

DECISION

Request No.: 02

Protest

Event: Finn Masters Europeans Race Number: 3
Hearing Schedule: 2023-09-06 17:30

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 02: Finn - NED 68 - Bow 83 - Houweling K.W.V. de Kaag

Finn - GBR 567 - Bow 32 - Hughes WARSASH Sailing Club

Witnesses: GBR 567 Acknowledged

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: No proper hail

Red Flag Displayed: Not required

Decision: Request Invalid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

FACTS FOUND

1. NED 68 did not hail "Protest" immediately after the incident, which included a collision between GBR 567 and NED 68, and resulted in a damage to NED 68.
2. NED 68 did not subsequently inform GBR 567 of her intention to protest.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules:

NED 68 failed to hail 'Protest' at the first reasonable opportunity, as required by RRS 61.1(a).

DECISION

Date & Time: 2023-09-06 17:45 CEST

The protest is invalid, the hearing is closed under RRS 63.5.

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Committee Type: Protest Committee

Chaired By: Sylvie Harle (FRA)

Committee Members: David Hudson (RSA), Mina Stanikic (SRB), Rainer Heinrich (GER), Antonio Gonzalez de la Madrid (ESP)