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BRYCE MILLER PASSES IN TURN ONE FOR THE LEAD AND NEVER LOOKS BACK IN RACE FIVE OF THE IMSA GT3 CUP BY MICHELIN

Indianapolis, Indiana – June 17 – Walking onto the track at the brickyard is something that can only be described as “magical”. To race here is indescribable as the IMSA GT3 cup drivers had the opportunity to do both on this Formula One race day. Three drivers would stand on the podium with the national anthem playing as three American flags raised behind them, but only Bryce Miller would be on the top step and claim the victory.

Veteran driver Bryce Miller of the #48 Farnbacher Loles Marquis Jet/Paul Miller Porsche 911 GT3 Cup entry posted the fastest time in practice and looked to be the man to beat for the first race of the two race weekend at INDY. He would have a disappointing qualifying session and start 36th on the grid and finish 7th for race one. Bryce commented about his struggles in qualifying and race one;

“Good redemption from yesterday. We had a spin in qualifying that flat spotted our tires and put us at the back of the grid in 37th. We were able to work our way up to the seventh position and score the third fastest lap which secured us a third spot qualifying for the grid today.”

I didn't really have that great of a run on the start. Charlie had a beautiful start he just pulled all of us and we were in a one two three formation but just going down into turn one it seemed to me everyone was breaking a little bit early so I just lengthened my breaking zone and was able to squeeze the car down in there on the inside and the car stuck. It just seemed I could place it anywhere on the track today. The guy's worked really hard at Farnbacher Loles to give me a better setup for today, it was just awesome. Thanks to my sponsors Marquis Jet and IPC and happy Fathers day to my Dad who is here. It's great to give this back to him on Fathers Day.

The winner of the first of the two race weekend was rookie Charles Scardina from Del Ray Beach, FL in the #33 Anasca Homes Metro Racing Systems, Porsche 911 GT3 Cup entry. Charles dominated race one leading almost every lap and was poised for the repeat as he sat on the pole for race two.

“Going into one I saw Bryce (Miller) behind me and I didn't think he was going to make the move inside me, he did a great job breaking deep into turn one, I didn't expect that one. He got through there clean. I thought he was going to overshoot it but he made it. He was sliding a little the first lap so I was giving him pressure for

the first couple of laps but after that my rear was all over the place and we had a whole race to go so I saw that I had a little gap behind me to third so I just eased off and he just kept going. I expected him to slow up but it seemed he didn't slow up at all.

Overall it was a really great weekend. We would have liked to win the second race but it was awesome, great weekend.

Charles Scardina continues to lead the championship with 96 points and looks to be a front runner at the next race at Mid Ohio.

Second place finisher in race one of the weekend was Bob Faieta driver of the #4 CareLevel Racing /CareLevel Management Porsche GT3 Cup entry. Bob is no stranger to racing with the front runners as he has battled with Charles Scardina in every race this season and won round three at Miller Motorsports Park. He would capture 3rd place for race two of the weekend and move up to 2nd in the championship with 69 points.

Drivers in the IMSA GT3 Cup by Michelin will compete at Mid-Ohio Sports Car Course in Lexington, Ohio July 21st for rounds six and seven with the American Le Mans series.

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