



SERVICE FLASH

Date: Friday, 18 May 2007

Flash No: 2

Leg: 1

Service: B

Car n.1. Sebastien Loeb

"I've got some difficulties on the first lap, because I had to start as first. From the PS4 I've closed the gap, doing my best. The race is not at the end, anyway. Gronholm is close. Tomorrow I will attack to consolidate my leadership".

Car n. 3. Marcus Gronholm

"My race got complicated from PS 5: my front left damper has been damaged touching a big stone, and I lost a lot of oil. I finished the stage with a lot of difficulties. I'm happy to get to the end of the stage. Tomorrow I have to do my best".

Car n. 4. Mikko Hirvonen

A positive day. Everything was ok. I attacked, and the Focus was ok".

Car n. 2. Dani Sordo

"I've lost many time, because I was starting from the firsts position. I've closed the gap".

Car n. 7. Petter Solberg

"I tried to push, but I've lost a lot of time because of some brake problems. Tomorrow I will try to go faster".

Car n. 10. Henning Solberg

"Today has been my best day driving on gravel road! Except the first special stage, where I've found some difficulties because of some stones on the road, everything was ok. Tomorrow I will do my best".

Car n. 5. Manfred Stohl

"The car have some problems that we couldn't fix. We hope to repair it in the Service Park, in order to run faster, tomorrow".

Car n. 12. Federico Villagra

"A positive day. I'm learning to drive the Focus WRC, my new car. I'm worried for the withdraw of my team-mate Luis Perez Companc, he had to stop because of breaking of the alternator".