



2026 MELBOURNE EVENT

5 to 8 March 2026

From	The Stewards	Document	58
To	The Team Manager, Rodin Motorsport	Date	08 March 2026
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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 15 - Alex Dunne

Competitor Rodin Motorsport

Time 11:32

Session Race 2

Fact Car 15 (Dunne) made contact with Car 14 (Stenshorne) on the approach to Turn 1.

Infringement Breach of Appendix L, Chapter IV, Article 2 (d) of the FIA International Sporting Code.

Decision Ten seconds (10) time penalty , which since Car 15 was not classified, is converted to a drop of 5 places on the grid for Feature Race in which the driver participates. In addition, 2 points to be added to the driver's record. Total for the 2026 season = 2 points.

Reason The Stewards summoned (Documents 53 & 54) and heard the Drivers of Car 14 (Stenshorne) and Car 15 (Dunne) and the team representative. They examined video evidence.

Car 15 was following Car 14 on the main straight. Car 15 had DRS and made a pass on the left. Car 15 moved aggressively over to the right when he was almost past Car 14. Car 14 had to take evasive action and there may even have been contact as a result of this aggressive and unnecessary move. As soon as Car 15 was in front of Car 14 he commenced braking which was earlier than expected and as a result Car 14 collided with the rear of Car 15. Both cars retired as a result of the contact.

The Stewards concluded that the driver of Car 15 was predominantly to blame for the collision and apply the standard penalty, which in this case is converted to 5 grid drops for the driver in the next feature race in which he competes.

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 5 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules, within the applicable time limits.

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