

# DECISION

Request No.: 04

## Protest

Event: YAI 3rd Secunderabad Club Youth Regatta Race Number: 8  
Hearing Schedule: 2023-07-13

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 04: ILCA - BOYS - IND 210439 - 210447 - SHASHANK BHATHAM

ILCA - BOYS - IND 210449 - 222622 - VISHWANATH PADIDALA

Witnesses: None

### VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Protest hailed

Red Flag Displayed: N/A

Decision: Request Valid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

### FACTS FOUND

1. Winds were about 5-7 knots
2. 210449 was on starboard and 210439 was on port tack, sailing by the lee, both on a downwind leg to mark 4P.
3. When 210449 entered the zone of mark 4P, 210439 was the inside, overlapped boat, and 210449 the outside boat.
4. Two boat lengths away from the mark 4P, 210449 gybed to port tack, and 210449's mainsheet got stuck on the transom after the gybe was completed.
5. Still overlapped on outside at the mark, when 210449 rounded the mark, she was only about half a meter away from the Mark.
6. 210439 bore away, and sailed under the stern of 210449 to round the mark, close on the stern of 210449.
7. 210439 hailed protest.
8. There was no contact.
9. There was no damage or injury.
10. No boats took any penalty.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: RRS 18.2(b)

Sail No. 210449, outside overlapped at the zone, failed to give 210439 mark-room, and broke RRS 18.2(b).

### DECISION

210449 is DSQ in Race no 8.

Date & Time: 2023-07-13 17:35 IST

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

Committee Type: Protest Committee

Chaired By: Purnima Tiwari (IND)

Committee Members: Deepak Singh Dikhit (IND), Ananya Siwach (IND), Tribhuwan Jaiswal (IND), Meghna Pradipak (IND)