

## 2023 BUDAPEST EVENT

20 to 23 July 2023

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<b>To</b>	The Team Manager, Van Amersfoort Racing	<b>Date</b>	22 July 2023
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The Stewards, having received a report from the Technical Director, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

**No / Driver** 19 - Tommy Smith

**Competitor** Van Amersfoort Racing

**Time** 15:09

**Session** Race 1

**Fact** The tyres of Car 19 (Smith) were not brought back to Parc Ferme after Race 1 as required by the Sporting Regulations and the Race Director's Event Notes.

**Infringement** Breach of Article 24.6 of the FIA F3 Sporting Regulations and Tyre Schedule of the Budapest Event Notes.

**Decision** Drop of 5 places on the grid for the next race in which the driver participates.

**Reason** The Stewards received a report from the Technical Delegate (Document 45). They summoned and heard the team representative (Document 46). The Team Representative admitted that the mechanics made a mistake and continued working on the used tyres from Race 1 beyond the time specified for the return of the tyres to Parc Ferme. Having considered the matter extensively, the Stewards determined that the tyres of Car 19 were not brought to Parc Ferme within the required time. The Stewards noted that the team continued working on the tyres, which could give the opportunity for a sporting advantage for Race 2.

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.

**Silvia Bellot**

**Andrew Mallalieu**

**David Major**

**The Stewards**