

Date:	<b>Saturday, 06<sup>th</sup> May 2023</b>	Time:	<b>22.50 hrs</b>
Subject:	<b>Stewards Decision No. 21</b>	Document No.:	<b>2.25</b>
From:	The Stewards		
To:	Competitor car <b>No: 51 ESCUDERIA MASPALOMAS</b> Crew: <b>Noé ARMAS / Alejandro FALCON</b>		
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The Stewards, having received a report attaching several photos from the FIA Technical Delegate, (Doc 6.4) have considered the following matter, determine the following:

**Fact:** During final scrutineering, the car No 51 was found with the codriver seat support modified.

**Offence:** Breach of Article 260.3-2 of Appendix J 2023 of the 2023 FIA International Sporting Code.

**Decision: Fine of 250 € to competitor ESCUDERIA MASPALOMAS.**

In accordance with Article 12.8 FIA International Sporting Code, the payment of the fines must be done online, within 48 hours of their notification, at the following address: <https://fiafines.fia.com>. Any delay in making payment may entail Suspension during the period a fine remains unpaid.

**Reason:** The Stewards analysed the matter and the report from the FIA Technical Delegate. According to Article 260.3-2 of Appendix J 2023 of the 2023 FIA International Sporting Code, the regulations are written in terms of authorisation; therefore, what is not expressly authorised hereinafter is prohibited.

According to the report from the FIA Technical Delegate, the seat support was modified, therefore being a breach of the regulations above mentioned. This modification could represent a loss of the safety effectiveness of the element.

The Stewards concluded that this was a breach of Article 260.3-2 of Appendix J to the 2023 FIA International Sporting Code, and fine is an appropriate penalty for this infraction.

The decision is based on the FIA International Sporting Code Art. 11.9.1, Art.11.9.2.a, Art. 11.9.3.a, Art. 11.9.3.f, and Art 12.4.1.c.

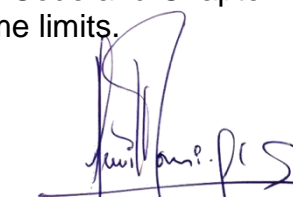
Competitors are reminded of their right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards, in accordance with Article 15 of the FIA International Sporting Code and Chapter 4 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules, within the applicable time limits.



**Arnas PALIUKENAS (LTU)**  
FIA Chairperson of the Stewards



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ASN Steward

**THIS DECISION WAS SENT TO THE COMPETITOR BY ELECTRONIC MEANS ON 06/05/2023 AT 22:55 HRS.**

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