

F4 United States Championship

New Jersey Motorsports Park

29 - 31 July 2022

From	The Stewards	Document	Stewards Decision 408
To	The Team Manager	Date	30 July 2022
	Velocity Racing Development	Time	14:10

The Stewards, having received a protest from Gonella Racing on behalf of driver Arturo Flores (F4 #22) (Document No F4-P1-NJMP), having examined video evidence, summoned and heard from driver Arturo Flores and team representative Ernie Gonella (Gonella Racing) and driver Matt Christensen and team representative Jacob Loomis (Velocity Racing Development), have considered the following matter and determine the following:

No/Driver 45 – Matt Christensen

Competitor Velocity Racing Development

Time 11:44

Session F4 Qualifying

Facts Gonella Racing filed a protest against F4 #45 alleging that the car blocked the F4 #22 car on the

> front straight leading to turn 1 and interfered with the #22 car's qualifying lap. The Stewards reviewed the protest, found it to be timely and admissible, and summoned the drivers and team

representatives for a hearing at 13:50.

Offence Breach of Article 15.1.g of the Sporting Regulations.

Decision Three (3) grid spots.

Reason The Stewards determined that car 45 impeded car 22. The Stewards uphold the protest and

direct the protest deposit to be returned to the protestor.

Competitors are reminded that they have the right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards in accordance with Article 16.2 of the Sporting Regulations, except where the penalties are not susceptible to appeal (Articles 16.1.4.d, 16.2.2.e and 16.2.5 of the Sporting Regulations), within the applicable time limits.

John Walsh

Wesley Cunningham

Dave Hsu

Steward (Chairman)

Steward

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