



2024 BUDAPEST EVENT

18 to 21 July 2024

From	The Stewards	Document	19
To	The Team Manager, MP Motorsport	Date	19 July 2024
		Time	14:55

The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

No / Driver 12 - Franco Colapinto

Competitor MP Motorsport

Time 11:40

Session Practice

Fact Car 12 (Colapinto) impeded Car 4 (Antonelli) at Turn 10 in the Practice Session.

Infringement Breach of Article 31.6 of the FIA Formula 2 Sporting Regulations.

Decision Warning given to the driver of Car 12 (Colapinto).

Reason The Stewards examined video evidence and marshalling sector times. They summoned and heard the drivers and team representatives (documents 14 & 15). Marshalling sector times showed that Car 4 was on a fast lap and was impeded in T10 by Car 12, which was on a slow lap.

The Driver of Car 12 explained that he was on a slow lap and didn't have any radio communication with the team. When he saw the marshal signals and realized that Car 4 was approaching at a higher speed, he tried to stay out of the racing line after T11.

The Driver of Car 4 explained that he was on a fast lap and saw Car 12 stay on the racing line. For safety reasons, he aborted his fast lap.

The Stewards considered the facts and received confirmation from the Team Manager that there was no radio communication due to a central IT issue. Therefore, Car 12 had limited information and realized too late that Car 4 was approaching, which resulted in the unnecessary impeding of Car 4. Competitors and Drivers are reminded that the Driver must drive the car alone and unaided, and to observe especially the flags shown by the marshals. Consequently, the Stewards decided to give a warning to the Driver of Car 12.

Competitors are reminded that they have the right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards, in accordance with Article 15 of the FIA International Sporting Code and Chapter 4 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules, within the applicable time limits.

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