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To	The Team Manager, Renault Sport Formula One Team	Date	01 July 2018
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The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

No / Driver 55 - Carlos Sainz

Competitor Renault Sport Formula One Team

Time 15:12

Session Race

Fact Car 55 left the track and rejoined at exit of turn 1, then deliberately crowded car 31.

Offence Involved in an alleged incident as defined by Art 38.1 as defined by the FIA Formula One Sporting Regulations, and breach of Appendix L Chapter IV Article 2b) of the FIA International Sporting Code.

Decision A penalty of a Reprimand is imposed.
This is the driver's first Reprimand of the current season (Driving).

Reason The Stewards reviewed video evidence including on-board cameras of the 2 cars concerned and the following cars, and concluded that the driver of car 55 had left the track, lost momentum, rejoined in front of car 31, then as car 31 drew level, car 55 moved unnecessarily to the right hand side of the track deliberately crowding car 31 partially off the track.

All Competitors are reminded of their right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards, as set out in the International Sporting Code and related regulations, including the time limits for such appeals.

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