

# DECISION

Request No.: 04

## Protest

Event: ILCA Nationals 2021 Race Number: 8  
Hearing Schedule: 2021-08-21 19:45

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

**Request No.: 04:** Radial - 212524 - Harry Pritchard  
Radial Master - 218154 - Sean Craig  
**Witnesses:** Ellie Cunnane

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No  
**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit  
**Incident Identified:** Yes  
**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed Sean does not remember hearing protest but protestor says protest hailed.  
**Red Flag Displayed:** Not required  
**Decision:** Request Valid Protestor given benefit of the doubt

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

### FACTS FOUND

Approaching the windward mark. 212524 on starboard with 218154 on same tack outside overlapped. When 218154 had passed the mark, 218154,'s boom made contact with the head of the skipper of 212524. 216651 was one boat length behind and said she saw that boom of 218154 made contact with the head of the helmsman of 212524 and that he hailed protest.  
**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

**Rules:** 11  
218154 as windward boat did not keep clear of 212524 breaking rule 11.

### DECISION

**Date & Time:** 2021-08-21 20:28 BST

The Protest is Upheld.  
218154 Is DSQ in Race 8

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Michael O'Connor (IRL)  
**Committee Members:** Brian Jones (IRL), Michael McCann (IRL)

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