

**TO:**  Teams  Manufacturers

**CATEGORY:**  Hypercar  LMGT3

**DECISION N°:** WEC\_2024\_D25\_All\_Discord\_policy

**DATE:** 20/02/2024 **FROM:** The WEC Committee

**SUBJECT:** Policy regarding the use of Discord

## APPLICABLE REGULATION

**Article 4.3.3**  2024 FIA World Endurance Championship Sporting Regulations

## DECISION

The WEC Committee would like to clarify the following provisions regarding Article 4.3.3:

### 4.3.3 Electronic means of communication

The officials and the Promoter may use electronic means of communication. For the 2024 season, the principal electronic mean of communication will be Discord. A user policy is set out below and must be abided by. Clerical mistakes from officials cannot be opposed to them in any way or form.

The Competitors must be connected to these means of communication at all times and signal any malfunction.

When they receive a communication, Competitors must immediately acknowledge receipt.

Discord will be used in accordance with the following guidelines (which are not limitative):

- A maximum of two (or 3 for hybrid cars) connections are allowed per car number: one dedicated for eSafety (for hybrid cars), one dedicated for technical purposes and one for the declared Team Manager
- Competitors' ID's must be labelled as follows: 'aa\_bbbb\_cccc', with aa= the car number, bbbb= the team name and cccc= eSAFE or TECH or TM
- Private conversations outside of identified 'individual' channels can only take place at the initiative of an official, who may choose to interrupt the conversation at discretion.
- No regulatory inquiry from Competitors will be handled in private conversations. Any such inquiry from Competitor during a session must be dealt with during an in-person appointment, at the Officials' discretion.
- Competitors can only report an incident once, using the appended Incident Report Template, that must be posted in the Race Control room.
- Any failure to comply with the above, or any other behavior deemed inappropriate will result in removal from the Discord Server.



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## PERIOD OF VALIDITY/APPLICATION OF THE DECISION

This decision comes into effect:

**with immediate application**

from:

And is applicable:

**until further notice**

for the mentioned event(s) only