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**Race Final Communications Report**

NO	DATE	TIME	FLAG	MESSAGE
1	02.04.2026	20:29		CAR 46 (ZAC) - REQUIRED TO START FROM THE BACK OF THE GRID ON NEXT RACE FOR CHANGING PRESE...
2	02.04.2026	21:15		QUALIFYING SESSION START DELAYED TO 21:30
3	02.04.2026	21:19		CAR 77 (BEF) - REPRIMAND FOR FAILING TO BE IN SESSION ON TIME
4	02.04.2026	21:19		CAR 94 (TUR) - REPRIMAND FOR FAILING TO BE IN SESSION ON TIME
5	02.04.2026	21:19		CAR 94 (TUR) - REPRIMAND FOR FAILING TO RESPECT THE RACE DIRECTOR INSTRUCTIONS
6	02.04.2026	21:19		CAR 94 (TUR) - REQUIRED TO START FROM THE BACK OF THE GRID FOR REACHED REPRIMANDS LIMIT
7	02.04.2026	21:30	 Pit lane	PIT LANE OPEN
8	02.04.2026	21:32	 Car 75	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 75 (PAL)
9	02.04.2026	21:32	 Car 75	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 75 (PAL)
10	02.04.2026	21:34	 Sector 3	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 3
11	02.04.2026	21:34	 Sector 2	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 2
12	02.04.2026	21:34	 All track	TRACK IS CLEAR
13	02.04.2026	21:34	 Car 1	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 1 (MER)
14	02.04.2026	21:35	 Car 58	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 58 (VAL)
15	02.04.2026	21:36	 Sector 2	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 2
16	02.04.2026	21:36	 All track	TRACK IS CLEAR
17	02.04.2026	21:36		CAR 77 (BEF) - REPRIMAND FOR INCONSISTENCY WITH THE DRIVER LICENSE
18	02.04.2026	21:41	 Sector 2	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 2
19	02.04.2026	21:41	 All track	TRACK IS CLEAR
20	02.04.2026	21:41	 Car 58	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 58 (VAL)
21	02.04.2026	21:42	 Car 58	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 58 (VAL)
22	02.04.2026	21:46	 Car 2	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 2 (ARC)
23	02.04.2026	21:47	 Finish line	CHEQUERED FLAG
24	02.04.2026	21:52		FORMATION LAP STARTED
25	02.04.2026	21:54		FORMATION LAP IS ENDING - STARTING SEQUENCE TO BEGIN
26	02.04.2026	21:54		LIGHTS OUT - RACE STARTED
27	02.04.2026	21:58	 Sector 1	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 1
28	02.04.2026	21:58	 All track	TRACK IS CLEAR
29	02.04.2026	22:02	 Sector 1	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 1
30	02.04.2026	22:02	 Sector 3	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 3
31	02.04.2026	22:03	 Sector 2	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 2
32	02.04.2026	22:03	 All track	TRACK IS CLEAR
33	02.04.2026	22:03	Sector 3	CAR 94 (TUR) RETIRED IN TRACK SECTOR 3 ON LAP 5
34	02.04.2026	22:04	 Sector 2	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 2
35	02.04.2026	22:04	 All track	TRACK IS CLEAR
36	02.04.2026	22:08	 Sector 2	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 2
37	02.04.2026	22:08	 All track	TRACK IS CLEAR
38	02.04.2026	22:09	Pit lane	CAR 77 (BEF) RETIRED IN PIT ON LAP 10
39	02.04.2026	22:10	Pit lane	CAR 40 (PRA) RETIRED IN PIT ON LAP 11
40	02.04.2026	22:12	 Car 69	WAVED BLACK AND WHITE FLAG FOR CAR 69 (VUL) - LET POSITION
41	02.04.2026	22:15		LAP 13 INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 1 (MAR) AND 69 (VUL) UNDER INVESTIGATION
42	02.04.2026	22:19		LAP 17 INCIDENT INVOLVING CAR 1 (MAR) AND 69 (VUL) UNDER INVESTIGATION
43	02.04.2026	22:26	 Car 51	WAVED BLUE FLAG FOR CAR 51 (DMU)
44	02.04.2026	22:32	 Sector 2	YELLOW FLAG IN SECTOR 2
45	02.04.2026	22:32	 All track	TRACK IS CLEAR
46	02.04.2026	22:33	Sector 2	CAR 8 (RAM) RETIRED IN TRACK SECTOR 2 ON LAP 25
47	02.04.2026	22:35	 Finish line	CHEQUERED FLAG
48	02.04.2026	23:30		CAR 8 (RAM) - REPRIMAND FOR ILLEGAL OVERTAKE/S
49	03.04.2026	00:19		CAR 69 (VUL) - REPRIMAND FOR PUSHING ANOTHER CAR OFF TRACK
50	03.04.2026	00:20		CAR 1 (MAR) - 5 SECONDS TIME PENALTY FOR INCIDENT WITH CAR 69 (VUL)

**RACE DIRECTION**

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