ROUND 2 QUICK QUOTE July 28, 2023

EMILIANO GRILLO (-9)



Q. Emi, as Doug back here just said, this is some really good golf, and then Colonial earlier, six top-10s, nine top-25s. If I can just kind of get you to replicate what you said over there with how confident and how good you're feeling right now with your game and what's going right?

EMILIANO GRILLO: Yeah, like I said, I'm happy the way I'm playing. I'm riding the wave, trying to get us -- you know, rack up the top-10s, trying to get a second win for the season. Just trying what you always try and just play good golf, hit as many fairways, as many greens and make as many putts. I get tired of saying that, but it's a very simple thing to, you know, to say in a very complicated sport. So I like to keep things simple and it's been great. I tried to enjoy the moment and this is a good moment, so why not.

Q. How are you feeling with your energy and keeping everything up? You're on a long stretch of golf here. To come here and play well after The Open, how you're feeling.

EMILIANO GRILLO: Yeah, just the weather's been a little bit too warm, but besides that it's been OK. Coming from Europe to here, it's easy. When you go over there, it takes at least three days to get used to the time zone. I live on the west coast, so I kind of like when I go back home and you go to bed early and wake up early. It's been the case this week, same.

It's a golf course I like, so I like coming here. I'm trying to do one better than last year, so that's the goal for this week.

Q. Anything in particular about this course or this setup that you enjoy?

EMILIANO GRILLO: I don't know. I can see the breaks, the golf course suits my eye. I don't know exactly what it is, but two seconds out here, that kind of tells you that I've been -- I like playing out here. Like I say, hopefully one better.

Q. Looking forward to that late tee time tomorrow?

EMILIANO GRILLO: Not really.

Q. Just with where you are in the FedExCup standings, you don't really have to worry about whether you're going to make the first round of the Playoffs, but do you look at kind of those secondary thresholds, the 50 and the top-30 and where you're at as you try to position yourself well to maybe make the TOUR Championship?

EMILIANO GRILLO: Yeah, I'm definitely -- you know, one of the goals at the beginning of



the year is to make it to Atlanta. So I'm trying to lock up that spot either this week or next week or BMW, I don't care. That's the goal for the year, so working hard for it and until I don't achieve it, I won't stop trying.

Q. Are you going at that play Wyndham next week as well?

EMILIANO GRILLO: No, that's definitely not a place I'm going to go. It's a long season, a long stretch down the end, so it's been a long year so I'm trying to save all the energy I can.

