



2025 DUTCH GRAND PRIX

29 - 31 August 2025

From	The Stewards	Document	32
To	The Team Manager, Oracle Red Bull Racing	Date	30 August 2025
		Time	17:12

The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director, summoned (document 29) and heard from the driver and team representative, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

No / Driver 1 - Max Verstappen

Competitor Oracle Red Bull Racing

Time 16:02

Session Qualifying

Fact Car 1 exceeded the maximum time from the Second Safety Car line to the First Safety Car Line during the qualifying session

Infringement Alleged breach of Article 33.4 of the FIA Formula One Sporting Regulations and Article 12.2.1.(i) of the International Sporting Code - non-compliance with Race Director's Event Note (item 1, document 5).

Decision No further action.

Reason The Stewards heard from the driver of Car 1 (Max Verstappen), team representative and reviewed positioning/marshalling system data, video, timing, telemetry and in-car video evidence.

Car 1 exceeded the maximum time specified in the Race Director's Notes by 3.8 seconds, without slowing down to let any cars pass. This time was exceeded in the in-lap after Car 1 took the chequered flag.

The driver of Car 1 showed us telemetry that proved that he would have been within the delta time but for the yellow flag being shown towards the end of the lap – he had to slow significantly to comply with the yellow flag rules. This is what led to his delta time reflecting an infringement in the system.

We accepted his rationale for slowing down and accordingly took no further action.

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

Decisions of the Stewards are taken independently of the FIA and are based solely on the relevant regulations, guidelines and evidence presented.

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