ROUND 1 QUICK QUOTES March 28, 2024

Texas Children's HOUSTON OPEN

ALEJANDRO TOSTI (-4)

Q. Solid start, 4 under here at the Houston Open. How would you assess what you were able to do well today to get off to a nice position?

ALEJANDRO TOSTI: I drove the ball really good today and for the most part hit the ball in the right places. I think, I was just counting, I had eight birdies and didn't feel like it really. There were a couple good shots, a couple long putts and yeah, not the best finish I wanted. Like I've been struggling to hit certain shots, but hopefully get it right the next couple days.

Q. Was there anything you kind of tweaked or adjusted after last week at Valspar that you feel has helped you today?

ALEJANDRO TOSTI: Yeah, I changed a couple settings in my putting and definitely feels better, but still needs some work to do.

Q. What did you change?

ALEJANDRO TOSTI: Just it's the same putter, just changed the grip.

Q. What made you decide to change that?

ALEJANDRO TOSTI: It was just the feeling that I had. I was wanting something softer in my hands. It feels that way.

Q. How would you assess your season so far as a rookie on Tour?

ALEJANDRO TOSTI: It's been OK. I have not played great. Just making a couple changes in my swing and just trying to get where I want to be. I think little by little I'm putting it together and soon am going to have everything ready.

Q. How does the PGA TOUR kind of level, just from what you've seen being out there, compare to what it was like on the Korn Ferry Tour?

ALEJANDRO TOSTI: You know, it's funny, like we have different fields almost every week. It's not the same as the Korn Ferry where we're playing always the same guys pretty much. Here I feel like some weeks you play with some names and other weeks they're not there. Yeah, it's a little different. Yeah, hopefully from now on just be able to play with the best ones.

Q. Are you excited about like being in this good position or is it just a thing where it's



too early to get any of that emotion about it?

ALEJANDRO TOSTI: Not even thinking, I'm not really happy with the way I finished, the way I played today. Feel like I should be a couple shots better. Just hoping keep going the next couple days.

