Protest

Protest No: 08

Received At: 2021-10-24 17:35 CEST

1. Event Name: 2021 Zhik 29er European Championships

Protest On: 2021-10-24

Race No: 4

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

29er - Green fleet - FIN 2167 - Noora Ruskola

4. Protestees

1. 29er - Green fleet - ITA 2706

5. Incident

Time Place: 24.10.2021 Garda lake

Rules: 18.2

Witnesses: CAN 2446

6. Informing Protestee

Hail:

Hail When: Right away Hail Comment: Protest

□ Red Flag:

Red Flag Comment

☐ Other:

Other Comment:

7. Description Of Incident

ITA and CAN entered the 3 boat length zone on port tack, on the final downwind mark attempting to round the right gate before heading to the finish line. FIN entering the zone on starboard. FIN gybing around the mark and right after the gybe ITA went between FIN and the mark, despite they did not have any rights to be there. ITA then sailed straight into FIN boat from the back. ITA pole was suddenly between FIN skipper and he boat, almost pushing her out I the boat making her loose control and falling into the water. FIN skipper was hit by the pole of ITA entering from the rear.

FIN boat lost control while skipper in the water and more then 5 boats passed by. ITA didn't do a penalty and continued to the finish.

8. Damage Or Injury

FIN skipper safety was compromised

Attachments