

Request to Reopen

Protest No: 05

Received At: 2021-06-21 16:57 PDT

1. Event Name: SFYC Knarr and J/105 Regatta

Protest On: 2021-06-21

Race No: 1

2. Hearing Type

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

3. Protestor

J/105 - 385 - MAVERICK - Ian Charles

4. Protestees

1. J/105 - 3 - Ne*Ne - Tim Russell

5. Incident

Time Place: Request to reopen Decisions 1 & 4

Rules:

Witnesses:

6. Informing Protestee

Hail:

Hail When:

Hail Comment:

Red Flag:

Red Flag Comment

Other:

Other Comment:

7. Description Of Incident

I respectfully submit such further evidence, unavailable to me at the time of the hearing, in the form of photographs of the flag displayed taken today. These photos show that the flag has a hoist of 11.5 inches and a fly of 12.5 inches. While there may be larger protest flags available, this particular protest flag is the standard size used on mid-sized keelboats such as the J/105, and has been used by a substantial number of boats for years without issue. I submit that this flag complies with the requirements of RRS 61.1, and that the panel's decision to the contrary was error.

In light of this and other evidence such as the series of photos submitted to the panel during the hearing clearly showing that the flag was in fact displayed, I respectfully urge the panel to reconsider its decision and set a new hearing in light of these developments.

8. Damage Or Injury

None

Attachments



image001.jpg



image002.jpg



image003.jpg



image004.jpg