

DECISION

Request Number: 16

Request for Redress

Event: Etchells World Championship Race Number: 7

Hearing Date: 2017-09-30

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Initiator: Etchells - USA 1349 - KGB - Senet Bischoff

Respondent(s): Race Committee

Witnesses: Sharon Bernd for Race Committee, Dick Watts for the Jury

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Hail not required

Red Flag Displayed: Not required

DECISION: Request Valid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

FACTS FOUND

1. USA 1349 started approximately 3-5 lengths to port of the signal boat.
2. The race committee observed 1349 OCS at the start.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

1. Failure of the race committee to notify the competitor due to radio equipment failure is not grounds for redress.
2. USA 1349 was correctly scored OCS for race 7.

DECISION

Redress Denied

Date & Time: 2017-09-29 17:39 PDT

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Dick Watts (USA)

Committee Members: Luca Babini (ITA), Ron Barak (ISR), Douglas Sloan (USA), Paul Zupan (USA)

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