

# 2020 BELGIAN GRAND PRIX

## 27 - 30 August 2020

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The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director, summoned (document 36) and heard from the driver and team representative, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

**No / Driver** 16 - Charles Leclerc

**Competitor** Scuderia Ferrari

**Time** 14:38

**Session** Reconnaissance Laps

**Fact** Driving unnecessarily slowly.

**Offence** Alleged failure to follow the Race Director's instruction (point 8 Race Director's notes) and alleged breach of Article 12.1.1.i of the FIA International Sporting Code.

**Decision** No further action.

**Reason** The Stewards heard from the driver of Car 16 (Charles Leclerc) and team representative and noted the report from the Race Director.

The Race Director's Note to Teams (document 16) specified a maximum time of 2:04.0 between the Safety Car lines and car 16 recorded a time of 2:06.087.

However, the Team advised that the driver had crossed SC2 line hence triggering the timing for the lap, then stopped for approximately 12 seconds to perform a practice start, then completed the Reconnaissance Lap. This was independently verified by the Stewards from the on board video of Car 16. Accordingly, no breach was determined to have occurred.

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 10.1.1 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules, within the applicable time limits.

**Garry Connelly**

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**The Stewards**