

DECISION

Request for Redress

Request No.: 01

Event: Jr. Race Week Race Number: 2
Hearing Schedule: 2021-07-12

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 01: Laser Radial - 201226 - Duncan Craine

Laser Radial - 170400 - Antonio Henri Maya/LeFort

Witnesses: Witt Lindau 209643, Sophia Debs 216514

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

Before the hearing began 201226 indicated that it was a request for redress and not a protest against another boat.

201226 attested that he did not consult his coach or any support persons about the incident prior to the hearing.

FACTS FOUND

1. Wind from the east, large waves 10-13 knots.
2. 201226 approaching the first mark of Race #2 on the starboard layline.
3. 170400 on port collided with 201226 while attempting to duck, because her tiller extension broke.
4. The hull of 170400 tangled with the hull and mainsheet of 201226 and caused her to sail off course and lose several places.
5. 170400 retired from the race.
6. At the time of the incident, 201226 heard a large crack and checked for damage.
7. Following the day's racing, 201226 checked the boat and found no damage.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: 62.1

Although her score was made significantly worse through no fault of her own, the circumstances of the incident do not qualify for redress under 62.1 (a-d)

DECISION

Redress is not given.

Date & Time: 2021-07-12 13:49 EDT

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Danielle Lawson (USA)

Committee Members: Richard York (USA), Hans Oen (USA)