**STAGE FLASH**

**Date: 24 April 2021**

**Day: 3 Flash N°: 15**

**Special stage: SS14 Stojdraga - Gornja Vas 2 Distance: 20.77 km**

**Weather: Bright blue skies, 20 degrees**

**Road conditions: Dry, largely clean but gravel dragged onto road in some sections**

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**Car #18. TAKAMOTO KATSUTA/DANIEL BARRITT**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 12m36.1s.

**Car #7. PIERRE-LOUIS LOUBET/VINCENT LANDAIS**

No quote available. Off the road at 16.7 kilometres. Onboard camera footage showed their car jinking to the right shortly after a high-speed left-hander and into a ditch. Crew uninjured.

**Car #44. GUS GREENSMITH/CHRIS PATTERSON**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 12m49.0s.

**Car #16. ADRIEN FOURMAUX/RENAUD JAMOUL**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 12m44.8s.

**Car #42. CRAIG BREEN/PAUL NAGLE**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 12m46.0s.

**Car #8. OTT TÄNAK/MARTIN JÄRVEOJA**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 12m40.2s.

**Car #33. ELFYN EVANS/SCOTT MARTIN**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 12m37.1s.

**Car #1. SÉBASTIEN OGIER/JULIEN INGRASSIA**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 12m38.5s.

**Car #11. THIERRY NEUVILLE/MARTIJN WYDAEGHE**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 12m38.4s.

**Car #24. MADS ØSTBERG/TORSTEIN ERIKSEN**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 13m17.0s.

**Car #21. NIKOLAY GRYAZIN/KONSTANTIN ALEKSANDROV**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 13m13.1s.

**Car #25. TEMMU SUNINEN/MIKO MARKKULA**

No quote available. Completed stage in a time of 13m17.7s.

**COMMENTS**

Takamoto Katsuta/Daniel Barritt made it a Stojdraga – Gornja Vas stage double by outpacing their Toyota team-mates Elfyn Evans/Scott Martin by 1.0s. Sébastien Ogier/Julien Ingrassia were fourth fastest in another Toyota, 2.4s down on Katsuta/Barritt. Their overall lead to Evans/Martin has been trimmed to 5.5s. Thierry Neuville/Martijn Wydaeghe were third quickest in their Hyundai and are now 9.4s behind Ogier/Ingrassia and 3.9s adrift of Evans/Martin. Pierre-Louis Loubet/Vincent Landais went off the road at the 16.7-kilometre mark. Onboard camera footage showed their Hyundai jinking to the right shortly after a high-speed left-hander and into a ditch.