



**FIA World Endurance Championship**  
**Round 3 – 24 Hours of Le Mans**  
**2026 June 06<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup>**

**Decision no. 179**

**From:** The Stewards  
**To:** KESSEL RACING

**Date:** 14 June 2026  
**Time:** 08:03

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° / Driver:** 74 / Dustin BLATTNER  
**Competitor:** KESSEL RACING  
**Session:** Race  
**Time (fact):** 06:47:32  
**Fact:** Overtaking under Yellow flag at MP11 /12.  
**Offence:** Alleged breach of Appendix H Article 2.2.5 b) of International Sporting Code  
**Decision:** No further action

**Reason:**

Car 3 spun at MP 11/12, causing yellow flag and consequently immediately two following cars slowed down creating a traffic mess. Car 74 approached the incident at that moment. In order to avoid general collision took an evasive action, changed his direction and therefore overtook the cars in front of him. Taking all these circumstances into consideration, the Stewards decide to judge the case with no further action.

Competitors are reminded that they have the right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards, in accordance with Article 15 of the FIA International Sporting Code and Chapter 4 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules, within the applicable time limits.

Jean-Francois VEROUX  
Chairman of the Panel

Achim LOTH  
International Steward

Chris GEFFROY  
National Steward