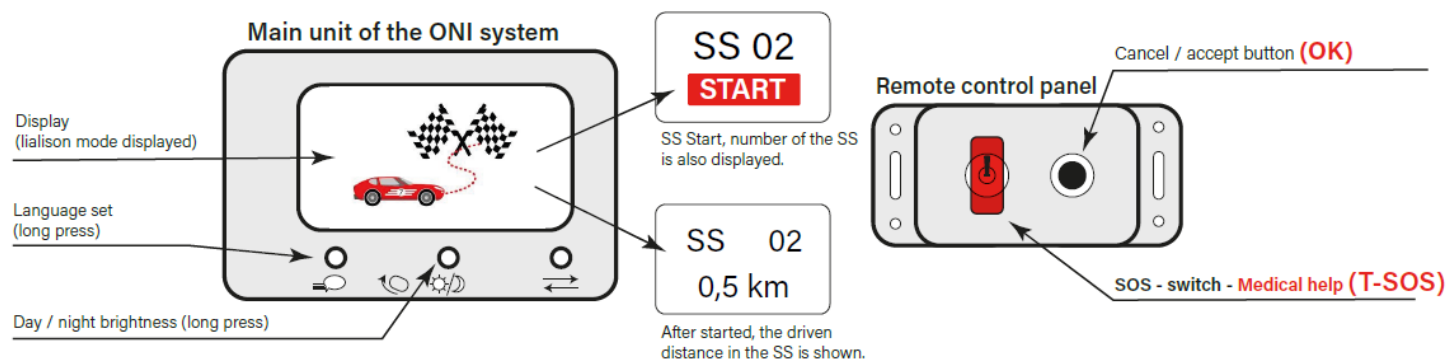
RECCE GPS UNIT

Art. 9.4 Collection of speed control checking devices

GPS unit and timecard for the reconnaissance must be returned:

To the CRO at the ceremonial start of the rally.

REFERENCE USER GUIDE OF THE ONI GPS SYSTEM



Stopped, NOT blocking

Situation:

- Puncture change on SS
- Technical issue
- Retired
- Car slid into ditch...

What to do?

- Press the OK when the car has stopped
- If retired inform the Rally control
- If parked on the side of the road, please use the warning triangle!
- Use the paper green OK sign if the car is damaged and visible from the SS track.

Other crews see on the GPS:

- No information is displayed on the GPS unit to the approaching crews.

Stopped, BLOCKING

Situation:

- Completely blocked road
- Car stopped in a very dangerous place (tech. issue, repair...)

What to do?

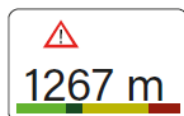
- Do NOT press OK after stopping
- Try to push the car away
- Call Rally control
- Unit is displaying, after 30 sec:

ARE YOU
OK?

- Keep displayed, OK button should be pressed once the track is clear or you continue driving.

Other crews see:

- The Unit in the approaching car is displaying, with one beep:



Accident

Situation:

- Accident automatically recorded by ONI unit:



What to do?

- Medical help needed: Use T-SOS switch, see next point
- Crew and SS track OK: Press OK
- Track blocked: Do NOT press OK

Other crews see:

- The Unit in the approaching car is displaying, with constant beep



- Should the crashed crew press the OK, warning disappears.

SOS - Medical help

Situation:

- Accident - ambulance needed
- Calling help for other crew after arriving to crash scene
- Calling help for spectators...

What to do?

- Use the T-SOS Switch
- Call Rally control if possible
- Unit will display:

THE UNIT
ANNOUNCED
SOS

Other crews see:

- The Unit in the approaching car is displaying, with constant beep



Red flag

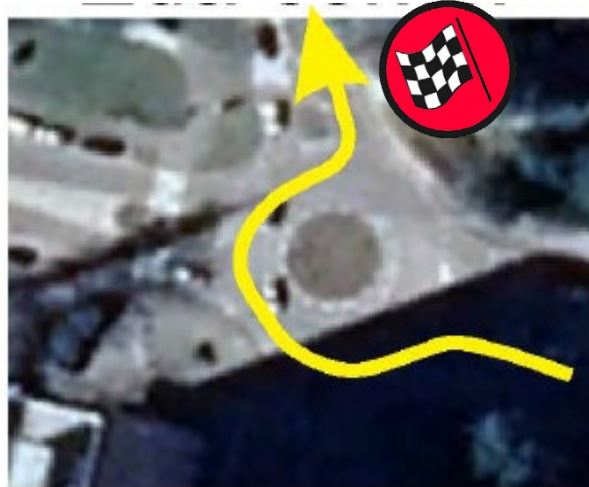
Situation:

- Red flag issued by the Rally controls. Unit displays, together with continuous beeping signal:



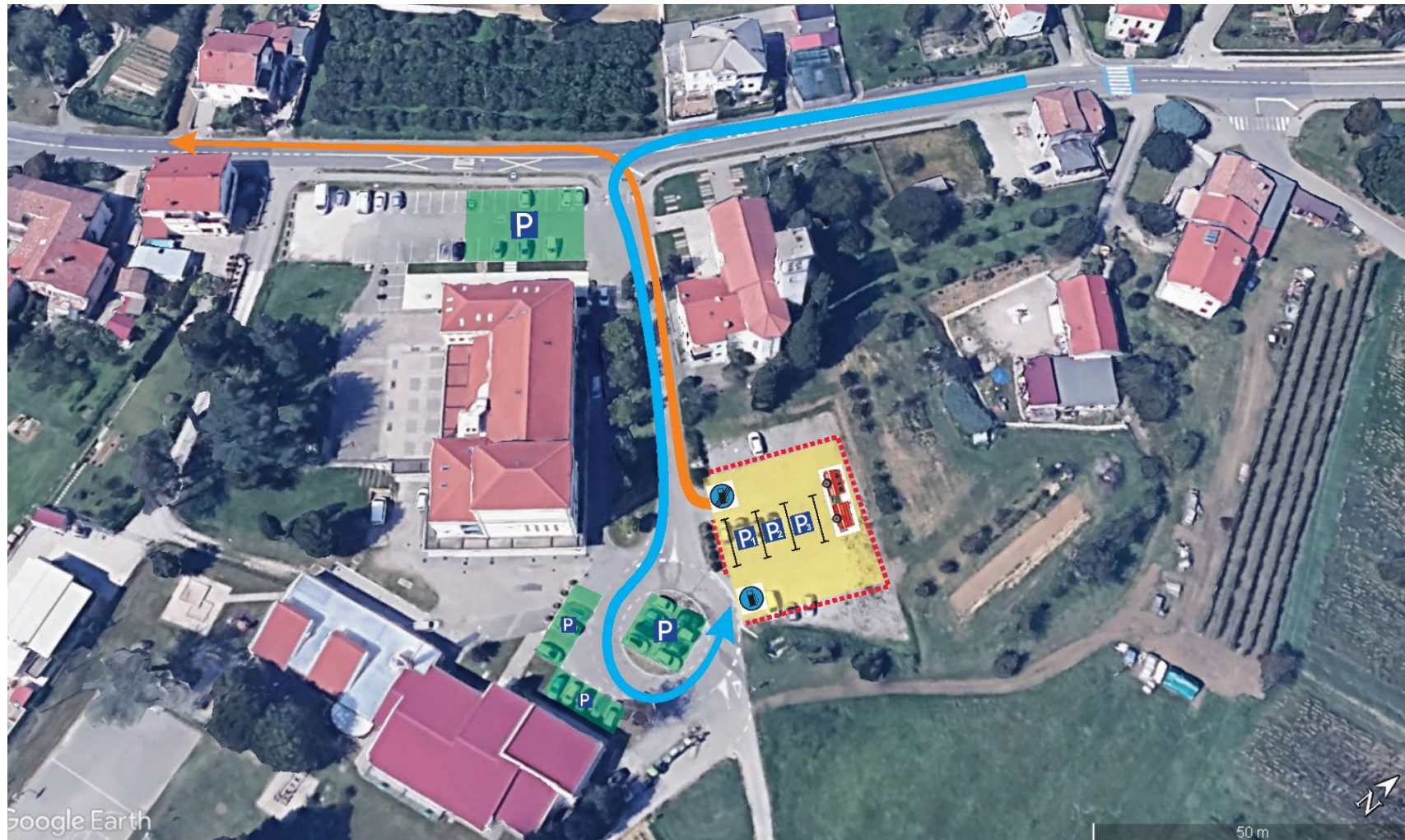
What to do?

- You are obliged to accept the flag by pressing OK, that mutes the sound alarm as well.
- Driver is obliged to decrease the speed immediately and safely continue in direction to the SS finish and/or following Marshals instructions should the road be blocked.
- Notional time is given



The Finish of the SuperSpecial Stage 7 – Nova Gorica is on the exit of the roundabout.
Therefore is no need to accelerate out of the roundabout.

REMOTEREFUEL



Remote refuel will be on the road section between SS 9/12 and SS 10/13.
GPS coordinates: N 45°53'57.9" E 13°40'11.3"



INCIDENT ON A SPECIAL STAGE

In the case of an accident where urgent medical attention is required, the following applies:

- The SOS switch on the emergency console (Tracking System) must be activated as soon as possible (if applicable)
- When possible, the red “SOS” sign should immediately be displayed to the following cars and to any helicopter attempting to assist.
- As soon as possible, the red reflective triangle must be placed in a conspicuous position on the same side of the road as the car at least 50 metres before the car’s position, in order to warn following drivers, even if the car is off the road.

Any crew which has the red “SOS” sign displayed to them will be allocated a time according to Art. 52.

In the case of an accident where immediate medical intervention is not required or of a car stopping for any other reason on or beside a special stage, whether temporarily or permanently, the following applies:

- The OK switch on the emergency console must be activated within one minute (if applicable).
- The green “OK” sign must immediately be displayed to the following cars and to any helicopter attempting to assist. If the crew leaves the vehicle, the “OK” sign must be displayed so that it is clearly visible to all following crews.
- The red triangle must be placed in a conspicuous position on the same side of the road as the car by a member of the crew at least 50 metres before the car’s position, in order to warn following drivers, even if the car is off the road.

Any crew which is able but fails to comply with the above rules will be reported by the Clerk of the Course to the Stewards.



INCIDENT ON A SPECIAL STAGE

Any crew which has the red “SOS” sign displayed to them, **or which sees a car which has suffered an accident, and the OK sign is not shown, shall immediately and without exception stop to render assistance.** All following cars shall also stop. The second car at the scene shall proceed to inform the next radio point. Subsequent cars shall leave a clear route for emergency vehicles. All crews stopped by this procedure will be allocated a time according to Art. 52.

QUESTIONS

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