

2023 MELBOURNE EVENT

30 March to 2 April 2023

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To	The Team Manager, Van Amersfoort Racing	Date	01 April 2023
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The Stewards, having received a report from the Technical Delegate, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

No / Driver 17 - Caio Collet

Competitor Van Amersfoort Racing

Time 11:11

Session Race 1

Fact Incorrect use of tyres

Offence Breach of Article 24.5 of the FIA Formula 3 Sporting Regulations - Incorrect use of tyres

Decision A fine of 500 Euros to be paid by the team. In accordance with Article 12.8.1 of the ISC, fines shall be paid within forty-eight hours of their notification by means of bank transfer to the FIA.

Reason The Stewards examined photo evidence. They summoned and heard the team representative (document 39). Having considered the matter extensively, the Stewards determined that during the race Car 17 sustained a puncture and came to the pit for it to be changed. The team made an error and fitted a tyre allocated to Car 18. The car resumed the race. The Team realised their error and at the earliest opportunity pitted again and changed to the correct allocated tyre. This is clearly a breach of the regulations and would normally involve a sporting penalty up to disqualification. The team rectified the problem on their own at the earliest opportunity dropping the car further down the classification. As such a team fine is considered appropriate.

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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