Request for Redress and Request for Redress by RC

Protest No: 01

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1. Event Name: RYA Olympic Class National Ranking Series - Autumn 2021

Protest On: 2021-11-08 **Race No:** 3,4,5,6,7,

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☐ Protest	Request to Reopen
Protest by RC	Reopening by PC
Protest by PC	Request for Redress
Protest by TC	Request for Redress by RC

3. Protestor

RYA National Ranker Entry - 49er FX - 49erfx - 379 Logictech - Simon Hiscocks

4. Protestees

1. RYA National Ranker Entry - 49er FX - 49erfx - 379 Logictech - Simon Hiscocks

5. Incident

Time Place: all races scored on sunday

Rules: ? Witnesses: na

6. Informing Protestee

☐ Hail:

Hail When:

Hail Comment:

□ Red Flag:

Red Flag Comment

☐ Other:

Other Comment:

7. Description Of Incident

49er fx has been scored dnc in all races on sunday, races 3,4,5,6,7. A request for scoring error has been sunbmitted and the response was that the entered boat did not compete in those races. In fact the boat did compete in all races scorring a 2,2,1,1,1. The scorring error response stated that the boat did not request a change of crew according to the sailing instructions. The sailing instructions do not state that a crew can not be substituted. SI. 20.1 refers only to substitution of equipment. There is no rule in the SI to request a change of crew. RRS 46 states;

46 PERSON IN CHARGE

A boat shall have on board a person in charge designated by the member or organization that entered the boat. See rule 75

In all races during this event Anna Carpenter has been on board 49erfx 379. In all instances the RRS refers to 'boats' not competitors.

49er fx 379 has been scored dnc in races 3 - 7 improperly by the RC and the scoring error refers to a non existent sailing instruction. 49er fx 379 scores in this event have been effected by improper actions of the RC and the response to the scoring error.

379 request that its scores be reinstated and all other scores adjusted accordingly.

Further RRS 76 gives an option to exclude a competitor. This has not been done.

76 EXCLUSION OF BOATS OR COMPETITORS

76.1 The organizing authority or the race committee may reject or cancel the entry of a boat or exclude a competitor, subject to rule 76.3, provided it does so before the start of the first race and states the reason for doing so. On request the boat shall promptly be given the reason in writing. The boat may request redress if she considers that the rejection or exclusion is improper.

8. Damage Or Injury

Attachments

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