



EUROPEAN LE MANS SERIES
4 Hours of Spa-Francorchamps
18th to 23rd August 2026

From: The Stewards
To: All competitors and drivers

Bulletin no. 1
Date: 20 August 2026
Time: 17:55

The Stewards notify all Competitors and all Officials of the following:

1. Time penalties

If a Drive Through penalty is notified on the timing screens during the last 15 minutes or after the Race (and the car does not fulfil the penalty), the latter will be converted into a **30 seconds** penalty added to a time in application of article 12 of 2026 ISC and article 7.5.2 of 2026 ELMS Sporting Regulations.

If a Stop & Go penalty is notified on the timing screens during the last 15 minutes or after the Race (and the car does not fulfil the penalty), the latter will be converted into a **35 seconds** penalty plus the prescribed stop time added to the elapsed time of the car in application of article 12 of 2026 ISC and article 7.5.2 of 2026 ELMS Sporting Regulations.

2. LMP3 Pit stop time

In accordance with the Drivers & Team Managers briefing notes **V1**, the Pit Stop Reference Time for the Spa - Francorchamps Event is defined as **105 seconds**.

3. Balance of Performance

In accordance with Article 6.2.4 of the 2026 ELMS Sporting Regulations, the Stewards confirm that the Balance of Performance document applicable for this Competition is the document issued directly to the Competitors on 14th August 2026 under Elms Committee Decision #D17 ELMS_2026_D17_LMGT3_BOP_Spa.

4. Timetable

The Stewards confirm the issue of V3 of the timetable.

The panel of Stewards notify all Competitors and all Officials of the following **corrections to Appendix 1:**

PART 1 (Article 2)

4.Start of checking

- Scrutineering on Tuesday 18th August at ~~8:30am~~ 2pm

8. Precise location at the circuit

- Race Director's Office: F1 Pit Building – 1st floor – Office ~~422~~117

- Sporting checks: F1 Pit Building – 1st floor – Office ~~429~~ 127 Briefing room

- Official virtual notice board - <http://elms.alkamelsystems.com/> - All classifications will be displayed ~~20 minutes~~ **as soon as possible** after the end of the sessions or the race.

PART B – reserved for the ELMS (Article 7.3)

Leading car driver: Yannick Dalmas

Judges of Fact

The document listing all nominated Judges of Fact will be issued on Friday morning. In addition, the following persons and duties are nominated:

Safety Car Observer – Christian Sonnevile

Alkamel Track Limits Operator – Alberto Goni

ACO Scrutineers and Pit Lane Officials

José Garrido

Cedric Lopes

Clément Vieville

Ilan Guilbaud

Bernard Voneche

Santiago Cano

Claude Loir

Patrick Dupin

Gwenael Wattu

Manuel Alvarez

Maria Pilucea

Maxime Poncet

Anna Brunkhe

Steeve Lecloux

Ashley Thomas

ELMS Organisation Officials

Gäelle Chouteau

Clémence Hejoaka

Jade Renaudin

Lara Bru

Samantha Rocher

Maxime Gaudin

Alain Peltier

Samantha Benes

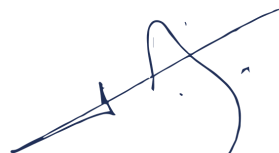
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Michael Schwägerl
Chairman of the Panel

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Valerio Brizzolari
International Steward

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Yves Bacquellaine
National Steward