



## STAGE FLASH

<b>Date:</b>	<b>2018-02-16</b>	<b>Flash No:</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Day:</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Distance:</b>	<b>24,88 km</b>
<b>Special Stage:</b>	<b>SS 3 Svullrya 1</b>		
<b>Weather:</b>	<b>Overcast. -2° C</b>		
<b>Road Conditions:</b>	<b>Ice/snow</b>		

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**1 - Sebastien OGIER / Julien INGRASSIA**

" Not good. First we stalled on the start line, then there is more fresh snow on the line here than the first one."

**2 - Ott TANAK / Martin JARVEOJA**

" A lot worse than the previous one. A lot of loose snow on the top. Very tough."

**3 - Jari-Matti LATVALA / Miikka ANTTILA**

" Getting better. The first stage was difficult and now I've started to get the rhythm."

**4 - Kris MEEKE / Paul NAGLE**

" Just driving my rally, I can see the lines in the road ahead, but I just don't have the confidence."

**5 - Thierry NEUVILLE / Nicolas GILSOUL**

" I enjoyed every moment. I think the time is good."

**6 - Elfyn EVANS / Daniel BARRITT**

" Struggling to determine where the grip is."

**7 - Esapekka LAPPI / Janne FERM**

" A much better stage."

**8 - Andreas MIKKELSEN / Anders JAEGER-SYNNEVAAG**

" It was okay, you can push hard and gain time if you are prepared to take risks. There's a long way to go, so I'm happy with my drive."

**9 - Craig BREEN / Scott MARTIN**

" Trying to keep it really clean and tidy and neat. No mistakes. We're in the ballpark. We keep fighting."

**10 - Teemu SUNINEN / Mikko MARKKULA**

" It was okay. A lot of grip. Better, but everyone is improving."

**11 - Hayden PADDON / Sebastian MARSHALL**

" It's the same as the first one, you have to keep in the line, and I'm struggling to get the front end in. We will make some set-up changes to help the confidence."



**12 - Mads ØSTBERG / Torstein ERIKSEN**

" Quite tricky, not a lot of grip. I struggled with braking and traction. I was fighting in there in a few places because it was difficult to stop for the corners."

**13 - Henning SOLBERG / Cato MENKERUD**

" I lost time in the end there, the car just started sliding, that's how it is. We'll have a look in service."

**14 - Yazeed AL RAJHI / Michael ORR**

" Everything works okay, need to build up experience, having fun in the snow."

**15 - Pontus TIDEMAND / Jonas ANDERSSON**

" An okay rhythm, but not perfect. It's been a long time since our last rally in GB. We improve a bit here, we'll keep going."

**16 - Ole Christian VEIBY / Stig Rune SKJÆRMOEN**

" Not easy out there but it's going good. I'm trying to get a rhythm now."

**17 - Lukasz PIENIAZEK / Przemyslaw MAZUR**

" One big moment where we almost went off."

**COMMENTS**

Lots of new snow on the road