



**Q. Can you describe the round?**

**RORY McILROY:** It's not very good. I started off, you know, I needed to get off to a fast start and I didn't. That was really it. I mean you look at what DJ did through sort of the first nine holes, I needed to get off to a start like that. The course got a little trickier over the weekend. Maybe I just didn't quite adjust to that. But all in all, first week back, it's okay. But being two ahead going into the weekend, obviously disappointed with the finish I have.

**Q. You said you exceeded expectations at the halfway point. These last two rounds, how would you describe it, did those exceptions shift?**

**RORY McILROY:** Yeah, these two rounds were the sort of rounds I would have expected the first two days, not the last two, if you know what I mean. I was hoping to sort of improve as the week went on. That was obviously the plan, that's the plan every week. I hit it pretty well every day. I just, as I said, the course changed a little bit as the week went on. I didn't quite adjust to it.