

Stewards Decision

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Trophy Tour - R5 VMCi

Phillip Island Grand Prix Circuit

2-4 October 2026

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

Category	Sports Sedans
Car and Driver	111, Matt Sims
Competitor	Matt Sims
Date	2026-10-04
Session	R27- Sports Sedans
Fact	car 111 passed car 5 before the control line following a safety car restart
Rule	CRSR 5.13.15: An Automobile may not overlap or overtake another until it has crossed the Control Line after the signal to restart has been given unless an Automobile slows with an obvious problem and an Automobile cannot avoid passing it without unduly delaying the remainder of the field.
Decision	15 seconds added to the race time of car 111
Reason	judge of fact observed car 111 to overtake car 5 prior to crossing the control line.

The Competitor/Driver is reminded that decisions and penalties that may be subject to appeal are set out in the Circuit Race Standing Regulations, Article 7, and the right to and process for appeal are set out in the National Competition Rules, Article 101 and Articles 105 - 106.

Issued by the Stewards of the Event:

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