



6 HOURS OF FUJI



FIA World Endurance Championship Round 7 - 6 Hours of Fuji 2024 September 13th - September 15th

Decision No. 21

From: The Stewards **Date:** 14 September 2024
To: ALPINE ENDURANCE TEAM **Time (decision):** 10:59 h

The Stewards, having received a report from the FIA Race Director, having checked video evidence determined a breach of the regulations has been committed by the competitor named below and impose the penalty referred to.

N° / Competitor 36 / ALPINE ENDURANCE TEAM
Driver: Matthieu Vaxiviere
Time (fact): 10:36
Session: FP3
Fact: Overtaking on the outside of the track at t15
Offence: Appendix L, IV 2b) of International Sporting Code
Decision: 5 seconds time penalty added to the first pitstop during the race suspended for the driver Matthieu Vaxiviere for a similar infringement until the end of the competition.

Reason:

After having checked the video evidence, the Stewards determined car 36 overtook car 60 beyond the track limits at T15 and decided to apply a 30 seconds Stop and Go penalty.
 However, due to the red flag circumstances and the non possibility for car 36 to execute the initial penalty during FP3 session, the Stewards decide to adapt the penalty into a suspended 5 seconds time penalty to be added to the next pitstop during the race for a similar infringement committed by Matthieu Vaxiviere until the end of the Competition.

According to Art. 12.3.4 of the FIA International Sporting Code and the article 7.4.4 of 2024 WEC FIA Sporting Regulations, this decision is not subject to appeal.

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