The Stewards, having received a report from the Technical Delegate (document 27), summoned (document 28) and heard from the team representative, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

No / Driver 23 - Alexander Albon
Competitor Williams Racing
Time 16:37
Session Qualifying
Fact The team failed to physically return tyres to the appointed tyre supplier before the start of the Qualifying session.
Infringment Breach of Article 30.4 b) of the FIA Formula One Sporting Regulations.
Decision The competitor (Williams Racing) is fined €5,000.
Reason The Stewards heard from the team representative of Car 23 (Alexander Albon), who stated that it was a team oversight for which they accepted responsibility.
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.

Decisions of the Stewards are taken independently of the FIA and are based solely on the relevant regulations, guidelines and evidence presented.

Garry Connelly Mathieu Remmerie
Enrique Bernoldi Marcel Demers
The Stewards