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DECISION N°: WEC_2023_D0036_All_Formation_laps

DATE: 05/04/2023 **FROM:** The WEC Committee

SUBJECT: Formation laps

APPLICABLE REGULATION

Article 11.2.7 ☒ 2023 FIA World Endurance Championship Sporting Regulations

DECISION

On request of the Race Director, the WEC Committee will adapt Article 11.2.7 of the Sporting Regulations as follows:

11.2.7 **Additional** formation lap

Before the start of the race, there will be 2 formation laps.

If conditions so require, the Clerk of the Course or the Race Director may ask the Leading Car to cover one or more additional formation laps.

In that case, the start of the race, for the sole purpose of race distance, is considered as having been given at the end of the **first second** formation lap.

Procedure restarted: if, for an unforeseeable reason, it is impossible to cover one or more additional formation laps, the procedure will be as follows:

The Race Director will suspend the race and all cars will stop behind the Leading Car.
Once stopped behind the Leading Car, all cars will turn off their engines.

The Race Director will order that the race be resumed, and will do so following the principles in Article 14.4.

PERIOD OF VALIDITY/APPLICATION OF THE DECISION

This decision comes into effect:

- ☒ **with immediate application**
☐ from:

And is applicable:

- ☒ **until further notice**
☐ for the mentioned event(s) only