

SIR FRANK WILLIAMS RECEIVED THE 'BERNIE ECCLESTONE AWARD BY BREMBO 2014' ON THE OCCASION OF THE SPANISH FORMULA ONE GRAND PRIX

The Founder and Team Principal of Williams Martini Racing received the 2014 edition of the 'Bernie Ecclestone Award by Brembo', to have contributed to the growth of Formula One, reaching prestigious results thanks to personality and entrepreneurial capability.

(Circuit de Barcelona, 10th May 2015) – During a private prize ceremony taken place at Williams Martini Racing Hospitality inside the paddock of Circuit de Barcelona, Riccardo Cesarini, Brembo Performance Group Director, donated to Sir Frank Williams the prize 'Bernie Ecclestone Award by Brembo 2014'.

The award, a braking system of a Formula One car, was achieved with the following motivation:

"To have contributed to the spread and growth of Formula One worldwide, reaching prestigious results with personality and entrepreneurial capability. The Williams name has been synonymous with top-level motorsport since the 1960s, with the foundation in 1966 of Frank Williams Racing Cars and later in 1977, along with Engineer Patrick Head, establishing Williams Grand Prix Engineering. Williams Martini Racing achieved 16 FIA Formula One World Championships, 9 in Constructors' Championship and 7 in Drivers' Championship, scoring 114 victories. Brembo is honoured to assign this award to Sir Frank Williams".

The international prize 'Bernie Ecclestone Award by Brembo' was born in 2011 to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Italian Company. In that occasion, Alberto Bombassei, Brembo Chairman, gave to Bernie Ecclestone a braking system personalized with the colour of the Italian flag.

In 2012 the award was assigned to Luca Cordero di Montezemolo, Ferrari Spa Chairman, while in 2013 the prize was conferred to Niki Lauda, non-executive Chairman of Mercedes AMG Petronas F1 team.

This artistic and symbolic trophy aims to reward the entrepreneurial, sporting, technical, artistic and moral merits of personalities who, like Sir Frank Williams, are distinguished in racing world, reaching excellent results and contributing to the growth of Formula One.

The Italian Company continues to guarantee maximum commitment in research and development of highly innovative and technological products, offering high performances, best reliability and safety.

Since 1975 to date, Brembo has achieved 20 Drivers World Championships and 25 Constructors World Championships, divided in this way: 14 with Scuderia Ferrari, 4 with Red Bull Racing, 3 with McLaren Honda, 2 with Benetton Renault, 1 with Brawn GP and 1 with Mercedes AMG Petronas F1 Team.

Attached:

Some photos of the private award ceremony at Williams Martini Racing Hospitality

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