Settlement of infringement



Caterham Zandvoort

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Steward's decision number: 2



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From:

Stewards

To:

Competitor Will STILWELL

Driver Will STILWELL

Class

P4 Emergency Lighting Caterham Graduates Championship

Start no.118

The Stewards have received a report from the Race Director / Clerk of the Course that an infringement of the Regulations has occurred in that (description infringement):

A person associated with the above-mentioned competitor was seen smoking a joint. This is an alleged breach of Appendix A to the International Sporting Code, Art. 2.6.2.

The Stewards came to the following decision on the reported infringement:

The Stewards refer the matter to Motorsport UK (MSUK) for further investigation and possible sanction.

Motivation of the decision:

The Stewards have heard the driver/competitor. The driver stated that a friend of his was seen smoking marijuana and confirmed what had been observed. The driver expressed embarrassment and offered his apologies for this incident. He immediately instructed the friend in question not to do this again. The driver further stated that he had not personally used any such substance.

Appendix A to the International Sporting Code, Article 2.6.2, states that possession by a Driver Support Person In-Competition of any Prohibited Substance or any Prohibited Method may be considered an Anti-Doping Rule Violation. Since marijuana is included in Section S8 of the World Anti-Doping Code International Standard Prohibited List 2025, the Stewards consider this to constitute a breach of this article.

However, Article 11.9.6.a of the 2025 International Sporting Code states that matters relating to the FIA Anti-Doping Regulations do not fall within the authority of the Stewards to decide upon. Therefore, the Stewards refer this case to MSUK for further investigation and possible sanctions.

Stewards:

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I herewith confirm having received a copy of the decision and the instruction about my right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards in accordance with Article 15 of the International Sporting Code (CSI / ISC).

Name:

WILLIAM STILWELL

Competitor:

Date: 27/7/25