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**Stage 4 Stamproy - Weert 31 August 2018**

**Communiqué from the Commissaires**

Art. 12.1.040/25. Breach of regulations concerning vehicle movements during the race

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**Stage 5 Sittard - Sittard 1 September 2018**

**1. Signing Attendance List**

Signing of the attendance list will take place near the start, Europaboulevard in Sittard, from 11:00 until 11:45.

**2. Start**

The unofficial start is at Europaboulevard in Sittard at 12:00.  
The official start will take place after a neutral zone of 8.4 km.  
The distance is 154.8 km (= 2.8 km + 3 laps of 48.6 km + 6.2 km)

**3. Course change**

There will be a change in the course. We will not pass Watersley, and consequently, the 2 (boni) sprints at Watersley are cancelled. At km 2.8 we keep following road N276 until km 6.5 in the road book. The total length of the course will be 3 x 1.2 km = 3.6 km shorter than originally planned, and will be 154.8 km.

**4. Intermediate Sprints**

Mountain Sprint	at 34.8 km	Snijdersberg (1 <sup>st</sup> lap)
Mountain Sprint	at 40.5 km	Adsteeg (1 <sup>st</sup> lap)
Mountain Sprint	at 84.6 km	Snijdersberg (2 <sup>nd</sup> lap)
Mountain Sprint	at 90.3 km	Adsteeg (2 <sup>nd</sup> lap)
Mountain Sprint	at 134.4 km	Snijdersberg (3 <sup>rd</sup> lap)
Mountain Sprint	at 140.1 km	Adsteeg (3 <sup>rd</sup> lap)

Note: the indicated distances are according to the original course in the road book.

**5. Feeding zone**

The feeding zone is situated at Raar, after 75.7 and 125.5 km.

**6. Deviation Team Managers' Cars**

The deviation of the team manager's cars is at 2.5 km before the finish line to the left, near the entrance of the Tom Dumoulin Bike Park.

**7. Contact**

For all questions please report to the permanences of the stages. For urgent matters during the event, the organization (Thijs Rondhuis) can be reached by phone: +31 622 900 131, 24 hours per day.