

2022 SPIELBERG EVENT

7 to 10 July 2022

From	The Stewards	Document	41
To	The Team Manager, Campos Racing	Date	09 July 2022
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The Stewards, received a petition to review decision 32 in accordance with Art. 14 of the FIA International Sporting Code, summoned (documents 34 and 35) and heard from the drivers of Car 15 and Car 20 and their team representatives. The stewards have considered the matter and determine the following:

No / Driver 20 - David Vidales

Competitor Campos Racing

Time 11:02

Session Race 1

Fact Car 20 allegedly caused a collision with Car 15 at Turn 3 at 11:02.

Offence Alleged breach of Appendix L, Chapter IV, Article 2 (d) of the FIA International Sporting Code.

Decision The ten (10) seconds time penalty and the 2 penalty points imposed in the initial decision (document 32) will be reversed. No further action is warranted. Total penalty points for the 2022 season = 1 point.

Reason Reason: Following a petition to review Decision 32 taken during the Sprint Race, the Stewards acknowledged that the evidence presented represents a significant and relevant new element (see document 39) that had not been available to the parties seeking the review at the time of the initial decision and therefore reviewed the case.

The Stewards heard from the drivers of Car 15 (Zdenek Chovanec) and Car 20 (David Vidales) and their team representatives. The driver of Car 15 stated that there had not been any contact from Car 20 before he spun off the track at the exit of turn 3, but confirmed that he spun by himself because of a misapplication of the throttle. The driver of Car 20 also confirmed that he did not make any contact with Car 15.

The Stewards acknowledge that the initial decision was made based on video evidence available during the race that seemed to be sufficient to take the decision in-race. Nonetheless, taking into account the statements of both drivers, they decide to reverse their initial decision based on the new evidence.

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.

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