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Race Control Messages - Sunday 8 March 2026

TIME	MESSAGE
14:08	PINK HEAD PADDING MATERIAL MUST BE USED
14:20	GREEN LIGHT - PIT EXIT OPEN
14:21	DOUBLE YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 6
14:21	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 6
14:21	YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 7
14:21	DOUBLE YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 6
14:21	DOUBLE YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 7
14:21	MEDICAL CAR DEPLOYED
14:29	YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 20
14:30	PIT EXIT CLOSED
14:30	DOUBLE YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 20
14:30	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 20
14:32	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 20
14:33	INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 27 (HUL) NOTED - STARTING PROCEDURE INFRINGEMENT
14:37	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 7
14:37	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 6
14:38	FIA STEWARDS: INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 27 (HUL) UNDER INVESTIGATION - STARTING PROCEDURE INFRINGEMENT
14:40	DOUBLE YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 15
14:40	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 15
14:45	RISK OF RAIN FOR THE F1 RACE IS 0%
14:55	FIA STEWARDS: INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 27 (HUL) NO FURTHER ACTION - STARTING PROCEDURE INFRINGEMENT
14:57	OVERTAKE DISABLED
15:01	INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 43 (COL) NOTED - STARTING PROCEDURE INFRINGEMENT
15:03	GREEN LIGHT - PIT EXIT OPEN
15:03	FIA STEWARDS: INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 43 (COL) UNDER INVESTIGATION - STARTING PROCEDURE INFRINGEMENT
15:04	OVERTAKE ENABLED
15:11	CAR 10 (GAS) TIME 1:27.040 DELETED - TRACK LIMITS AT TURN 10 LAP 5 15:10:17
15:12	CAR 5 (BOR) TIME 1:27.463 DELETED - TRACK LIMITS AT TURN 3 LAP 6 15:11:11
15:14	FIA STEWARDS: STOP-AND-GO PENALTY FOR CAR 43 (COL) - STARTING PROCEDURE INFRINGEMENT
15:16	TURN 11 INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 16 (LEC) NOTED
15:17	FIA STEWARDS: TURN 11 INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 16 (LEC) REVIEWED NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION
15:19	VSC DEPLOYED
15:19	YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 13
15:19	DOUBLE YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 13
15:20	MARSHALS ON TRACK AT TURN 9
15:21	FIA STEWARDS: PENALTY SERVED - STOP-AND-GO PENALTY FOR CAR 43 (COL) - STARTING PROCEDURE INFRINGEMENT
15:23	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 13
15:23	VSC ENDING
15:23	TRACK CLEAR
15:23	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 77 (BOT) TIMED AT 15:23:22
15:23	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 77 (BOT) TIMED AT 15:23:30
15:23	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 77 (BOT) TIMED AT 15:23:35
15:24	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 77 (BOT) TIMED AT 15:24:20
15:25	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 77 (BOT) TIMED AT 15:25:06
15:25	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 77 (BOT) TIMED AT 15:25:26



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15:26	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 77 (BOT) TIMED AT 15:26:27
15:26	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 77 (BOT) TIMED AT 15:26:41
15:28	CAR 23 (ALB) TIME 1:28.434 DELETED - TRACK LIMITS AT TURN 3 LAP 16 15:26:48
15:29	YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 20
15:29	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:29:51
15:29	VSC DEPLOYED
15:31	PIT LANE ENTRY CLOSED
15:31	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 20
15:32	MARSHALS ON TRACK AT PIT ENTRY
15:32	PIT LANE ENTRY OPEN
15:32	VSC ENDING
15:32	TRACK CLEAR
15:32	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:32:43
15:32	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:32:55
15:34	TURN 11 INCIDENT INVOLVING CARS 11 (PER) AND 30 (LAW) NOTED - FORCING ANOTHER DRIVER OFF THE TRACK
15:34	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:34:33
15:35	CAR 30 (LAW) TIME 1:29.919 DELETED - TRACK LIMITS AT TURN 3 LAP 16 15:26:58
15:36	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:36:03
15:36	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:36:20
15:36	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:36:26
15:36	TURN 3 INCIDENT INVOLVING CARS 31 (OCO) AND 10 (GAS) NOTED
15:37	FIA STEWARDS: TURN 11 INCIDENT INVOLVING CARS 11 (PER) AND 30 (LAW) UNDER INVESTIGATION - FORCING ANOTHER DRIVER OFF THE TRACK
15:37	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:37:36
15:38	FIA STEWARDS: TURN 3 INCIDENT INVOLVING CARS 31 (OCO) AND 10 (GAS) UNDER INVESTIGATION
15:39	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:39:46
15:39	INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 31 (OCO) NOTED - DRIVING UNNECESSARILY SLOWLY
15:40	FIA STEWARDS: TURN 11 INCIDENT INVOLVING CARS 11 (PER) AND 30 (LAW) NO FURTHER ACTION - FORCING ANOTHER DRIVER OFF THE TRACK
15:41	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:41:46
15:42	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:42:24
15:42	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:42:46
15:43	INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 11 (PER) NOTED - IGNORING BLUE FLAGS
15:44	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:43:59
15:44	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:44:39
15:45	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:45:10
15:46	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 15:45:59
15:46	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 15:46:03
15:46	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:46:11
15:46	FIA STEWARDS: INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 31 (OCO) WILL BE INVESTIGATED AFTER THE RACE - DRIVING UNNECESSARILY SLOWLY
15:48	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 14 (ALO) TIMED AT 15:48:24
15:48	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 15:48:52
15:49	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:49:31
15:50	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 14 (ALO) TIMED AT 15:50:29
15:50	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:50:29



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15:50	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:50:39
15:50	FIA STEWARDS: TURN 3 INCIDENT INVOLVING CARS 31 (OCO) AND 10 (GAS) NO FURTHER ACTION
15:51	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:51:22
15:51	TRACK SURFACE SLIPPERY IN TRACK SECTOR 13
15:51	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:51:34
15:51	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:51:47
15:52	VSC DEPLOYED
15:52	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 13
15:52	DOUBLE YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 13
15:52	MARSHALS ON TRACK AT TURN 8
15:52	DOUBLE YELLOW IN TRACK SECTOR 12
15:52	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 13
15:52	CLEAR IN TRACK SECTOR 12
15:52	VSC ENDING
15:53	TRACK CLEAR
15:53	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 14 (ALO) TIMED AT 15:53:11
15:53	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 15:53:24
15:53	FIA STEWARDS: INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 11 (PER) REVIEWED NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION - IGNORING BLUE FLAGS
15:53	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 23 (ALB) TIMED AT 15:53:36
15:54	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 55 (SAI) TIMED AT 15:54:34
15:55	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 18 (STR) TIMED AT 15:55:17
15:55	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 30 (LAW) TIMED AT 15:55:32
15:56	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:56:10
15:56	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:56:26
15:56	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 30 (LAW) TIMED AT 15:56:33
15:57	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 15:57:08
15:57	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 15:57:39
16:00	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 23 (ALB) TIMED AT 16:00:04
16:01	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 55 (SAI) TIMED AT 16:01:23
16:01	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 55 (SAI) TIMED AT 16:01:42
16:01	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 16:01:57
16:02	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 23 (ALB) TIMED AT 16:02:46
16:03	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 16:03:10
16:04	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 16:04:39
16:07	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 16:07:12
16:07	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 31 (OCO) TIMED AT 16:07:53
16:08	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 31 (OCO) TIMED AT 16:08:06
16:08	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 16:08:21
16:08	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 10 (GAS) TIMED AT 16:08:37
16:08	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 10 (GAS) TIMED AT 16:08:53
16:10	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 55 (SAI) TIMED AT 16:10:34
16:11	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 16:11:10
16:11	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 31 (OCO) TIMED AT 16:11:12
16:11	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 55 (SAI) TIMED AT 16:11:24
16:11	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 10 (GAS) TIMED AT 16:11:41



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16:12	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 16:12:39
16:13	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 16:13:10
16:14	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 55 (SAI) TIMED AT 16:14:14
16:14	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 16:14:48
16:15	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 16:15:16
16:16	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 31 (OCO) TIMED AT 16:16:16
16:16	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 31 (OCO) TIMED AT 16:16:31
16:16	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 5 (BOR) TIMED AT 16:16:54
16:17	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 31 (OCO) TIMED AT 16:17:14
16:17	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 10 (GAS) TIMED AT 16:17:15
16:18	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 10 (GAS) TIMED AT 16:18:19
16:18	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 10 (GAS) TIMED AT 16:18:25
16:19	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 16:19:24
16:19	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 16:19:30
16:19	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 41 (LIN) TIMED AT 16:19:57
16:20	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 5 (BOR) TIMED AT 16:20:18
16:21	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 16:21:07
16:21	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 16:21:16
16:21	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 41 (LIN) TIMED AT 16:21:21
16:21	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 43 (COL) TIMED AT 16:21:49
16:23	CAR 55 (SAI) TIME 1:27.961 DELETED - TRACK LIMITS AT TURN 3 LAP 53 16:21:48
16:24	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 87 (BEA) TIMED AT 16:24:29
16:24	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 30 (LAW) TIMED AT 16:24:47
16:24	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 16:24:53
16:25	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 23 (ALB) TIMED AT 16:25:22
16:25	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 16:25:22
16:25	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 30 (LAW) TIMED AT 16:25:50
16:26	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 87 (BEA) TIMED AT 16:26:04
16:26	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 23 (ALB) TIMED AT 16:26:06
16:26	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 11 (PER) TIMED AT 16:26:18
16:26	CHEQUERED FLAG