



6 HOURS OF FUJI



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

Decision No. 20

From: The Stewards

Date: 14 September 2024

To: PROTON COMPETITION

Time (decision): 10:57 h

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

N° / Competitor 88 / PROTON COMPETITION
Driver: Christian Ried
Time (fact): 10:27
Session: FP3
Fact: Not respecting yellow flag
Offence: 9.1.11 of WEC Sporting Regulations and Appendix H Article 2.5.5 b)
Decision: Drive through during the race suspended for the driver Christian Ried for a similar infringement until the end of the competition.

Reason:

The Stewards reviewed telemetry data and positioning data and confirmed that the driver did not reduce his speed when the yellow flag had been deployed and decided to apply a 5 minutes Stop and Go penalty. The penalty was announced by the Race Control.

However, due to the red flag circumstances and the non possibility for car 88 to execute its penalty during FP3 session, the Stewards decided to adapt the penalty into a suspended drive trough during the race for a similar infringement committed by Cristian Ried until the end of the Competition.

According to Art. 12.3.4 of the FIA International Sporting Code and the article 7.4.2 of 2024 WEC Sporting regulations, this decision is not subject to appeal.

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