

STEWARDS' DECISION No: 07

From: The Stewards **Date:** 9th December 2023
To: AF Corse **Time:** 16:50 hrs

The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director, having examined video evidence, summoned and heard from the drivers and the competitors' representatives, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

No. / Driver: 25 / Alessandro Cozzi

Competitor: AF Corse

Time (fact): 15:28 hrs

Session: Free Practice 2

Fact: Cars 25 and 88 collided at turn 16

Offence: Breach of Article 8.6 of the 12th Gulf 12 Hours Race 2023 Sporting & Technical Regulations and Chapter IV Article 2d) of Appendix L to the FIA International Sporting Code

Decision: Reprimand

Reason: Cars 25 and 88 collided at turn 16, with car 25 spinning before continuing. Having heard from both drivers and competitors' representatives and having viewed CCTV footage and on-board video from car 88, the Stewards note that car 25 was driving relatively slowly on the racing line when car 88 approached unsighted on a fast lap. Driver 88 left the track to the left to avoid car 25 and there was slight contact as he rejoined. Whilst a driver rejoining the track has a responsibility to do so safely, the Stewards note that car 25 had started to accelerate and moved slightly to the left at that point. Accordingly, the Stewards determine that driver 25 was predominantly responsible for causing the collision and, noting that the minor nature of the contact, that both cars continued and there was no competitive advantage, the Steward impose a Reprimand in this instance.


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.



Richard NORBURY
Steward (Chairman)



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Steward



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