



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

Decision no. 28

From: The Stewards
To: TDS RACING

Date: 21 August 2026
Time: 17:48

The Stewards, having received a report from the Technical Delegate, summoned the Competitor and determined the following:

N° / Competitor: 14 / TDS RACING
Session: Bronze Driver Collective Test
Time (fact): 15:12
Fact: The Competitor used undeclared tyres during the Bronze Collective Driver Test.
Offence: Breach of Art. 6.5.1 of 2026 ELMS Sporting Regulations
Decision: 4000 euro fine (Art. 6.5.8 ELMS Sporting Regulations 2026) suspended until the end of the 2026 ELMS season. Should the Competitor carry out a similar infringement at any time during the season, the suspended penalty will be imposed together with the penalty for the actual offence.
Reason: The Technical Delegate reported that the tyres used by the Competitor had not been declared on the list provided by the tyre manufacturer in accordance with the article 6.5.1 of the ELMS Sporting Regulations 2026.

The Stewards heard from the Competitor who explained that because of a special regulations of the Bronze Collective Driver Test under Art. 8.1.3. of 2026 Sporting Regulations, it was not necessary to register the tyres for the Bronze test as they can not be used for any other part of the Race.

In accordance with the article 6.5.8 of the ELMS Sporting Regulations 2026, the Stewards determine this to be an eligibility infringement and impose a fine of 1000€ per tyre (4000€ in total).

Competitors are reminded that they have the right to appeal certain decisions of the Stewards, in accordance with Article 15 of the FIA International Sporting Code and Article 9.1.1 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules, within the applicable time limits.

Michael Schwägerl
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