

**STEWARDS DECISION****EVENT LOCATION:****DATE:**

Virginia International Raceway

16 - 19 July 2020

**Car #**

51

**Driver**

Josh Sarchet

**Team**

DC Autosport

**From:** The Stewards**Time of Incident:** 14:45**To:** The Competitor's Representative, Car No: 51**Session:**☐ Practice 1☐ Qualifying☐ Race 2**Decision No:** 213☐ Pre-Event☐ Practice 2☒ Race 1☐ Race 3**Date:** 18 July 2020**Time:** 20:35**Championship:** ☒ F4 U.S. ☐ FR Americas

The Stewards, having received ☒ a report from the Technical Delegate (document No. F4-2020-02-04) or ☐ a Protest from the Driver/Competitor of Car # [ ] , have considered the following matter and determine the following:

**Car No:** 51 **Driver:** Josh Sarchet**Competitor:** DC Autosport**Facts:**

- ☐ Use of non-compliant tire(s) during: ☐ practice ☐ qualifying or races  
☐ Weight of the car is less than the minimum specified in Article 25.1 or 25.2  
☐ Damaged, missing or incorrect seals: ☐ engine ☐ transmission ☐ shocks  
☒ Fire extinguisher not armed  
☐ Oil level is below minimum allowed in: ☐ engine ☐ transmission  
☐ Use of non-compliant oil in: ☐ engine ☐ transmission  
☐ Change of: ☐ chassis without approval ☐ engine for any reason  
☐ Failure to inform Technical Delegate of: ☐ chassis change ☐ engine change  
☐ Use of non-compliant fuel  
☐ Overall width of the car exceeds the maximum allowed  
☐ Other: [ ]

**Article:**

24.5 or 24.3  
25.5  
26.1/Tech Regs 2.7.1/TAMF4&FR-2020-008  
26.3(b)  
F4 26.3(k) or 26.3(m)/FR 26.3(e)  
26.8  
27.1 or 28.2  
27.1 or 28.7  
29.1  
F4 Tech Regs 3.3/FR Tech Regs 3.2.2

**Decision:**

- ☒ Team reprimand  
☐ A drop of [ ] grid positions at the driver's next [ ] race(s)  
☐ Starting from the pit lane at the driver's next [ ] race(s)  
☐ Deleting one or more lap times: ☐ fastest lap time in session ☐ all lap times in session  
☐ Starting from the back of the qualifying grid  
☐ Driver and car will not have lap times recorded and will be reported as Did Not Finish for the entire Event  
☐ Disqualification  
☐ Monetary team fine of \$ [ ] U.S. Dollars  
☐ A drop of [ ] places in the classification  
☐ Other: [ ]

The Stewards determined that the fire extinguisher was not properly armed in compliance with the Sporting Regulations.

**Reason:****Evidence:** ☐ Video ☐ Pit Lane Report ☐ Judge of Fact Report ☐ Timing Sheet ☐ Incident Report ☐ Competitor Hearing

The Competitor is reminded of his right to appeal in accordance with Article 47 of the Sporting Regulations except where the penalties are not susceptible to appeal (Article 16.3 of the Sporting Regulations).

Pat di Natale  
Steward (Chairman)

Wesley Cunningham  
Steward

John Walsh  
Steward