



**FIA World Endurance Championship  
Round 4 - 24 Hours of Le Mans  
2021 August 13<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>th</sup>**

**Decision No. 30**

**From:** The Stewards

**Date:** 17 August 2021

**To:** IDEC SPORT

**Time (decision):** 12:32 h

The Stewards, having received a request from the Competitor, 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° / Competitor** 17 / IDEC SPORT  
**Driver:** Thomas LAURENT  
**Session:** Before 24 Hours of Le Mans  
**Fact:** Modification of the crew  
**Offence:** Alleged Breach of Art. 13.3.1 of 24 Hours Le Mans Supplementary Regulations  
**Decision:** NO penalty fine

**Reason:**

The Stewards were informed by the Team Principal Nicolas Minassian that the originally announced driver Kyle Tilley was injured in Free Practice 2 on Testday (request attached) and therefore has to be replaced. The Stewards appreciate the effort of the team to run the car replacing him with Thomas LAURENT, and decide NOT to impose a penalty considering this a case of force majeure. The driver Laurent has to fulfill all administrative checks and comply 5 laps minimum in the Free Practice Sessions.

The Competitor is reminded of his right of Appeal under and in compliance with Art. 16.1.6 of 24 Hours of Le Mans Supplementary Regulations, Article 15 of the International Sporting Code, and Art. 9.1.1 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules.

Competitors are reminded that, in accordance with Art. 12.3.4 of the FIA International Sporting Code and Art. 16.2.6 of 24 Hours of Le Mans Supplementary Regulations this decision is not subject to appeal.

Jean-Francois  
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**FIA Steward**

**(Chairman)**

Rikki  
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