The Stewards, having received a report from the Technical Delegate (document 27), heard from a team representative and 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** 27 - Nico Hulkenberg  
**Competitor** Sahara Force India F1 Team  
**Time** 15:52  
**Session** Qualifying  
**Fact** During Q1 tyres without appropriate identification were used.  
**Offence** Breach of Article 24.3 e) of the FIA Formula One Sporting Regulations.  
**Decision** Drop of 1 grid position.  
**Reason** The team returned electronically the wrong set of tyres and used these during Q1.

Paul Gutjahr  
Jose Abed  
Emerson Fittipaldi  
Achim Loth  

The FIA Stewards of the Meeting