

ROUND 09 : HOCKENHEIM 03-05/10/2025 STEWARDS' DECISION N°1

From The Stewards
To Competitor and driver of car 5
Race Director, Clerk of the Course, Timekeeping

The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director (document n°2), having examined on-board images evidence, summoned and heard drivers and competitors, have considered the following matter, determine the following:

Car N°, Driver and Competitor : 5 - RUIQI LIU - TRIDENT

Time of fact: 17.56

Session: Qualifying 1 – Group B

Facts: The car 5 failed to leave the racing line clean and unobstructed at T10.

Offence: Breach of article 24.15 of the FRECA Sporting Regulations and article 3.2. of the Event Notes

Decision: A drop of two (2) places on the starting grid of the next race contested by the driver

Reason: Art. 3.2 of the Event Notes mandates that "During any track session drivers not on a flying lap must make every necessary effort to leave the racing line clear and unobstructed. Further, any preparation for a flying lap should be performed well outside of the racing line, without posing any potential hazard or hindering the progress of other drivers, especially those on a flying lap approaching from behind."

The Stewards determined that the driver of car 5 remained in the racing line at T10, with a slow speed, and doing that he impeded car 12 and failed to obey the instructions above. For this reason, the Stewards consider the penalty is appropriate.

Competitors are reminded the right to appeal (Article 15 of the FIA ISC) and that the above penalty is NOT susceptible to appeal according to Article 15.4 of the FRECA Sporting Regulations.

Date: 3rd of October 2025

Time: 18⁵⁷

The Stewards


Stewards Chairman
Francesco Maffezzoni


International Steward
Steve Stringwell


National Steward
Nikolas Spaderna

Received by the Competitor:

Date: 03/10/25 Time: 19:00 Signature: 

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