

Protest and Request for Redress

Protest No: 03

Received At: 2023-07-15 14:28 EDT

1. Event Name: 2023 J22 North American Championship

Protest On: 2023-07-15

Race No: 4

2. Hearing Type

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Protest | <input type="checkbox"/> Request to Reopen |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Protest by RC | <input type="checkbox"/> Reopening by PC |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Protest by PC | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Request for Redress |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Protest by TC | <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Redress by RC |

3. Protestor

J22 - USA 1542 - Honey Badger - Travis Odenbach

4. Protestees

1. J22 - USA 483 - Reckless - Tom Barnes

5. Incident

Time Place: Starting line of race 4 near middle/pin area

Rules: Rule 10

Witnesses: Bow 11

6. Informing Protestee

Hail:

Hail When: Immediately

Hail Comment: Protest bow 11

Red Flag:

Red Flag Comment Immediately

Other:

Other Comment:

7. Description Of Incident

Just following the start gun Bow 11 tacks onto port causing us as windward boat on starboard to tack to Avoid collision but bow 11 hit us causing damage and forcing us onto port into other windward boats- resulting in additional collisions.

We witnessed our hull damaged and were forced into irons and were making way backwards.

After getting untangled we assessed the damage to determine if we could proceed safely and with bare fiberglass showing - we thought we could and then continued the race.

Bow 11 admitted fault by performing a 360 and we are requesting redress and average points for race 4.

8. Damage Or Injury

Damage /chunk out of our port side toe rail

Damage to our port side of hull in a few places

Attachments



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