

DECISION

Request Number: 11

Protest

Event: Ullman Sails Long Beach Race Week Race Number: 3

Hearing Date: 2019-06-23

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Initiator: PHRF RL - C - USA 46966 - Dos Amigos - Robert Hubbard

Respondent(s): PHRF RL - C - USA 52316 - Buenos Aires - Mark Williams

Witnesses: Jeffrey Binkley (Buenos Aires)

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Protest hailed It was too windy to hail verbally. Used VHF radio to notify on channel 72.

Red Flag Displayed: Yes

DECISION: Request Valid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

FACTS FOUND

Dos Amigos sailed outside of all anchored and moored boats. Buenos Aires sailed outside of the group of moored boats but inside of an anchored boat that was a substantial distance from the group of moored boats.

Buenos Aires sailed closer to the anchored outside boat than the moored boats.

Dos Amigos could not identify the 300-yard distance with certainty to know if Buenos Aires sailed within the 300-yard area.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

There is not sufficient evidence to establish that Buenos Aires sailed within the 300-yard prohibited area.

DECISION

Protest dismissed.

Date & Time: 2019-06-23 16:40 PDT

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Ron Wood (USA)

Committee Members: Kim Kymlicka (USA), Karen Butler (USA)

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