



STAGE FLASH

Date: Saturday, 18 May 2007

Leg: 2

Special Stage: Monte Lerno

Weather: Sun, warm

Road conditions: Stage surface still slippery with some drills. Much more spectators than this morning especially in the nearby of the start and of the finish line of the stage.

Flash No: 11

Distance: Km. 29,310

Car n. 8. Chris Atkinson / Stephane Prevot

"Better than this morning".

Car n. 9. Jari Matti Latvala / Miikka Anttila

"The stage has been faster than this morning . I have punctured the front right but the mousse has worked well".

Car n. 12. Federico Villagra / Jorge Perez Companc

No comment.

Car n. 26. Juho Hanninen / Mikko Markkula

No comment .

Car n. 5. Manfred Stohl / Ilka Minor

"Everything is ok, I' ve driven well. I have punctured the front right but the mousse has worked well".

Car n. 21. Toni Gardemeister / Jakke Honkanen

"I've tried to push but time has not so good as I hoped. It's life . . ."

Car n. 7. Petter Solberg / Phil Mills

"It is very difficult to make better than this".

Car n. 2. Dani Sordo / Marc Marti

At the arrival two rocks were into the tyre but the mousse has worked well".

Car n. 10. Henning Solberg / Cato Menkerud

No comment

Car n. 4. Mikko Hirvonen / Jarmo Lehtinen
"It is not easy to reach Gronholm. The car is ok".

Car n. 3. Marcus Gronholm / Timo Rautianen
"Against Loeb game is not over. I'll continue to push even tomorrow".

Car n.1. Sebastien Loeb / Daniel Elena
"I may not slow, Gronholm continue to push and I must do the same".

Car n. 32. Urmo Aava / Kuldar Sikk
"We continue to fight against punctures"

Car n. 35. Martin Prokop / Jan Tomanek
"Still brakes' and punctures' problems".

Car n. 31. Patrik Sandell / Emil Axelsson
"We are working well with the team, we are on a good way"

Car n. 47. Aaron Burkart / Michael Koelbach
"we have found many rocks on the way, it is difficult to drive due to the presence of many drills created by the WRC passages"

Car n. 36. Jan Mölder / Katrin Becker
"An other punture has penalised us, It is very difficult to drive with a so warm weather"

Car n. 40. Stefano Benoni / Enrico Cantoni
"We have mechanical problems, we are trying to reach the Service Park".

Car n. 94 . Simone Campedelli / Danilo Fappani
"I have punctured at the beginning of the stage and I've lost 2' in order to change the tyre."

Car n. 79. Giovanni Manfrinato / Carlo Pisano
"I have transmission problems, let's see what is possible to do at the service park "

Car n. 71. Bruno Bentivogli/ Andrea Checchi
"We are doing our best in order to avoid the several holes on the way"

Car n. 90. Pierlorenzo Zanchi / Dario D'Esposito
We had problems with the hearings for the first 10 km, we have driven with no notes"