Sony FS5 Settings Card

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Menu Settings

REC/OUT SET:
Rec Set – XAVC HD/1080/24p/50Mbps
Relay Rec/Proxy Rec Mode – OFF

PICTURE PROFILE:
PP6: Cine 2
PP5: Cine 4 (use for low light)

TC/UB SET:
TC/UB Display – TC
TC Preset – 00:00:00:00
UB Preset – 00:00:00:00
TC Run – RUN
TC Make – PRESET
UB Time Rec – OFF

CAMERA/PAINT:
ISO/Gain Sel – ISO
ISO Set:
(Cine 2) H 1250, M 800, L 500
(Cine 4) H 3200, M 1600, L 800
Auto ISO Limit – OFF
WB Preset – MANUAL
WB Outdoor Level – 0
Black Balance – Go ahead and execute
AE Shift – OFF/0EV
Lens Compensation – AUTO
ND Filter – Presets 1/4, 1/16, 1/64
ND/Iris Dial Direction – NORMAL

Zoom Set:

ON [Clear Image zoom]
Handle Zoom: Variable/Speed 3
Zoom Ring Rotate: Left(w)/Right(t)
Steadyshot – OFF(Tripod)
ON (Handheld)
Auto Back Light – OFF
AF Micro Adjustment – OFF
Color Bar – OFF

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BEWARE THE AUTOMATIC "[A]" DISPLAYING
FOR ANY OF THE SETTINGS FOR:
WHITE BALANCE
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ADDITIONAL MENU SETTINGS

AUDIO SET:
Volume Set – Set in Middle
Ch1 Input Select – INT MIC
Ch2 Input Select – INPUT 2
Audio Limit – OFF
Headphone Out – STEREO
Int Mic Set – NORMAL
XLR Set –
AGC Link: Separate
Input 1 Trim: 0dB
Input 1 Wind: OFF
Input 2 Trim: 0dB
Input 2 Wind: OFF

DISPLAY SET:
Histogram – ON
Zebra – ZEBRA 1:94%, Ap 6%
Peaking – ON; Color: RED; LEVEL: HIGH
Marker – ON
Focus Mag Ratio – x4.0/x8.0
Camera Data Display – ON
Audio Level Display – ON
Zoom Display – BAR
Focus Display – FEET
Shutter Display – DEGREE
Gamma Disp Assist – OFF

LCD Bright – BRIGHT

VF/LCD Panel – LCD PANEL
Display Output – ALL OUTPUT

NETWORK SET:
Ctrl w/ Smartphone – Advanced feature/not required
Wi-Fi Set – Advanced feature/not required
Airplane Mode – ON saves battery life!
Network Reset – Advanced feature/not required

SYSTEM SET:
Assign Button – Refer to front of this info card
Assign Dial – IRIS
Assign Dial Direction – NORMAL
Clock Set – SET THE DATE!
Area Set – GMT-5.0
DST Set – OFF
Language – ENGLISH
GPS Setting – ON
Auto Clock Adj – ON
Auto Area Adj – ON
Beep – OFF
Rec Lamp [F] – OFF
Rec Lamp [R] – ON
60i/50i SEL – 60i

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