

**DECISION No: 25**

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**From:** The Stewards **Date:** 17<sup>th</sup> September 2022  
**To:** Team WRT **Time:** 17:16 hrs


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The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director, having examined timekeeping data, summoned and heard from the driver and the competitor's representative, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

**No. / Driver:** 46 / Valentino Rossi  
**Competitor:** Team WRT  
**Time (fact):** 14:25 and 14:27 hrs  
**Session:** Race 1  
**Fact:** Car 46 set faster sector times while yellow flags were being displayed  
**Offence:** Breach of Article 33.1 of the Fanatec GT Challenge Europe powered by AWS Sporting Regulations and Article 2.5.5.b of the FIA International Sporting Code Appendix H  
**Decision:** **Drive-through penalty converted to 30-seconds time penalty added to the elapsed race time of car 46 and 1 Behaviour Warning Point to the driver**  
**Reason:** Car 46 set faster sector 1 times while yellow flags were being displayed. Having heard from the driver and the competitor's representative and having viewed timekeeping data, the driver accepts that he did not slow appropriately in response to the yellow flags. The Stewards note the driver's comments that he had no working radio and that on previous laps he had been behind another car, but it is accepted that this is a clear breach of the above regulations.

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)

  
Richard NORBURY  
International Steward

  
Iván Font  
ASN Steward

**RECEIPT TO BE CONFIRMED  
ELECTRONICALLY BY THE  
COMPETITOR**