



2012 Brazilian Grand Prix

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Technical Report

After the qualifying practice session yesterday the gearbox of car number 22, driver Pedro de la Rosa, was replaced for a new one with the approval of the FIA technical delegate following a written request from the team concerned, this being in accordance with Article 34.1 of the 2012 Formula One Sporting Regulations. The replacement gearbox has the nominated ratios fitted.

This replacement took place before the end of five consecutive Events. As this is not in compliance with Article 28.6 of the 2012 Formula One Sporting Regulations, the driver should drop drop five places on the starting grid at this Event and I am referring this matter to the stewards for their consideration.

After the qualifying practice session yesterday the engine of car number 23, driver Narain Karthikeyan, was replaced for an already used one with the approval of the FIA technical delegate following a written request from the team concerned, this being in accordance with Article 34.1 of the 2012 Formula One Sporting Regulations. The replacement engine is one of the eight engines he is allowed to use during the 2012 Formula One World Championship season.

A seal was broken on the gearbox of car number 07, driver Michael Schumacher, in order to inspect the gear ratios and associated dog rings for physical damage and following this to change the 2nd gear ratio pair and associated dog ring.

This was done in accordance with Article 28.6d of the 2012 Formula One Sporting Regulations.

The FIA Formula 1 Technical Delegate

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