

DECISION

Request No.: 12

Request for Redress

Event: 2022 49er and 49erFX Junior European Championships Race Number: 4
Hearing Schedule: 2022-10-15 18:50

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 12: 49er - AUT 11 - Niclas Lehmann

Race Committee

Witnesses: ISR 282/ HUN 373 / GER 488 / ITA
907

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Hail not required

Red Flag Displayed: Not required

Decision: Request Valid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

1. AUT 11 was represented by Niclas LEHMANN.
2. The Race Committee was represented by Peter Stephensen LUEBECK (PRO).
3. Tal SADE (ISR 282) attended the hearing as a witness.

FACTS FOUND

1. When race 4 started, the wind speed was over 5 knots.
2. After the first five boats finished the race, the wind dropped.
3. Some spinnakers were no longer flying and some boats started drifting.
4. New wind came from the back of the fleet.
5. Some boats from the back of the fleet overtook boats in the middle of the fleet.
6. All boats finished during the finish window.
7. The race committee decided not to abandon the race, considering the consequences for all boats in the race.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: RRS 32.1, 62.1(a)

1. There was neither an improper action nor omission of the race committee. Therefore, the requirements for redress in RRS 62.1(a) are not met.

DECISION

Redress is not given.

Date & Time: 2022-10-15 19:28 CEST

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Sally Burnett (GBR)

Committee Members: Bence Borocz (HUN), Yoann Peronneau (FRA)