



## FLASH – SPECIAL STAGE no. 15

Date: **Sunday 18th May**

Flash N.: **15**

Day: **3**

Special Stage: **15 – Monte Olia**

Length: **19,28 km**

Meteo: **Sunny**

Surface Conditions:

**The surface is quite dry (25° on ground; +10° than this morning), ruts. Many spectators, more than this morning, well located.**

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1 Sébastien LOEB F / Daniel ELENA MC

CITRÖEN C4 WRC - CITRÖEN TOTAL WRT

“First km were ok going on I have had some problems. Next stage will be fundamental”.

4 Jari-Matti LATVALA FIN / Miikka ANTTILA FIN

FORD Focus RS WRC - BP FORD ABU DHABI WRT

“The second passage was better, everything is ok”.

3 Mikko HIRVONEN FIN / Jarmo LEHTINEN FIN

FORD Focus RS WRC - BP FORD ABU DHABI WRT

“It is ok and I’m closer to Loeb. Race is still not finished”.

7 Gigi GALLI I / Giovanni BERNACCHINI I

FORD Focus RS WRC - STOBART VK M-SPORT

“I jave pushed to keep advantage on Sordo, Car is ok”.

2 Dani SORDO E / Marc MARTI E

CITRÖEN C4 WRC - CITRÖEN TOTAL WRT

“I could not do better than Galli. We had the sasme rhythm in the first part but it was too hard for me”.

6 Chris ATKINSON AUS / Stephane PREVOT B

SUBARU Impreza WRC - SUBARU WORLD RALLY TEAM

“no-comment”.

10 Henning SOLBERG N / Cato MENKERUD N

FORD Focus RS WRC - MUNCHI'S FORD WRT

“This morning for me it has been a pleasure”.

16 Urmo AAVA EE / Kuldar SIKK EE

CITRÖEN C4 WRC - WORLD RALLY TEAM ESTONIA

“I’m not able to keep Henning Solberg’s rhythm so I just want to keep my position”.

12 Per-Gunnar ANDERSSON S / Jonas ANDERSSON S  
SUZUKI SX4 WRC - SUZUKI WRT  
"Everything is ok".

5 Petter SOLBERG N / Philip MILLS GB  
SUBARU Impreza WRC - SUBARU WORLD RALLY TEAM  
"Too many problem with the car, I just want to finish".

8 Matthew WILSON GB / Scott MARTIN GB  
FORD Focus RS WRC - STOBART VK M-SPORT  
"I have change the bumpers for the second passage. It is the third solution we tried since yesterday and it seems to work".

19 Mads OSTBERG N / Ole Kristian UNNERUD N  
SUBARU Impreza WRC - ADAPTA  
"I still have gear's problem. The race is over".

9 Federico VILLAGRA RA / Jorge PEREZ COMPANC RA  
FORD Focus RS WRC - MUNCHI'S FORD WRT  
"It is warmer and dryer, I have a better feeling".

15 Conrad RAUTENBACH ZW / David SENIOR GB  
CITRÖEN C4 WRC  
"I have hit a stone. I was scared to go out but everything is ok".

14 Khalid AL QASSIMI UAE / Michael ORR GB  
FORD Focus RS WRC - BP FORD ABU DHABI WRT  
"This second passage was better, more grip".

35 Michal KOSCIUSZKO PL / Maciek SZCZEPANIAK PL  
SUZUKI Swift S1600  
"I have driven fastest I could".

31 Martin PROKOP CZ / Jan TOMANEK CZ  
CITRÖEN C2 S1600  
"I have lost three seconds. I have hit a stone but no damages".

48 Alessandro BETTEGA I / Simone SCATTOLIN I  
RENAULT Clio R3 - TRT SRL  
"I keep my position, without risks, the podium is important".

#### **NOTE**

11 Toni GARDEMEISTER FIN / Tomi TUOMINEN FIN  
SUZUKI SX4 WRC - SUZUKI WRT  
He was not present at the TC 15 .