

## Confederation of Autosport Car Clubs

# Regulatory Bulletin



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Motorsport Discipline	Race
Subject	Adoption of international red flag standards

#### Background

CACC Regulatory Bulletin 2022-RACE-03 brings CACC red and black flag regulations into line with FIA standards.

#### Regulation

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This allows for flags to be consistent with FIA, other sanctioning bodies (such as SCCA) and other regions.

The Clerk and Steward did not use the "Black Flag All" this year and the events were not compromised at all. This rule was put in place years ago before turn 6 was improved, there is no need for it now and it is confusing to drivers, especially visiting drivers.