The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director, heard from the drivers and team representatives and examined video/telemetry evidence, have considered the following matter, determine a breach of the regulations has been committed by the competitor named below and impose the penalty referred to.

No / Driver   6 - Nico Rosberg
Competitor  Mercedes AMG Petronas F1 Team
Time        15:29
Session     Race
Fact        Causing a collision with car 44 in turn 2.
Offence     Involved in an incident as defined by Article 38.1 of the FIA Formula One Sporting Regulations.
Decision    10 Second Time Penalty imposed after the race in accordance with Article 38.3 (10 seconds added to elapsed race time)
             (2 penalty points awarded, 2 points total for the 12 month period).
Reason      Having taken note of the extensive evidence given by both drivers and the video and telemetry data, it was apparent that Car 44 (HAM) was in front of Car 6 (ROS) – i.e. more than fully alongside – and that the driver of Car 44 could have clearly made the turn (T2) on the track, if not for the resultant collision. Car 6 did not allow Car 44 “racing room” and hence the driver of Car 6 was responsible for the collision.

Garry Connelly  Radovan Novak
Martin Donnelly Wilhelm Singer

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