



REPSOL – MONTESA HRC



Spanish Trial Championship
2nd round.

With a new victory, Toni Bou confirms he is in good shape and increases his advantage as leader.

Salou (Tarragona), 25.03.2007. - Toni Bou (Montesa-HRC Cota 4RT) increased his advantage as leader of the Spanish Trial Championship after winning the second scoring event, held this Sunday. The Repsol-Montesa HRC rider again displayed his good shape from the first lap, despite the failure in zone 13, broken by the preceding participant, which impeded him from ending as leader alone. In the second lap, Toni Bou made an impeccable performance, without a single penalty point.



Takahisa Fujinami (Montesa-HRC Cota 4RT) finished third after correcting, in a brilliant second lap, some of the mistakes he made in the previous lap. Dougie Lampkin (Montesa-HRC Cota 4RT) was fifth in this last event before the beginning of the World Outdoor Championship, next Sunday. The Japanese and the British riders are third and fourth respectively in the general classification of the Spanish Championship, a competition they do not intend to continue to the end. Laia Sanz (Montesa-HRC Cota 4RT) finished eighth in the Senior B category.



Toni Bou: *"I'm very satisfied with my second lap. To finish with zero points was fantastic. In the first I made some mistakes and, in addition, I found the zone broken and in those conditions a failure was inevitable. It's clear that we've made a good start in the outdoor de trial season, but even though everything is going well for the imminent start of the World Championship, I want to continue with caution, and above all to continue working on the same lines as now"*.



Takahisa Fujinami: *"In the first event I commented that my starting position possibly influenced my modest result and today has confirmed that I was right. The starting order was in my favour and this time my second lap has been very convincing. I got a podium position and now that the world championship is about to start, it is important to be in leading positions"*.



Dougie Lampkin: *"Although it may seem contradictory in view of my results, I'm quite content with how I felt on the bike. Yes, I know that I got a lot of points for touching the zone tapes but I think that these have not been strictly riding problems. So I'm going to start the world championship with lots of motivation and a good feeling"*.

The Spanish Trial Championship will resume on June 24th with an event held in Pobladora de las Regueras (León). Until then, the first four events of the World Championship will have been held, two of which are double sessions. The championship starts next Sunday April 1st in Mancha Real (Jaén, Spain).

* Standing Port Aventura Trial		* Spanish Open Championship	
1. Toni Bou (Montesa)	8 (8+0)	1. Toni Bou (Montesa)	40 points
2. Adam Raga (Gas Gas)	14 (8+6)	2. Adam Raga (Gas Gas)	34 "
3. Takahisa Fujinami (Montesa)	17 (12+2+3)	3. Takahisa Fujinami (Montesa)	28 "
4. Albert Cabestany (Sherco)	21 (17+4)	4. Dougie Lampkin (Montesa)	26 "
5. Dougie Lampkin (Montesa)	30 (19+11)	5. Albert Cabestany (Sherco)	24 "

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