



2026 MONTREAL EVENT

21 to 24 May 2026

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To	The Team Manager, ART Grand Prix	Date	22 May 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 16 - Kush Maini

Competitor ART Grand Prix

Time 10:21

Session Practice

Fact Car 16 (Maini) drove erratically at 10:21 in Practice

Infringement Breach of Article 27.4 of the FIA Formula 2 Sporting Regulations.

Decision Reprimand given to the Driver of Car 16. This is his first Driving Reprimand of the 2026 Season.

Reason The Stewards examined video evidence. They summoned and heard the drivers and team representatives (documents 11 & 12).

Having considered the matter extensively, the Stewards determine that Car 16 (MAI) who was on a push lap came upon Car 22 (VAR) who was on the line in the braking zone for Turn 10. MAI locked his brakes while passing VAR, went extra deep into the corner, and ended any chance at a good lap. MAI's lockup and recovery also forced VAR to abandon the normal line and go off track. On the ensuing straight MAI drove slowing and was noted to be actively watching his mirrors. VAR decided to pick up his pace and attempted to pass MAI. MAI who was admittedly unhappy with VAR reacted by moving towards VAR, and ultimately crossed in front of him to prevent him from passing.

While VAR was not on a push lap the Stewards determine that MAI's driving in reaction to his displeasure with VAR was erratic and potentially dangerous. The Steward's note that with the slightest miscalculation such actions can trigger major consequences. The Stewards determine to issue a driving reprimand to MAI during this practice session. This decision should not be taken a precedent for similar offences in the future which may warrant increased penalties.

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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