

DECISION

Request Number: 13

Request for Redress

Event: C420 North American Championship Race Number: F2

Hearing Date: 2019-07-14

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Initiator: C420 - 8585 - Tyler Wood

Respondent(s): Race Committee

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. The PRO, standing directly behind the line flag was very confident that he witnessed 8585 over the start line at the time of the start.
2. 8585 stated that the two boats next to him were not indicated to be over the start line prior to the start.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

In the absence of conclusive evidence to the contrary, the Jury upholds the race committee's decision. Evidence of the relative positions of two boats that are scored differently is not conclusive evidence that either boat started correctly

DECISION

Redress Denied

Date & Time: 2019-07-13 19:03 PDT

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Greg Meagher (USA)

Committee Members: Lori Lowe (BAH), Paul Zupan (USA), Grant Baldwin (USA)

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