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SUPPLEMENTARI REGULATIONS

1/ Art. 1.2 - Length of Selective Sections (update)

Stage 1: ~~258,94~~ 251,15 km

Stage 2: ~~239,43~~ 224,96 km

Overall length: ~~498,37~~ 476,03 km

2/ Art. 1.1.3 - Overall numbers and total distance of the itinerary (update)

Number of stages: 2

Number of Sections: 3

Number of Selective Sections: 3

Total distance of the itinerary: ~~844,58~~ 846,46 km

3/ Art. 2.2 - Visa numbers – FIM and ASN (update)

FIM IMN: 814/02

ASN registration number: ~~tbc~~

4/ Art. 2.6 - FIM Stewards (update)

FIM Technical Director	Izak SANTEJ
FIM Environmental Steward	Mohamed Osman Sulta Zaher Al Muraikhi

5/ Art. 2.7 - Senior officials (update)

Baja Director	Pedro Almeida
Baja Assistant Director	Rashid Al-Sulaiti
Clerk of the Course	Virginia Gomez
Secretary of the Event	Angelene Lapuz
Chief Safety Officer	Dexter Celemen
Deputy Chief Safety Officer	Zia Rehman
Chief Scrutineer	Stanley da Silva
Chief Medical Officer (CMO)	Dr. Amr Aboulwafa
Chief Timekeeper	Wolfgang Schindale (Sporttraxx)
Competitors Relations Officer	George Dennison
Media Relations Officer	Neil Perkins
Local Media Relations Officer	Mansour Chebly
Service Park Coordinator	Pierre Arries
Responsible ANUBE	TBA Carlos Figueroa Fernandez

6/ Art.3 - PROGRAMME (update)

Wednesday, 15 March		
08.00/20.00h	Baja Office opens	LCSC / Karting Academy Lusail Sports Complex
From 14.00 08.00h	Administrative checks (1) Collection of material and documents Collection of safety tracking systems / NAVGPS	
From 15.00 14.00h	Preliminary Technical Control, sealing & marking of components (1)	
14.00/18.00h	Opening of media centre and media accreditation	
18.00h	Pre-Baja Press Conference	
19.00h	Driver's briefing	Digital ONB
Thursday, 16 March		
07.00/18.30h	Baja Office opens	LCSC / Karting Academy Lusail Sports Complex
08.00/13.00 From 07.30h	Reconnaissance of the Prologue (1)	
08.00/17.00h	Opening of media centre and media accreditation	LCSC / Karting Academy Lusail Sports Complex
11.00h	Publication of start list for Stage 1 / Section 1 Publication of start list for Ceremonial Start	Digital ONB
13.15/13.45h	Motorcycles & quads enter pre-start holding area	LCSC / Karting Academy Lusail Sports Complex
14.15 14.00h	Start of the Baja (TC0)	LCSC / Karting Academy Lusail Sports Complex
14.40h	Start of the Prologue	
15.15h	Finish of Section 1 (estimated time 1 st bike)	LCSC / Karting Academy Lusail Sports Complex
16.00h	Publication of the provisional classification of the Prologue	Digital ONB
18.00/18.30h	Vehicles enter Ceremonial Start holding area	Losail Boulevard
19.00 18.45h	Choice of start positions (10 first of the Prologue)	
19.30 19.20h	Ceremonial Start	
20.30h	Publication of start list for Stage 1 / Section 2	Digital ONB
Friday, 17 March		
06.30/19.00h	Baja Office opens	LCSC / Karting Academy Lusail Sports Complex
06.30/07.00h	Motorcycles & quads enter pre-start holding area	
07.00/19.00h	Opening of media centre	
07.45 07.35h	Start of Stage 1 / Section 2 (
16.20h	Finish of Stage 1 (estimated time of 1 st bike)	
17.00 17.30h	Publication of the start list for Stage 2	Digital ONB
Saturday, 18 March		
06.30/20.00h	Baja Office opens	LCSC / Karting Academy Lusail Sports Complex
07.00/19.00h	Opening of media centre	
07.00h	Start of Stage 2	
13.41 12.50h	Finish of Stage 2 (estimated time of 1 st bike)	
After TC3	Final scrutineering	
15.30h	Publication of Final Provisional Classification	Digital ONB
(2)	Publication of Final Classification	
18.30 19.00h	Post-Baja Press Conference	Lusail Boulevard
19.00 19.30h	Podium Ceremony / Prize-giving	

(1) Detailed schedule to be published in a bulletin.

(2) After the Jury have declared the classification final

7/ Art.8.2 - Commercial filling stations along the road sections (update)

Section	Road Section	Road book	Type of fuel	Remarks
2	TC1B > TC2	Km 38,44 38,31	95 / 91 / Diesel	Road Section
	TC1B > TC2	Km 62,84 62,70	95 / Diesel	
	ASS2B > DSS2C	Km 5,12 122,15	95 / Diesel	Selective Section
	ASS2C > TC2A	Km 14,40 14,35	95 / 91 / Diesel	Road Section
3	TC2D > TC3	Km 38,44 38,31	95 / 91 / Diesel	Road Section
	TC2D > TC3	Km 62,84 62,70	95 / Diesel	
	SS3 > TC3A	Km 25,09	95 / 91 / Diesel	

8/ Art.8.3 - Remote refuelling zones (update)

3	ASS3C > DSS3D	Km 111,38	Competitor supply	Transfer Zone
4 3	SS3 > TC3A	Km 1,77	Competitor supply	Road Section

9/ Art.9.1 - Timetable (to be added)

Wednesday, 15 of March

See appendix 10

10/ Art.10.1 – Preliminary Technical Control venue and timetable (to be added)

Wednesday, 15 of March

See appendix 10

11/ Art.10.5 – On-Board Camera (to be added)

The competitor who wishes to carry an on-board camera in his vehicle must have the prior agreement of the Organiser and supply the following information: competitor's name, moto/quad number, competitor's address, use of footage and model name of the device(s) used. The Organiser will supply a sticker «REQUESTED» to identify each authorised camera.

All camera positions and mountings used must be shown and approved during scrutineering before the start of the competition. The approved cameras will be identified with an additional sticker «APPROVED».

12/ Art.11.2 - Pre-start areas (update)

The Organiser will assemble the competing vehicles in a starting area, into which each vehicle must be driven – by one of the drivers or a team representative – ~~no later than 30 minutes before its due start time:~~

- On Thursday, 15 ~~February~~ **March**, before TC0 (start of Stage 1 / Section 1) **from 13:15 to 13:45**
- On Friday, 16 ~~February~~ **March**, before TC1B (start of Stage 1 / Section 2) **from 13:15 to 13:45**

The penalty for late arrival at the starting area will be QR 100 per each 5 minute or fraction of lateness.

No service is allowed in the start area.

13/ Art.11.5 - Prologue (update)

As per article 82.13 of 2023 FIM BAJAS World Cup Regulations.

The mandatory itinerary of the Prologue is defined in the Road book by the road direction diagrams and between the road direction diagrams, by the road/track if it exists.

To assist competitors and clear define the limits of the track, the route of the prologue will be marked with a number of QMMF flags – maroon colour on the right side and white colour on the left side of the route – each one associated to a metallic fence.

The dimensions of the fence and the flag as well as the aspect of the set are shown in Appendix 7.

Any touch on a metallic fence and/or the associated flag as well as a deviation from the route limits defined by the flags will be penalised as follows:

- 1st offence: 5 seconds
- 2nd offence: 10 seconds
- 3rd offence: 30 seconds

- Beyond 3 offences: penalty at the discretion of the Jury.

The sets flag/metallic fence will be already in place during reconnaissance.

Each diagram of the road book will correspond to a WPP (Precise Waypoint) with an opening radius of 100 meters and validation radius of 20 meters.

The penalty for each missing waypoint is 2 minutes organization vehicle driven by an organization marshal.
~~During administrative checks, each crew will be given the possibility of choosing a slot of their convenience inside the period mentioned in Art. 3 – Programme.~~

~~Any service on a Bike / Quad once it has started the Prologue is prohibited. All vehicles which participate in the Prologue must immediately and directly be brought to the parc fermé designated by the organiser and remain there until released by the Jury.~~

The meeting point for reconnaissance will be at the start of the Prologue. The route from the Service Park to the Prologue start will be published in Sportity on 16 March by 06.00h.

Prologue reconnaissance slots (Thursday, 16 March):

See appendix 10

14/ Art.11.6 Finish procedures - (update)

Where TC4A appears it should **TC3A**

15/ Art.11.10 – Servicing of vehicles (update)

Location of the Service Park

Lusail Circuit Sports Club / Karting Academy (25° 29.536'N 51° 27.587'E).

Lusail Sports Complex (25° 29.081'N 51° 27.727'E)

Access of service vehicles to the service park

See SR Art. 3.

Timed service areas (maximum time)

After SS2 (TC2A > **TCB2**): 02.00h

16/ Art.11.11 – Any special procedure / Organiser's promotional activities (update)

- 15 March (Wednesday) – 18:00 Pre-Baja Press Conference
- 18 March (Saturday) – ~~18:30~~ **19.00** Post-Baja Press Conference

The exact location of the functions and the list of competitors required to participate will be announced by means of a CoC Communication.

17/ Art.11.12 – Maximum time at the finish of a SS part and finish of selective section (update)

Maximum times at the finish of selective sections

SS1 (Prologue)	10,02 9,08 km	00:30
SS2	248,19 242,07 km	06:00 5:50
SS3	239,43 224,96 km	05:45 5:35

Maximum time at the finish of the 3rd consecutive part of SS3

ASS2C	km 113,68	03:15
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Maximum time at the finish of the 3rd consecutive part of SS3

ASS3C	km 113,68 111,38	03:15
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For each crew, the maximum time at the finish of a selective section or at the finish of a part of a selective section is obtained by adding the respective start time for the selective section and the time mentioned on the right column above, both in **hours:minutes** format.

18/ Art.11.13 – Section Penalties

- any competitor who, having started a Selective Section of a Baja, fails to complete it as required by the regulations, will be given a penalty of the maximum time for the Selective Section concerned in addition to 50% of this maximum time.

- any competitor not having started a selective section will be given a penalty of twice the maximum time for the Selective Section concerned.

Only rider who having received a total number of Section Penalties not exceeding 50% of the total number of sections of the competition can be classified.

To be classified, a rider who is imposed a Section Penalty on the final Leg of the competition must arrive with the vehicle at the final parc fermé one hour before the posting time of the Provisional Classification.

For any competitor who has completed a selective section as required by the regulations (i.e. within the maximum time, with less than 40% of missed waypoints, etc...) the sum of its total time and the penalties for missed waypoints will be limited to the maximum time for the selective section concerned in addition to 50% of this maximum time.

19/ Appendix 1 - Itinerary (update)

Stage 1 / Section 1 (Thursday)						16.03.2023
Sunrise: 05:42						Sunset: 17:43
TC	Location	SS	Liaison	Total	Target	1st car
SS		km	km	km	time	due
RZ 0	Refuel Zone	0,00	0,00	0,00		
	Distance to next refuel	9,08	62,47	71,55		
Pre-Start Area (Art. 11.2 SR)						
0	Lusail Sports Complex		0,00	0,00		14:00
1	TC Prologue		32,08	32,08	00:35	14:35
DSS P	Prologue				(00:05)	14:40
ASS P		9,08		expected time of arrival		(15:45)
1A*	Service IN		30,39	30,39	00:45	(16:15)
Service A (Lusail Sports Complex)						
RZ 1	Refuel	9,08	62,47	71,55		
	Distance to next refuel	242,07	144,85	386,92		
Holding Area (Art. 11.3 SR)						
Ceremonial Start - Losail Boulevard						19:20
THURSDAY TOTALS		9,08	62,47	71,55		
		12,69%	87,31%	100,00%		

* Early check-in permitted

Section 1 - Prologue

Stage 1 / Section 2 (Friday)						17.03.2023
Sunrise: 05:41			Sunset: 17:43			
TC	Location	SS	Liaison	Total	Target	1st car
SS		km	km	km	time	due
Pre-Start Area (Art. 11.2 SR)						
1B	Lusail Sports Complex		0,00	0,00		07:35
2			66,81	66,81	01:20	08:55
DSS2A	SS2A				(00:15)	09:10
ASS2A		46,05			expected time of arrival	(09:37)
Transfer Zone						
DSS2B	SS2B		0,47		00:03	
ASS2B		70,53			expected time of arrival	(10:20)
Transfer Zone						
DSS2C	SS2C		7,73		00:30	
ASS2C		117,29			expected time of arrival	(11:58)
2A*	Service IN		78,04	78,04	01:40	(13:15)
Service B (Lusail Sports Complex)						
2B*	Service OUT - Refuelling IN				02:00	(15:25)
RZ 2	Refuel	242,07	144,85	386,92		
	Distance to next refuel	111,38	69,86	181,24		
2C*	Refuelling OUT - Parc Fermé IN				00:30	(15:55)
FRIDAY TOTALS						
		242,07	144,85	386,92		
		62,56%	37,44%	100,00%		

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Stage 2 (Saturday) **18.03.2023**

Sunrise: 05:40 Sunset: 17:44

TC SS	Location	SS km	Liaison km	Total km	Target time	1st car due
2D	Lusail Sports Complex - PF OUT		0,0	0,0		07:00
3			69,86	69,86	01:30	08:30
DSS3A	SS3A				(00:15)	08:45
ASS3A		33,73		expected time of arrival		(11:05)
Transfer Zone						
DSS3B	SS3B		1,78		00:05	
ASS3B		28,51		expected time of arrival		(11:27)
Transfer Zone						
DSS3C	SS3C		4,05		00:06	
ASS3C		43,23		expected time of arrival		(11:59)
Transfer Zone						
			0,08			
RZ 3	Remote refuel	111,38	69,86	181,24		
	Distance to next refuel	113,58	71,63	185,21		
DSS3D	SS3D		0,38		00:20	
ASS3D		113,20		expected time of arrival		(13:45)
			1,77			
RZ 4	Remote refuel (T3/T4 only)	113,58	71,63	185,21		
	Distance to next refuel	0,00	91,48	91,48		
3A*	Lusail Sports Complex - PF IN		93,25	93,25	01:45	(15:00)
SATURDAY TOTALS		224,88	163,11	387,99		
		57,96%	42,04%	100,00%		

Section 3

TOTALS OF THE BAJA				
	SS	Liaison	Total	%
Thursday - 1 SS	9,08	62,47	71,55	12,69%
Friday - 1 SS	242,07	144,85	386,92	62,56%
Saturday - 1 SS	224,88	163,11	387,99	57,96%
Total - 3 SS	476,03	370,43	846,46	56,24%

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20/ Appendix 2 – Names and photographs of CROs and their schedules (update)



George Dennison
Phone number (974) 33525426
Schedule:

Wed, 15/03	08:00 / 19:00	Administrative checks
Thu, 16/03	07:30 / 13:30	Prologue Reconnaissance
	14:00 / 15:30	TC1 Prologue
	16:00 / 18:00	Rally HQ
	18:30 / 20:30	Ceremonial Start
Fri, 17/03	06:30 / 07:30	Bivouac
	07:30 / 18:30	Rally HQ
Sat, 18/03	08:00 / 10:00	TC3
	11:00 / 16:00	Rally HQ
	18:30 / 20:00	Prize Giving Ceremony



FIM CHECKS SCHEDULE

No.	Rider	Administrative Checks Convocation Time 15/03/2023	Scrutineering Convocation Time 15/03/2023	Prologue Recee Shuttle / Time 16/03/2023
1	AL BALOOSHI Mohammed	14:10	15:45	D / 11:10
2	CHALMERS Martin Robert	16:40	18:00	C / 08:30
3	MCINNES Alex	17:00	18:15	C / 08:50
4	DABROWSKI Konrad	16:20	18:00	D / 08:30
5	FINN Jonathan	17:20	18:30	D / 09:10
6	ALGHUNEIM Mishal	15:50	17:45	A / 08:30
7	ALALI Hamdan	9:10	15:15	A / 08:10
8	ANDERSON Michael	12:30	14:00	A / 10:30
9	HUNT Brett	11:40	15:00	A / 11:30
10	HOULIHAN Andrew	17:50	19:45	A / 09:10
11	AL KAABI Mohamed	14:40	18:30	B / 08:10
12	AL BALOOSHI Sultan	12:10	14:30	A / 11:10
14	LANJAWI Abdulla	17:10	18:15	D / 08:50
15	AL HAKEEM Ehab	12:00	17:30	B / 10:50
16	HOWE Barry	18:30	20:30	A / 11:50
17	AL SHATTI Abdullah	14:00	15:30	C / 11:10
18	LUCCI Paolo	9:40	16:00	A / 09:50
19	ZACCHETTI Cesare	11:20	17:30	A / 10:50
20	AL SHEEB Abdulrahman	8:50	15:15	B / 08:30
21	WALLACE Robert	14:50	18:45	C / 08:10
22	ALRAHMANI Marwan	12:50	14:45	B / 11:10



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No.	Rider	Administrative Checks Convocation Time 15/03/2023	Scrutineering Convocation Time 15/03/2023	Prologue Rece Shuttle / Time 16/03/2023
23	MARCIC Simon	18:20	20:00	D / 09:30
24	LINES Edward	11:50	14:45	C / 09:30
25	POL Mirjam	12:20	14:30	D / 10:50
26	HAMER Chris	9:20	15:00	B / 09:30
27	MODRZEWSKA Joanna	15:00	19:00	D / 08:10
28	FLOENE Ola	15:10	19:00	A / 07:50
29	CATANESE Francesco	10:20	16:45	D / 10:10
30	KHURAIKET Sarah	16:30	19:15	B / 07:50
31	GEERLING Daniel	9:30	14:15	C / 10:50
32	MISSONI Ottavio	11:00	17:15	C / 09:50
33	MACCHITELLA Fabrizio	10:50	17:00	B / 09:50
34	BERTOLDI Alberto	9:50	16:30	C / 10:10
35	AGLIONI Elio	10:10	16:30	B / 10:10
36	TANGANELLI Enrico	11:10	17:15	D / 09:50
37	PASSONE Luca	16:50	18:45	B / 08:50
38	RUCK Vanessa	11:30	16:00	B / 09:10
39	STOKES Michael	10:00	14:15	A / 10:10
40	AL SHAMSI Mohammed	15:30	19:15	C / 07:50
41	O'KELLY Oran	16:00	17:00	A / 09:30
42	AL SUWAIDI Mansoor	15:40	19:30	D / 07:50
43	ALJAHOUHI Hamdan	16:10	19:30	A / 07:30
44	FAVRE Henry	10:30	16:15	C / 10:30



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No.	Rider	Administrative Checks Convocation Time 15/03/2023	Scrutineering Convocation Time 15/03/2023	Prologue Recee Shuttle / Time 16/03/2023
45	IACOVELLI Alessandro	10:40	16:15	D / 10:30
46	SEATON Andrew	14:30	15:45	C / 09:10
47	ANDERSON Jaco	12:40	14:00	B / 10:30
48	FARHAN Salman	15:20	17:45	B / 11:30
72	AL NAIMI Mahanna Rashid	17:30	19:45	B / 07:30
77	AL THANI Sheikh Mohamed	9:00	16:45	A / 08:50
88	AZADI Yaghoob Youssef	17:40	20:00	C / 07:30
101	AHLI Abdulaziz	18:00	20:15	D / 07:30
102	ALNOUMESI Hani	18:10	20:15	C / 11:30
104	DOM Arnoud	14:20	15:30	B / 11:50
111	ALTUWAYJIRI Haitham	18:40	20:30	D / 11:30