

# DECISION

Request No.: 20

## Protest

Event: YAI Youth Nationals 2022 Race Number: 12  
Hearing Schedule: 2022-10-20

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 20: ILCA 4 - IND 210449 - Adhvait Prasant Menon

ILCA 4 - IND 191119 - Kiran Balle Kumar

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** N/A

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed

**Red Flag Displayed:** Yes

**Decision:** Request Valid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

### FACTS FOUND

1. IND 191119 and IND 210449 were approaching leeward mark no. 3 before final leg to finish on run on starboard tack in 5-7 knots wind and sea state 1.
2. IND 191119 stopped before the mark since some stray floating object had stuck on his center board.
3. After he started sailing again, he again stopped to remove some plastic material again stuck in his center board while rounding the mark.
4. In the meanwhile another boat astern went ahead taking mark-room made available inadvertently.
5. IND 191119 lost one position in the process.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

**Rules:** -  
No rule broken.

### DECISION

Protest is dismissed

**Date & Time:** 2022-10-20 19:58 IST

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Tribhuwan Jaiswal (IND)

**Committee Members:** Deepak Singh Dikhit (IND), Soma Pillai (IND), Madhu Lal Sharma (IND)