

DECISION

Request No.: 01

Protest

Event: 20th. Gocek Race Week - Ataturk Cup Race Number: 3
Hearing Schedule: 2022-11-02 20:25

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 01: IRC - IRC 2 - RUS1000 - Buran - ALEXEY MOSKVIN
IRC - IRC 2 - EST615 - Technicol - VLADIMIR NIKITIN

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Protest hailed

Red Flag Displayed: Yes

Decision: Request Valid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

EST615 did not come to the hearing, the hearing proceeded in accordance with RRS 63.3(b).

FACTS FOUND

Wind 8 knots

Boat speeds about 5 knots

RUS1000 and EST615 approached mark 3 on port broad reach.

RUS1000 entered the zone clear ahead of EST615 by about one boat length.

RUS1000 luffed slightly to the mark

EST615 established an inside overlap in the zone.

While rounding the mark, there was a slight contact between the bow of EST615 and rear port quarter of RUS1000.

There was no damage or injury.

No boat did penalty turns.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: 18.2.b, 14, 63.3.b

EST615, clear astern at the time RUS1000 reached the zone, failed to give RUS1000 mark-room, and broke RRS 18.2(b).

EST615 infringed also RRS 14.

DECISION

Date & Time: 2022-11-02 21:03 +03

EST615 is DSQ in race #3.

Protest fee to be refunded to RUS1000.

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Ilker Bayindir (TUR)

Committee Members: Aslan Ozcakir (TUR), George Paunov (BUL)