

# DECISION

Request No.: 03

## Protest

Event: YAI Junior National Championship 2023 Race Number: 8  
Hearing Schedule: 2023-10-11

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

**Request No.: 03:** ILCA 4 - IND 222622 - Padidala Viswanath

ILCA 4 - IND 210444 - Akshat Kumar Dohare

**Witnesses:** SHRAVAN SAIL No 209822 (for IND 222622)

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed

**Red Flag Displayed:** Not required

**Decision:** Request Valid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

### FACTS FOUND

1. ILCA 4 were sailing in race No 8 in 7 knots wind and calm seas.
2. IND 222622 and IND210444 approached mark No 3 on a run, both on port tack, rounded the mark and sailed upwind on close hauled.
3. The boats were overlapped as they rounded the mark and soon after, with IND 222622 to leeward.
4. The minimum lateral distance between IND 210444 and IND 222622 was around one boat length.
5. There was no contact.
6. Neither boat took a penalty.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

**Rules:** 11

1. IND 210444 to windward kept clear of IND 222622 to leeward, as required by RRS 11.
2. No rules were broken.

### DECISION

Protest is dismissed

**Date & Time:** 2023-10-11 19:55 IST

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Committee Type:** Protest Committee

**Chaired By:** Praveen Prabhakar (IND)

**Committee Members:** Abhimanyu Patankar (IND), Satish Kumar Kanwar (IND), Soma Pillai (IND), Gaurav Kinha (IND)