

Protest and Request for Redress

Protest No: 05

Received At: 2022-04-23 14:17 CEST

1. Event Name: Italian J70 Cup - Punta Ala

Protest On: 2022-04-23

Race No: 4

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

3. Protestor

J70 - USA1317 - Lift Ticket - Frederic Laffitte

4. Protestees

1. J70 - 731 - TinnJ70 - Cesare Gabsio

5. Incident

Time Place: Leeward mark approximately 12:00 pm

Rules:

Witnesses:

6. Informing Protestee

- Hail:**
Hail When:
Hail Comment: Protest
- Red Flag:**
Red Flag Comment
- Other:**
Other Comment: Rig went down and man overboard

7. Description Of Incident

We arrived at the the right leeward gate on port tack and took our spinnaker down, entered the zone while on port jibed on to starboard to round the mark when Hull 446 came on port with still his spinnaker up put his sprit between our mainsail and our back stay as the sprit slid back it hooked the back stay and took our rig down. Hull 446 had no rights as we had entered the zone on port and 446 was behind us by 4 or 6 boat length but with much more speed as his spinnaker was still up.

Hull 446 infringed rule 18.1a as 446 gained an overlap only after we were in the zone

8. Damage Or Injury

Hull 446 on port and with no mark room hit our boat with his sprit that hook on our back stay and broke our mast.

Attachments