



F4 United States Championship
Michelin Raceway Road Atlanta
26 – 28 March 2021

From	The Stewards	Stewards Decision No. 115
To	The Team Manager – JHDD #5	Date 27 March 2021
	Driver – Matt Christensen	Time 19:00

The Stewards, having received a protest from the team representative from Velocity Race Development car no. 22– Dan Mitchell (Document F4-P1), driven by Nico Christodoulou, protesting the JHDD no. 5 – driven by Matt Christensen, for violation of F4 Sporting Regulations Art 19.4.

The Stewards reviewed the protest and found it timely and admissible.

The Stewards summoned both drivers and their team representatives (Jay Howard, Dakota Dickerson), held a hearing at 18:30 and heard from both drivers. In-car video from the no 22 was reviewed. There was no in-car video from the no. 5 car, as the camera data file was empty.

Having heard from the drivers and team representatives and examined video/audio/telemetry evidence have considered the following matter and determine the following:

No/Driver	F4 No 5 – Matt Christensen
Competitor	Jay Howard Driver Development (JHDD)
Time	16:05
Session	F4 Race 2
Documents	Driver Protest Form F4-P1, F4-P1 video files
Offence	Breach of Article 19.4 of the Sporting Regulations read with Article 19.5 and 15.1.g of the Sporting Regulations.
Decision	The Protest is upheld. The Stewards find that the driver violated SR 19.4. The Stewards assign a 10 second penalty, applied post-race.

The Protesting being upheld, the protest fee shall be returned to the Protestor.

The Competitor is reminded of his right to appeal in accordance with Article 16.2 of the Sporting Regulations except where the penalties are not susceptible to appeal (Article 16.2.5 of the Sporting Regulations).

Brian Till

Steward (Chairman)

Wesley Cunningham

Steward

John Walsh

Steward

Received by the Competitor:

Signature: _____ Printed name: _____

Date: _____ Title: _____