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WORLDCHAMPIONSHIPRACINGTEAM

San Marino Grand Prix
Misano, Sunday September 5th, 2010

Ongetta Team
Race report

#94 Jonas Folger (40'26"290, 11th)
#87 Luca Marconi (dnf)
5 Alexis Masbou (dnf)

Everything ran smoothly from Friday afternoon to Sunday morning. Then, several things proceeded in the wrong direction on Sunday afternoon, when the light turned to green and the GP took place. Jonas Folger ran a steady race, getting a good 11th place. Alexis Masbou was forced to give up because of a bad physical condition, while Luca Marconi suffered an electrical problem.

Jonas Folger: "We considered two different set-up: a softer one, and a harder. I had a better feeling with the softer, but for the race we opted for the harder one. The race was good, but while I was strong on brakings, the rear was not as good, and I was not competitive in acceleration. This is why we could not achieve a better result".

Luca Marconi: "A bad start, I must say. I was wrong with the clutch. I desperately wanted a good race, here in front of my fellow countryman, but an electric problem put my race to an end with eight laps to go".

Alexis Masbou: "I feel better and better, and the start of the race was quite good - I made up some eight or nine places, and I was glad with my riding. Later on, I began to feel a certain discomfort. I lost places, and did a few mistakes. We had a meeting with the team, before racing, and we agreed on giving up if necessary. We didn't want to take risk, at this stage. I'm really sad because this is a GP on Italian soil, and so many people of my crew are Italians. And they did everything to give me the most suitable bike.

Now, I'm going to rest a couple of days. Without thinking to races or bikes. Then, back to business preparing the GP in Aragon, Spain".

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Fiorenzo Caponera (Team Owner) "This is racing - unpredictable. The good of this sport is that races are scheduled every two weeks, so we will have soon a new track on which prove ourselves".



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