



**FIA World Endurance Championship
Round 8 – 8 Hours of Bahrain
2020 November 11th to 14th**

Decision No. 8

From:	The Stewards	Date:	12 November 2020
To:	ASTON MARTIN RACING	Time (decision):	13:59 h

The Stewards, having received a report from the Promoter, have considered the following matter, determine a breach of the regulations has been committed by the competitor named below but decided to not impose a penalty due to the specific circumstances .

N° / Driver: 97 / Richard WESTBROOK
Competitor 97 - ASTON MARTIN RACING
Session: Before the event
Fact: Late driver announcement
Offence: Alleged Breach of Art. 3.5.1 of WEC Sporting Regulations
Decision: NO penalty

Reason:

The Stewards were informed by the promotor and the Team Manager that the originally announced driver Alexander Lynn was tested positive to Covid 19 before heading to Bahrain. The Stewards appreciate the effort of the team to run the car replacing him with Richard Westbrook and taking into account the current pandemic decide NOT to impose a penalty considering this a case of force majeure.

The Competitor is reminded of his right of Appeal under and in compliance with Art. 16.1.6 of the WEC Sporting Regulations, Article 15 of the International Sporting Code, and Art. 9.1.1 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules.

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**FIA Steward
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