

**Date** : 28<sup>th</sup> July 2017

**Time** : 22.40 hrs

**Subject** : STEWARDS DECISION NO : 5

**Document No:** 2.6

**From** : The Stewards

**To** : The Competitor of car No. 76 JARI KIHLMAN  
Crew JARI KIHLMAN / TOMI IKONEN

The Stewards received a report from the FIA Technical Delegate with pictures included on car No. 76 stating as follows.

Car n°76 (HYUNDAI I20 R5)

Tyre marking zone located after TC0: No spare wheel was fitted in car n°76 (see form below)

Technical zone located after TC1A: No spare wheel was fitted in car n°76 (see form below)

Article 261 from Appendix J:

801-a1

“ ...

At least one spare wheel is compulsory.

However if there are any, they must be securely fixed, and not installed in the space reserved for the occupants of the vehicle. No exterior modification of the bodywork must result from this installation.”

The Stewards then summoned and heard the driver of car No. 76 on 28<sup>th</sup> July 2017 at 22.30 hrs.

During the hearing, the driver stated that they are a “brand-new” team. This was their first rally they were competing in a R5 rally car and they simply were not aware that they were obliged to carry a spare wheel on board the car.

He apologized for this lapse.

The Stewards requested and received confirmation from the FIA Technical Delegate that the weight of the car was in compliance with the Regulations.

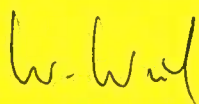
The Stewards furthermore noted that the Section during which the spare wheel was missing included only one special stage of 2.31 km.

Under the above circumstances and after due deliberation, the Stewards conclude that an infringement of Article 261-a1 of the Appendix J to the 2017 FIA International Sporting Code has nevertheless been committed and

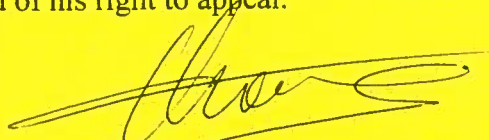
### DECIDE

To impose a **Fine of € 200** onto the Competitor of car No. 76 JARI KIHLMAN for this breach of the Regulations.

The Competitor is reminded of his right to appeal.



**Waltraud Wunsch**  
Chairperson - Stewards



**Christian Tornatore**



**Heikki Poranen**

**RE: STEWARDS DECISION No. 5 NESTE RALLY FINLAND 2017**

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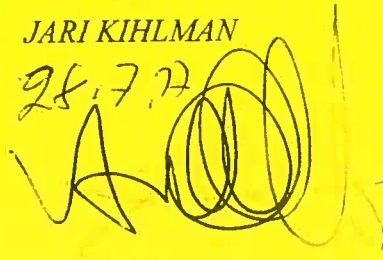
**Competitor :** JARI KIHLMAN

**Car No :** 76

**Date :** 28.7.17

**Time :** 23.16

**Signature :**



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