

Protest

Protest No: 14

Received At: 2021-09-17 19:56 EEST

1. Event Name: 49er, 49erFX and Nacra17 European Championships 2021

Protest On: 2021-09-17

Race No: 11

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 type="checkbox"/> Request for Redress |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Protest by TC | <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Redress by RC |

3. Protestor

49er - MLT 118 - Richard SCHULTHEIS - Richard Schultheis

4. Protestees

1. Race Committee

5. Incident

Time Place: Leg 4 of race number 11

Rules: Racing conditions

Witnesses: GER 115, GER 369, GBR 177, GBR 292

6. Informing Protestee

Hail:

Hail When:

Hail Comment:

Red Flag:

Red Flag Comment

Other:

Other Comment:

7. Description Of Incident

Going downwind on leg 4. The wind had completely dropped to 0 kts at our position. And to the rest of the course where no boat had moved forward anymore. The wind had turned more than 90 degrees before the first boat has finished. The rest of the fleet that had just made the time limit were finishing without the kite, meaning the wind had almost shifted more than 140 degrees at that point and finishing close hauled. Myself as well as 9 other boats failed to finish that race within the time limit because of no wind at all. We were drifting backwards due to the lack of wind. As well as many other boats around me. I call this unfair sailing conditions.

8. Damage Or Injury

Attachments