

DECISION

Request No.: 20

Protest and Request for Redress by RC

Event: European Championship A-Class Race Number: 8
Hearing Schedule: 2022-09-15 17:45

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 20: A CAT - open - AUS 4 - Steve BREWIN

Race Committee

Witnesses: kostas trigonis gre 1

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: N/A

Red Flag Displayed: N/A

Decision: Request Valid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

FACTS FOUND

- 1) At the top mark, 2nd rounding, there was an incident, and the mark 1a was entangled with 2 boats.
- 2) The mark lost her position going downwind.
- 3) The RC sent a rib with Mike flag to replace the mark.
- 4) Mike flag was displayed few seconds after AUS 4 rounded mark 1.
- 5) AUS 4 saw the Mike flag and identified the rib as mark 1a.
- 6) AUS 4 bore away and left the rib with Mike flag to starboard.
- 7) AUS 4 did not come back and correct the error when she had the choice to do so.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: 28, 62.1

1. AUS 4 failed to sail the course, and broke RRS 28.1.
2. AUS 4's place in race 9 was made worse through her own fault. Therefore, the requirements for redress in RRS 62.1 are not met.

DECISION

Redress not given

Date & Time: 2022-09-15 18:13 CEST

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Claudio Uras (ITA)

Committee Members: Michael Butterfield (GBR), Pierluigi De Luise (CRO), Uros Zvan (SLO), Walter D'Auria (ITA)