

# DECISION

Request No.: 04

## Request for Redress

Event: 2023 J/24 European Championship Race Number: 2  
Hearing Schedule: 2023-08-25 09:00

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 04: J/24 - HUN 4026 - St. James - Andras Benedict

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed

**Red Flag Displayed:** Yes

**Decision:** Request Valid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

The facts given in case number 2 also apply to this case.

### FACTS FOUND

1. Race no 2 was restarted and sailed in the evening of 23/08, after the hearing for case number 2. HUN 4026's hull was being repaired during this time.
2. On the morning of 24/08, the damage had been repaired and the boat was back on the water.
3. Decision point 3 in case 2 states, "HUN 4026 may be entitled to redress if she is unable to start in the restart or subsequent races. HUN 4026 will need to request redress after the races affected and any redress will be limited by World Sailing Case 116."

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

**Rules:**

HUN 4026's score in race 2 was made significantly worse through no fault of her own by physical damage because of the action of HUN 5365 that was breaking RRS 11 and 14, and took an appropriate penalty. Therefore, the requirements for redress in RRS 62.1(b) are met.

### DECISION

**Date & Time:** 2023-08-25 09:42 CEST

Redress is given to HUN 4026. HUN 4026 is to be scored in race 2, points equal to the average, rounded to the nearest tenth of a point (0.05 to be rounded upward), of her points in all races sailed in the series, except race 2. No other boat's score shall change. Redress is subject to case 116 which states: fewer than half of a boat's race scores included in her series score, after any exclusion(s), are based on average points.

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Committee Type:** International Jury

**Chaired By:** Will Davies (GBR)

**Committee Members:** Dusan Vanicky (SVK), Alina Stratigiou (GRE), Zsolt Regenyi (HUN), Váradi Imre (HUN)