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2026 LAS VEGAS GRAND PRIX

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From	The Stewards	**Document**	45
To	The Team Manager, Visa Cash App Racing Bulls F1 Team	**Date**	20 November 2026
		Time	22:41

The Stewards, having received a report from the Race Director, have considered the following matter and determine the following:

No / Driver 41 - Arvid Lindblad

Competitor Visa Cash App Racing Bulls F1 Team

Time 20:29

Session Qualifying

Fact Car 41 was released in an unsafe manner into the path of Car 23.

Infringement Breach of Article B1.6.2a of the FIA F1 Regulations.

Decision The competitor (Visa Cash App Racing Bulls F1 Team) is fined €5,000.

Reason The Stewards heard from the team representative and reviewed video and in-car video evidence.

Car 41 (LIN) was released from its pit position into the path of Car 23 (ALB), which was approaching in the fast lane. The Stewards determined that this constituted an unsafe release.

During the hearing, the team representative acknowledged that the release was unsafe and explained that a malfunction of the radio communication system had affected the coordination of the release procedure.

The Stewards accepted this explanation and acknowledged that the communication failure was not intentional. However, the circumstances leading to the release do not alter the fact that Car 41 was released into the path of another car.

The Stewards noted that reliable communication is an important element of a safe release procedure and that appropriate backup arrangements should be available in the event of a communication failure.

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 Chapter 5 of the FIA Judicial and Disciplinary Rules, within the applicable time limits.

Decisions of the Stewards are taken independently of the FIA and are based solely on the relevant regulations, guidelines and evidence presented.

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