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The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director, summoned (documents 18, 19) and heard from the team representatives, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

**No / Driver** 31 - Esteban Ocon

**Competitor** Alpine F1 Team

**Time** 18:36

**Session** Qualifying

**Fact** Team member in the pit lane operating in an unsafe manner.

**Offence** Breach of 12.2.1h of the FIA International Sporting Code.

**Decision** The competitor (Alpine F1 Team) is fined €5,000.

**Reason** The Stewards heard from the team representative and reviewed video evidence. Several cars were released into the pit lane at the same time. The team member of Car 31 who was responsible for releasing Car 31 stepped back into the pit lane, close to the fast lane into the path of Car 5. While the Stewards accept that members of other teams also stepped this far into the pit lane, they did not obstruct another car and were not in a particularly dangerous situation. In the case of Car 31 the Stewards determined that this was an “unsafe act.”

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.

**Tim Mayer**

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