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Jan Černý and Jan Hloušek, in the points after finishing the Rally Finland

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The Citroën C3 Rally2 driver completed this latest round of the World Rally Championship, a dream come true, doing so for the first time in the WRC's silver category. In both WRC2 Challenger and WRC2, the Tenerife-based driver once again scored points after completing the fast and demanding Finnish route.

After competing a few days earlier in the Rally HYACenter in preparation for the formerly known as "1.000 Lakes," Jan Černý and Jan Hloušek were excited about Rally Finland, which marked their return to the World Rally Championship following their participation in Monte-Carlo and the Islas Canarias.

Driving the same Citroën C3 Rally2 he has used in his recent events, the Tenerife-based driver tried, step by step, to adapt to the special conditions of a route punctuated by jumps at extremely high speeds. After three demanding legs of competition, the Černý-Hloušek pairing finished seventh in WRC2 Challenger and ninth in WRC2, marking a return to the points for the Costa Adeje Tenerife Sur team and Ángel Bello Motorsport, who have already participated in the 2025 World Rally Championship three times.

"It was a dream come true, but not as much as I would have liked," explained Jan Černý at the end of the race. "I tried to improve as the route progressed, but I didn't have the confidence and the speed needed over the weekend. We've gained a lot of experience, and Finland is an incredible set, but I'm not entirely happy," continued the Tenerife-based driver, adding that he was racing "on such a specific surface, where the weather also made everything more complicated. Competing on these stages requires a lot of courage, so we set the goal of reaching the finish line and scoring points again." Černý emphasized that he needs to do "more gravel rallies, fast stages on that surface," a detail that underlines the difficulty of an event like Rally Finland.

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