

DECISION

Request Number: 05

Protest

Event: WET'N WILD REGATTA 2019 Race Number: 1

Hearing Date: 2019-08-16

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Initiator: Optimist - Ind 1137 - Aagam

Respondent(s): Optimist - Ind 1401 - Ruben

Witnesses: 1453

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

Protest was heard without the presence of Protestee 1401 under RRS 63.3(b)

FACTS FOUND

1. 1137 and 1401 were sailing on broad reach, overlapped, from mk3 to finishing line. 1137 was the leeward boat. they were overlapped for almost full leg.
2. Both entered zone of port and mark of finishing line overlapped with each other.
3. 1137 luffed 1401 when they were two boat lengths from the port end mark of the finishing line and made contact with 1401. 1401 was the inside boat.
4. No boat did penalty

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

1. 1137 outside boat at the port end mark failed to give inside boat 1401 mark room and made contact thus breaking rules 18.2(b) and 14
2. 1401 exonerated for breaking rule 11 and rule 14 under RRS 21 and 14(b) respectively.

DECISION

1137 - DSQ (Race #1)

Date & Time: 2019-08-16 11:00 UTC

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Satyavir Siwatch (IND)

Committee Members: Mohit Nautiyal (IND), Deepak Singh Dikhit (IND), Vaibhav Sarpotdar (IND)

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