

# DECISION

Request No.: 02

Protest

Event: Süperpar Bior 2024 Race Number: 5  
Hearing Schedule: 2024-03-16 19:55

## PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 02: OPTIMIST - JUNIOR - TUR 1172 - Optimist - UMUT ÖZARSLAN

OPTIMIST - JUNIOR - TUR 3510 - optimist - SARP YÖNDER

Witnesses: 174

Interpreters: Pınar Coşkner Genç

## 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

The protestee was not present at the hearing. The hearing was held under 63.3(b)

## FACTS FOUND

- 1- Wind speed 15 knots, choppy sea conditions
- 2- At the 5th Race , Silver fleet TUR 1172 was approaching mark number 1 on startboard tack on collision course with TUR 3510, 10-15 meters distance to the mark.
- 3- TUR 1172 shouted starboard, and did not alter course until the time of the contact.
- 4- TUR 3510 did not alter course from the time of the hail to the time of the contact.
- 5- Bow of TUR 1172 hit the starboard front quarter of TUR 3510.
- 6- After the contact TUR 1172 bore away and at the same time TUR 3510 started to tack.
- 7- After the tack was completed TUR 1172 was clear astern from 3510.
- 8- The contact was without injury or damage.
- 9- No boat took a penalty turn.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

## CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: 63.3(b), 10,14, 43.1(c)

TUR 3510 on port failed to keep clear of TUR 1172 on starboard, and broke RRS 10. Both boats broke rule 14. TUR 1172 is exonerated as per Rule 43.1(c).

## DECISION

TUR 3510 is DSQ from race 5.

Date & Time: 2024-03-16 20:49 +03

## PROTEST COMMITTEE

Committee Type: International Jury

Chaired By: Roumen Paunov (BUL)

Committee Members: Ayşe Aylin Suntay (TUR), Paul Schilizzi (GRE)