Protest

Protest No: 07

Received At: 2022-06-18 16:01 CEST

1. Event Name: KiteFoil World Series Traunsee

Protest On: 2022-06-18

Race No: 1

2. Hearing Type

✓ Protest	Request to Reopen
Protest by RC	Reopening by PC
Protest by PC	Request for Redress
Protest by TC	Request for Redress by RC

3. Protestor

KiteFoil open - 39 - Théo de Ramecourt

4. Protestees

1. Race Committee

5. Incident

Time Place: Race 1

Rules: Witnesses: 78

6. Informing Protestee

☐ Hail:

Hail When:

Hail Comment:

□ Red Flag:

Red Flag Comment

☐ Other:

Other Comment:

7. Description Of Incident

Race 1 was validated where the wind was not suitable for racing at the top mark.

The wind strength was far to be stable from the committee boat to the top mark.

We could clearly see the kites not being able to keep going and even struggling to stay in the air in the top mark area, from my experience, the wind was blowing around 3/4 knots not more.

Only 11 & 12 riders could finish the race in the men fleets which represent almost 50% of the whole fleet.

Only 6 women could finish out of 21, even less than 30% of the entries.

To me and to a lot of other riders, this race result doesn't represent the level of the fleets, the luck factor of not being at the right place really affects the result.

This race was not fair for the fleet and would really affect the rest of the World Series season.

8. Damage Or Injury

Attachments