



F4 United States Championship

Mid-Ohio Sports Car Course

22 – 25 June 2023

From	The Stewards	Document	Stewards Decision 307
To	The Team Managers	Date	25 June 2023
	International Motorsports and Crosslink Kiwi Motorsport	Time	23:00

The Stewards, having received a technical protest from Crosslink Kiwi Motorsport on behalf of driver Lewis Hodgson (F4 #30) against International Motorsports and driver Augusto Soto-Schirripa (F4 #24), having examined the protested component on car 24, summoned and heard from the drivers and team representatives, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

No/Driver	24 – Augusto Soto-Schirripa
Competitor	International Motorsports
Time	14:45
Session	Race 3 (Round 9)
Facts	The protest alleged that the left side pod of car 24 was not as supplied from the manufacturer and had been modified. The Stewards determined that the protest was admissible and filed in a timely manner. The Stewards then called for a hearing at 16:45, which was attended by the drivers, the team representatives for International Motorsports (Juan Manuel Silva) and Crosslink Kiwi Motorsport (Gill Kaszuba), and the Series Technical Delegate (Aaron Coalwell). The drivers and team representatives were each given the opportunity to make opening and closing statements. After the hearing, the Stewards were provided with a Technical Findings Report on the matter from Mr. Coalwell (Document No. F4-TFR-2023-001).
Offence	Alleged breach of Article 26.1 of the Sporting Regulations.
Decision	Protest is disallowed.
Reason	The Stewards determined that there was no evidence to support the protestor's allegations against the 24 car, and therefore disallow the protest. The Stewards direct that the protest deposit be retained by Parella Motorsports Holdings in accordance with article 16.1.3(d) of the Sporting Regulations.

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

Steward (Chairman)

Wesley Cunningham

Steward

Kyle Colbey

Steward