

Protest

Protest No: 03

Received At: 2022-11-11 18:17 MST

1. Event Name: Melges24 US Nationals

Protest On: 2022-11-12

Race No: 1

2. Hearing Type

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Protest | <input type="checkbox"/> Request to Reopen |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Protest by RC | <input type="checkbox"/> Reopening by PC |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Protest by PC | <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Redress |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Protest by TC | <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Redress by RC |

3. Protestor

Melges 24 - USA 863 - Shaka - KC Shannon

4. Protestees

1. Melges 24 - CAN 853 - Zingara - Richard Reid

5. Incident

Time Place: First downwind leg

Rules: 11

Witnesses: USA-805

6. Informing Protestee

Hail:

Hail When: At first reasonable opportunity

Hail Comment:

Red Flag:

Red Flag Comment After retrieving crew member on the water

Other:

Other Comment:

7. Description Of Incident

863 leeward boat at 10 boat lengths after the offset mark. 853's pole and spinnaker push starboard quarter causing us to spin up and broach. Crew member overboard and significant damage to 863's starboard quarter. We had to retrieve our crew member and take time to verify we weren't taking on water. Protest filled at earliest opportunity with race committee.

8. Damage Or Injury

Attachments