

# DECISION

Request Number: 04

## Protest

Event: 2018 Asian Sailing Championship Race Number: 5

Hearing Date: 2018-06-22

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

**Initiator:** 49er (Helm) - IND 316 - GANAPATHY KELAPANDA CHENGAPA

**Respondent(s):** 49er (Helm) - SGP 33 - YI NIAN KOH

### 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. Race 5, leg 2, wind speed was about 13 ~ 15 knots and wave height was about 0.5 ~ 1 meter.
2. About 7 ~ 8 BLs from the gate mark, IND 316 gybed to port in front of SIN 33 and completed her gybe clear ahead of SIN 33 who was sailing on port.
3. About 5 BLs from the gate mark, SIN 33 established an overlapped to windward of IND 316.
4. When they entered the port gate mark-zone, SIN 33 was inside and IND 316 was outside right-of-way boat.
5. SIN 33 hailed mark-room to IND 316 and IND 316 luffed a little and SIN 33 responded when they were 3 BLS from the gate mark.
6. About 1.5 BLs from the port gate mark, IND 316 bore away and gave mark-room to SIN 33.
7. SIN 33 rounded ahead of IND 316.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

IND 316, the outside overlapped boat at the zone, gave SIN 33 mark-room as required by RRS 18.2(b).

IND 316 brought a video evidence but the PC did not find from it any acceptable evidence.

No boat broke any rules.

### DECISION

Protest is dismissed.

**Date & Time:** 2018-06-22 19:00 WIB

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Xinzu Gu (CHN)

**Committee Members:** Leonard Chin (MAS), Sungchul Jeong (KOR), Muhammad Ramlan (INA), Yaumi Safirah (INA)

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