

# DECISION

Protest

Request No.: 02

Heard Jointly With Number(s): 06, 13

Event: 2020 iQFOIL International Games Race Number: 3

Hearing Date: 2020-10-20

## PARTIES AND WITNESSES

**Request No.: 02:** WOMEN - GER 799 - THERESA STEINLEIN

WOMEN - FRA 68 - CAPUCINE MARSAUDON

**Request No.: 13:** WOMEN - FRA 68 - CAPUCINE MARSAUDON

WOMEN - GER 799 - THERESA STEINLEIN

**Request No.: 06:** WOMEN - GER 799 - THERESA STEINLEIN

WOMEN - FRA 68 - CAPUCINE MARSAUDON

## VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed

**Red Flag Displayed:** Yes

**Decision:** Request Valid

## PROCEDURAL MATTERS

## FACTS FOUND

GER 799, an unidentified board from ESP and FRA 68 were sailing on a beat, just after the start, GER 799 and ESP on port and FRA 68 on starboard. ESP and FRA 68 were on collision course. ESP did not change her course and FRA 68 bore away and passed astern ESP. GER 799 started bearing away before FRA 68 bore away, and bore away sharply after FRA 68 passed astern of ESP. Contact occurred between GER 799 and FRA 68, both boards capsized, there was damage on both boards and no board finished the race.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

## CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

ESP on port did not keep clear of FRA 68 on starboard, breaking rule 10

While GER 799 was sailing to pass astern of FRA 68, FRA 68 changed course and as a result GER 799 immediately needed to change course to continue keeping clear, breaking rule 16.2 and 14

FRA 68 was compelled to break rule 16.2 by ESP breaking rule 10, therefore is exonerated under rule 64.1

It was not reasonably possible for FRA 68 and GER 799 to avoid the contact, therefore neither board broke rule 14

ESP is not being identified in order to penalise, therefore redress may not be considered for FRA 68 and GER 799 under rule B5.62

## DECISION

Protest dismissed  
No redress given

**Date & Time:** 2020-10-20 18:37 CEST

## PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Michal Jodlowski (POL)

**Committee Members:** Marina Psychogyiou (GRE), Markus Schwendner (GRE)