



LE MANS CUP

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Spa - Francorchamps Round (BEL)
19 - 22 AUGUST 2026

Decision no. 24

From: The Stewards
To: BRETTON RACING

Date: 22 August 2026
Time: 14:10

The Stewards, having received a report from the MLMC Race Director, having checked video evidence determined a breach of the regulations has been committed by the competitor named below and impose the penalty referred to.

N° / Driver: 26 / Bruno RIBEIRO
Competitor: BRETTON RACING
Session: Qualifying
Time (fact): 12:28
Fact: Contact from Car 26 (Ribiero) to Car 85 (Peugeot) at Turn 1 in Qualifying.
Offence: Breach of Appendix L Chapter IV Article 2 d of International Sporting Code
Decision: Reprimand to the Driver of Car 26. In addition, 1 point deducted (balance of 7 for the 2026 season).
Reason: The Stewards summoned and heard the drivers and team representatives (documents 67 & 68) and together they examined video evidence.

Going towards Turn 1, Car 85 was behind Car 26, the track was under wet conditions. Car 85 started an overtake manoeuvre on the left handside. At the entry of Turn 1 Car 85, on the outside, was next to Car 26, on the inside. Both cars left each other space. Car 26 suffered a small understeer when he went over a small resurfaced patch on the inside, which put him on the wider line than initial foreseen. As a consequence, making mild contact with Car 85 who could continue.

The Stewards judged Car 26 responsible for this contact, but given that Car 85 could continue, see a reprimand as a more appropriate penalty in this specific case.

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 and Chapter 5 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules, within the applicable time limits.

Wim Cools
Chairman of the Panel

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