



2026

6 HOURS OF SÃO PAULO



FIA World Endurance Championship
Round 4 – 6 Hours of São Paulo
2026 July 9th - 12th

Decision no. 18

From: The Stewards
To: BMW M TEAM WRT

Date: 11 July 2026
Time: 17:35

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

N° / Competitor: 15 / BMW M TEAM WRT
Session: Hyperpole Hypercar
Time (fact): 15:10
Fact: The Car Controller moved onto the blending lane at the start of the Hyperpole Hypercar qualifying session.
Offence: Article 12.2.1.i of FIA ISC - Briefing notes presentation
Decision: Reprimand

Reason:

During the hearing, the Stewards and the Team Representative viewed the circuit CCTV which showed that the Car Controller moved from the concrete area onto the asphalt area whilst the car was released. This is contrary to the Race Director's Team Managers Briefing which clearly showed that the Working Lane is purely the concrete area. The Stewards determined this to be a breach of the Instructions of an Official and decided to impose a reprimand on the Competitor of car 15.

According to Art. 12.3.4 of the FIA International Sporting Code and the article 7.4.6 of supplementary regulations of WEC Sporting Regulations, this decision is not subject to appeal.

Brieuc KREMER
Chairman of the Panel

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