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The Stewards remind all Competitors of the requirements regarding the wearing of 'biometric devices', as defined in FIA ISC App. L Chapter III, Art 2.1.
Any device must be declared and be checked for homologation by the Medical Delegate.

Art 2.1 Biometric

Devices Drivers may wear a device to collect biometric data during racing.

- If the biometric device is integrated into a protective garment homologated to FIA Standard 8856, the garment shall be homologated to FIA Standards 8856 and 8868-2018.

- If the biometric device is a stand-alone device, then the device must be homologated to FIA Standard 8868-2018 only. This device must be worn in addition to the garment homologated to FIA Standard 8856.

Likewise for jewellery, App L Chapter III Art 5:

Art 5. Wearing of jewellery

The wearing of any type of jewellery, such as but not limited to, neck chains, bracelets or watches is prohibited during the competition. Exceptions to this rule, providing the CMO and/or Medical Delegate do not consider that due to size or location they may delay rescue or hinder emergency care, are:

i. the wearing of watch(es) by co-drivers, on the condition that the watch(es) is worn over the overall,

ii. the wearing of a single band-style ring providing it does not restrict the natural range of motion of the hand, and

iii. the wearing of body piercing(s) providing they are not worn in and/or around the oral cavity.

In the event of the Technical Delegate issuing a report, the Stewards may consider any appropriate penalty during the event.

The Medical Delegate may also issue a report to the Stewards, if a driver is seen to be wearing either a biometric device or jewellery, contrary to the regulations.



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