DECISION Protest

Event: Top of the Gulf Regatta 2019 Race Number: 7,8,10,1 Hearing Date: 2019-05-05

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Initiator: Finn - RUS137 - Albert Nazarob

Respondent(s): Laser STD - 657

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit No time limit.

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Protest hailed

Red Flag Displayed: Yes

DECISION: Request Valid The protest alleged a breach of R69.

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Allegation was made nominating RRS 69. The jury decided to take evidence to determine if a RRS 69 was justified. With respect to races 7 and 8, Protest form was not lodged within time limit. The Jury decided to take evidence regarding Races 10 and 11

FACTS FOUND

Laser 657 had not paid his entry fee as at end of day 4 May. On 5 may 2019 Laser 657 paid his entry fee on morning. As such he was not considered to be an entrant for races 7 and 8. Before Races 10 and 11 Laser 657 entered and paid his entry fee and late fee. There was a claim that Laser 657 interfered however no specific instances or rules were nominated. The Jury decided not to proceed with a Rule 69 but instead wrote to the Organising Authority and read its letter to RUS 137. RUS 137 expressed his satisfaction with this course of action.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

DECISION No hearing. Date & Time: 2019-05-05 17:15 +07

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Benjamin Harding (HKG) Committee Members: Rut Subniran (THA), Mark Pryke (AUS), Tom Sheppard (HKG), Leonard Chin (MAS)

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