

Sebring International Raceway September 23-25, 2022 **Stewards Decision**



The Stewards **Stewards Decision No. GT4-13** From: Car No 18 To: Date: September 25, 2022 RS1

Re: **Technical Infraction** Time: 10:00

TEAM: RS1 Car No. 18

Competition: Sebring

Session: Race 1 GT4 America

Facts: The stewards received Technical Infraction Acknowledgement 005 from the Technical Manger. A hearing was conducted with the Technical Manager, The Team Manager, a OEM representative, and the stewards. The team submitted a Request Application (RA GT4-18 Fuel cell) and the request was denied in SD GT4-11.

Supporting Documents: GT-4 SR 26.14, Technical Infraction Report 005, RA GT-4 18, Steward Decision GT-4 11.

Decision: Having held a hearing and the testimony of the team manager and the OEM representative, evidence showed an internal parts failure resulting in lack of fuel pressure, therefore a full 2kg sample was not given. The small sample received (.7 Kg) did pass series the fuel test. After examination of the failed part and installation of the replacement part, a 2kg sample was obtained via the method listed in SR 26.14, witnessed by the OEM representative. The parts failure was determined to be caused by fatigue (excessive bumps) and is common failure in this model of car but is a homologated part of the car. Given the failure of the part was force majeure based on the track condition and the OEM representative witnessed the fuel sample procedure, the stewards rule the technical infraction had no competitive advantage. The stewards impose a \$500 penalty to the team, for the violation, suspended considering the circumstances.

Robert Davis (chairman) John Walsh

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Peter Cunningham

Acknowledgement of Receipt:

Time:

Date:



















