

DECISION

Request Number: 8

Request to Reopen

Event: Zhik 29er World Championship Race Number: 1-3

Hearing Date: 2017-08-01

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Initiator: Technical Committee

Respondent(s): 29er - ESP 17 - Andres Barrio Garcia
29er - NZL 2388 - Josh Berry

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

1. The measurer in checking his conclusion yesterday reviewed the origins of the 29er Class rules.
2. The 29er Class Rules originated borrowing from the 49er Class Rules.
3. The measurer determined that the intention of the original class rules allowed for twin tiller extensions and that he was incorrect in his conclusion of yesterday.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

1. The measurer incorrectly concluded that using two tiller extensions was improper

DECISION

Reopening is allowed.

NZL 2388 and ESP 17 are to be reinstated in their finishing positions for races 1 through 3.

Date & Time: 2017-08-01 09:18 PDT

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Don Martin (CAN)

Committee Members: Damien Boldyrew (AUS), Elias Gonzalez (MEX), Don Martin (CAN), Ron Wood (USA), Paul Zupan (USA)

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