



## 2024 MONACO EVENT

22 to 26 May 2024

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<b>To</b>	The Team Manager, Invicta Racing	<b>Date</b>	24 May 2024
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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** 9 - Kush Maini

**Competitor** Invicta Racing

**Time** 15:56

**Session** Qualifying

**Fact** Car 9 (Maini) unnecessarily impeded Car 5 (Maloney) at Turn 10 during Qualifying.

**Infringement** Breach of Article 31.6 of the FIA Formula 2 Sporting Regulations.

**Decision** A drop of 3 places on the grid for the next race in which the driver participates. No driver penalty points are associated with this infringement.

**Reason** The Stewards examined video evidence. They summoned and heard the drivers and team representatives (documents 22 & 23).

During the hearing the driver of Car 9 stated that he did not get any information that Car 5 was approaching on a fast lap while he was on a slow lap. Therefore he realized too late that Car 5 was approaching. The Driver of Car 9 apologised to the Driver of Car 5 during the hearing for impeding. Video evidence clearly showed that Car 5 had to slow down at Turn 10, when he caught Car 9.

Having considered the matter extensively, the Stewards determined that Car 9 unnecessarily impeded Car 5 and therefore decided to impose the above penalty.

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.

**Steve Pence**

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