

## 2022 JEDDAH EVENT

24 to 27 March 2022

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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** 12 - Clement Novalak

**Competitor** MP Motorsport

**Time** 19:24

**Session** Qualifying

**Fact** Car 12 impeded Car 14 at Turn 22 at 19:24 in Qualifying

**Offence** Breach of Article 31.6 of the FIA Formula 2 Sporting Regulations.

**Decision** A drop of 5 places on the grid for the next race in which the driver participates. In addition, 3 points to be added to the driver's record. Total for the 2022 season = 5 points.

**Reason** The Stewards examined video evidence. They summoned and heard the drivers and team representatives (documents 32 & 33).  
Having considered the matter extensively, the Stewards determined that Car 12 was to the right of the centre of the track in the high speed curve approaching Turn 22. The driver had not been notified of an approaching car and although he was checking his mirrors, he did not do so as he moved right towards the edge of the track. He then checked his mirrors, saw Car 14 approaching quickly on his right and jerked quickly left to allow Car 14 to pass on his inside.  
The lack of situational awareness by Car 12 made this a dangerous case of impeding, especially given the high speed nature of this section of the circuit. Car 12 is penalised accordingly.  
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.

**Dennis Dean**

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**The Stewards**