STEWARDS DECISION

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WA Sporting Car Club Racing Championship Round 6
Featuring IPC Nationals
Motormall Wanneroo Raceway
Perth, Western Australia

The Stewards, received a request from the Clerk of Course having considered the matter determined the following

Category	HQ HOLDEN
Competitor	Car 05, Brody Topliss
Car & Driver	Car 05, Brody Topliss
Date	Saturday, 17 October 2026
Session	Qualifying
Fact	Permission to Start granted, Car 05 to start from the rear of the grid
Rule	CRSR 4.1.2 Each Driver must achieve a lap time within 130% of the fastest time recorded in that qualifying session. Any Driver failing to meet the qualifying time criterion must apply to the Stewards who may grant permission to compete.
Decision	Permission to Start granted, Car 05 to start from the rear of the grid
Reason	The Stewards received a formal request from the Competitor of Car 05 Within this request, it was explained that Car 05 had experienced a mechanical issue, which could not be rectified prior to the conclusion of the Qualifying session. As a result of these unresolved issues, Car 05 was unable to participate in the session. The Competitor further noted that these defects have since been repaired. The Stewards consulted with Scrutineering, who informed them that there is no technical reason for Car 05 not to participate in the Race. The Stewards accept that exceptional circumstances exist and are satisfied that the Driver of Car 05 is competent to compete in the Race. The Stewards grant the request on the condition that Car 05 is placed at the rear of the grid for Race 1.

The Competitor/Driver is reminded that decisions and penalties that may be subject to appeal are set out in the Circuit Race Standing Regulations, Article 7, and the right to and process for appeal are set out in the National Competition Rules, Article 101 and Articles 105 - 106.

Issued by the Stewards of the Event:

Tony Gard (Chair)
Motorsport Australia Stewards

Paul Woolhouse, Steward

Terri Woolhouse, Steward

DATE: 17 October 2026 **TIME:** 10:30.