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THE COURT OF ARBITRATION FOR SPORT (CAS) REGISTERS THE APPEALS FILED BY ANDREA IANNONE AND THE WORLD ANTI-DOPING AGENCY (WADA) AGAINST THE FIM INTERNATIONAL DISCIPLINARY COURT DECISION OF 31 MARCH 2020

Lausanne, 9 June 2020 - The Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) has registered the appeals filed by Italian MotoGP rider Andrea Iannone and the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) against the decision taken by the Fédération Internationale de Motocyclisme (FIM) International Disciplinary Court decision dated 31 March 2020 (the Challenged Decision) in which Andrea Iannone was found to have committed an anti-doping rule violation and an 18-month period of ineligibility was imposed on him.

Andrea Iannone seeks to have the Challenged Decision annulled, whereas WADA requests that the Challenged Decision be replaced by a new decision imposing a four-year period of ineligibility on the rider.

The procedures have been consolidated and will be referred to the same Panel of arbitrators. A procedural timetable is being established for the filing of the written submissions. No hearing date has been fixed yet.