

DECISION

Request Number: 04

Protest and Request for Redress

Event: IKA SNOW KITE WORLD CUP RUSSIA Race Number: 1

Hearing Date: 2019-02-21

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Initiator: IKA - SKI - 34 - Valeria Shpileva

Respondent(s): IKA - SKI - 40 - Ekaterina Chashina

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Protest hailed

Red Flag Displayed: Not required

DECISION: Request Valid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

FACTS FOUND

1. 34 and 40 were sailing on a run on starboard, 40 ahead of 34.
2. 40 gybed to port, on collision course with 34.
3. 34 raised her kite and reduced her speed with her skis
4. Contact and a tangle occurred between the kites
5. 10 minutes later 40 got untangled and finished the race
6. 34 did not finish the race
7. No damage occurred

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

1. 40, on port, did not keep clear of 34, on starboard, breaking rules 10 and 14
2. It was not reasonably possible for 34 to avoid contact with 40, therefore she did not break rule 14
3. The score of 34 in race 1 was made significantly worse through no fault of her own by a tangle because of the action of 40 that was breaking rules 10 and 14

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40 is scored DCT in race 1

34 is given redress and shall be scored in race 1 points equal to the average, rounded to the nearest tenth of a point (0.05 to be rounded upward), of her points in races 2, 3, 4 and 5. This shall not change the score of the other kiteboards.

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Sergey Kuzovov (RUS)

Committee Members: Markus Schwendtner (GRE), Marina Psychogyiou (GRE)

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