

ILCA UK Master National Championships

Question for Officials

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Question No: 01

Question For: Race Committee

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I am surprised by the decision to DSQ me from race 5. I left the club at 4pm to return to a family event in London. I had not been notified at any stage by the protester of his intention to protest , either on the water or after. Certainly not at the first reasonable opportunity. In my junk email folder at 8pm - the first time I checked my emails today - I found the notification at 3.49 giving me 20 mins notice of a meeting ! I do not think this constitutes being properly informed - What other efforts were made to find or contact me? I checked the notice board and could not see any relevant notification detailing my name . I was not given a reasonable opportunity to attend and present my case - thus when combined with the failure of the protester to inform me of his intention to protest - this hearing has not complied with the RRS and should be ruled invalid - kindly confirm . This finished race 5 in 27th place .

Answer:

According to the si 3.1 the online notice board is the designated contact point. You would receive a notification via rrs. Si 18 we're all complied with and you state above you left site before the protest time limit had expired. But your hearing was scheduled asap after receiving within si 18.5. Your question to contact is covered under the si3.3 thank you