

ULTIMATE AND GRAFF GETTING INTO RHYTHM AT THE 4 HOURS OF BARCELONA



For the first race of European Le Mans Series in Barcelona, Ultimate was unlucky despite a promising pace.

Two days of prologue allowed Ultimate to confirm the homogeneity of its line up composed of Matthieu Lahaye, Jean-Baptiste Lahaye and Eric Trouillet. The latter score the fastest time of the Bronze test which confirmed the hopes for good results.

Following Matthieu's qualifying session, the #35 Ligier JSP320 started 10th in LMP3. Thanks to a very good start and a good early race pace, Eric Trouillet was leading the category after the first hour. However, several racing events compromised our race by the end of Eric's stint and Jean-Baptiste's one. Matthieu finally brought the car home in 7th place in LMP3 for the first collaboration between Ultimate and GRAFF.

Pascal Rauturier, Team Manager: *"I would like to thank the whole team for their work: the prologue and first weekend of racing are always intense. I also want to thank all the drivers who contributed to the end result. We were not able to finish the race where we wanted, but I feel like we have the right package for this season. We will come back to Paul Ricard for our national round to win."*

Following the cancellation of Imola's round, the next race of the European Le Mans Series will take place in Paul Ricard on July 16th.