

## 2023 SAKHIR EVENT

2 to 5 March 2023

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<b>To</b>	The Team Manager, Jenzer Motorsport	<b>Date</b>	03 March 2023
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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** 27 - Taylor Barnard

**Competitor** Jenzer Motorsport

**Time** 16:30

**Session** Qualifying

**Fact** Car 27 entered the support race pit lane prior to receiving the chequered flag in contravention of Race Director Notes reference 25.2

**Offence** Breach of Article 12.2.1.i of the FIA International Sporting Code – failure to follow the instructions of an Official

**Decision** Reprimand

**Reason** The Stewards received a report from the Race Director and examined video evidence, They summoned and heard from the drivers of Car 27 and car 28 and the team representative in one hearing by agreement (documents 27 and 28). Both drivers explained that as they approached pit entry they were aware from radio messages they had received from their team that the session had ended. They both noticed that some cars ahead had entered the pit lane and others had continued. Both were unsure whether they had received the chequered flag. They each decided that the safest course was to enter the pit lane rather than run the risk that they might take the chequered flag twice. Both cars entered the support pit lane and neither of them had received the chequered flag. They proceeded directly to parc ferme where they were received under the control of the officials.

Having considered the matter extensively the Stewards decided to issue a reprimand to Car 27 and cautioned to carefully read and follow the Race Director Notes which are critical to the safe and orderly conduct of the meeting.

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.

**Andrew Mallalieu**

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**The Stewards**

