

DECISION

Protest

Request No.: 03

Heard Jointly With Number(s): 02

Event: 470, 49er and NACRA 17 Senior Open Championship 2022 Race Number: 6
Hearing Schedule: 2022-05-22

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 03: 470(MIXED) - IND IND 11 - RAMYA SARAVANAN C H S REDDY

470(MIXED) - IND IND 42 - KONGARA PREETI SUDHANSHU SHEKHAR

Request No.: 02: 470(MIXED) - IND IND 42 - KONGARA PREETI SUDHANSHU SHEKHAR

470(MIXED) - IND IND 11 - RAMYA SARAVANAN C H S REDDY

Witnesses: RC Rep Mr TS Chaturvedi and Mr Ramlal

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

Hearing No. 02 was heard together with Hearing No. 03 in accordance with RRS 63.2 since both hearings arose from the same incident.

FACTS FOUND

1. Wind speed 7-9 knots, choppy sea.
2. IND 11 clear ahead of IND 42 after rounding mark 2p were sailing on port tack towards the port end finish mark.
3. When IIND 42 obtained inside overlap with IND 11 while entering the port end finish mark zone.
4. There was contact between both the boats at about one boat length before the finish line. No injury/ damage.
5. IND 42 also touched the finish mark.
6. IND 42 took two turn penalty and re-finished.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: 18.2(b), 14 & 44.2

IND 11 outside overlapped at the zone, failed to give IND 42 mark-room, and broke RRS 18.2(b).

DECISION

IND 11 DSQ in race 6.

Date & Time: 2022-05-22 19:03 IST

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Satish Kumar Kanwar (IND)

Committee Members: Leonard S Chin (MAS), Ilker Bayindir (TUR), Mark Pryke (AUS), Aman Vyas (IND)