

DECISION No: 13

From: The Stewards **Date:** 18 June 2022
To: Team WRT **Time:** 11:30 hrs

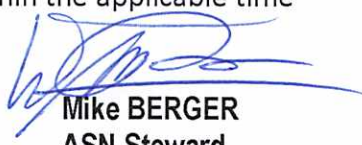
The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director, having summoned and heard from the Competitor's Representatives and the drivers, considered the following matter and determine the following:

No. / Driver: 46 / Valentino Rossi
Competitor: Team WRT
Time (fact): 09:48
Session: Qualifying
Fact: Car 46 impeded car 112 at the exit of turn 12.
Regulation: Article 41.9 of the Fanatec GTWC Europe powered by AWS Sporting Regulations
Decision: **3 grid place penalty for race 1 plus 1 BWP.**
Reason: The Stewards presented the on-board video evidence from cars 21, 46 and 112 to the Competitor's Representatives and drivers of cars 21, 46, 88 and 112. Cars 21, 46 and 88 were on 'out' laps, whilst car 112 was attempting to set a fast lap time.
The Stewards, having heard from the drivers and the competitor's representatives, found that cars 88 and 21 were aware of their positions whilst preparing for a faster lap as they progressed through turns 11 and 12. Car 46 was following behind and was aware of car 112 approaching turn 11, however car 46 exited turn 12 in the middle of the track and impeded car 112, when there was opportunity for car 46 to move to the left and off the racing line. The Stewards determine that this is a clear breach of the above regulation and impose the penalty described above.

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, within the applicable time limits.


Greg MASTERS
Steward (Chairman)


Peter ROBERTS
International Steward


Mike BERGER
ASN Steward

**SENT BY EMAIL TO THE COMPETITOR'S REPRESENTATIVE WHO IS REQUESTED TO
ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT.**