

**ROUND 01 : IMOLA 21-23/04/2023**  
**STEWARDS' DECISION N°1**

**From** The Stewards  
**To** Competitor and driver of car 8  
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 driver and competitor, have considered the following matter, determine the following:

**Car N°, Driver and Competitor** : 8 – RAFAEL CAMARA – PREMA RACING

**Time of fact:** 10.52

**Session:** Qualifying 1 – Group A

**Facts:** Car 8 failed to slow down to yellow flags, while Car 7 left the track at turn 2 at 10:52.55 and consequently there was a single yellow flag displayed on marshal posts #1 and 2.

**Offence:** Breach of article 24.19 of the FRECA Sporting Regulations and breach of article 4.1 of the Race Director Event Notes which reminds Appendix H of the International Sporting Code.

**Decision:** Best lap time deleted

**Reason:** Following the Sporting Regulation and the Race Director Event Notes concerning the respect of single yellow flag any driver have to “reduce speed, do not overtake, be prepared to change direction, a hazard is beside or partly on the track. It must be evident that a driver has reduced speed; this means a driver is expected to have braked earlier and/or noticeably reduced speed in that sector”. Having considered the matter extensively, after reviewing the onboard camera and the data analysis, in comparison with other laps as well, the Stewards determined that driver of car 8 didn't brake earlier nor reduce noticeably the speed under single yellow flag when car 7 was out of the track at T2. The Stewards conclude that this penalty, for this specific incident, 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:** 22nd of April 2023

**Time:** 12:48

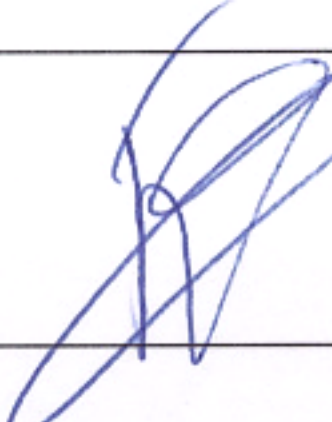
**The Stewards**

  
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Matteo Perini

  
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**Received by the Competitor:**

Date: 22/04/2023 Time: 12:48 Signature: 

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