

## PROTEST COMMITTEE GUIDELINES

### For Discretionary Penalties to be imposed after a protest against a boat

SPECIFIC BREACHES	Additional points
<b>Safety</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SI 18.1 Not reporting retirement from a race.</li> <li>• SI 18.1 Any use of the engine for propulsion</li> <li>• SI 17.4 For minor breaches of the Offshore Special Regulations</li> </ul>	<p>2</p> <p>0 to DSQ</p> <p>2 to DSQ</p>
<b>Identification and Advertising</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SI 8.6&amp;8.7 Failing to carry numbers, pennant&amp;stickers as required</li> <li>• SI 8.5 Failing to carry sponsors flags as required</li> <li>• SI 12.6 Failing to sail close to RC vessel for registration before the starts</li> <li>• SI 16.5 Failing to identify themselves to the RC after finishing over VHF channel 71</li> </ul>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>
<b>The Start</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SI 12.6 Not keeping away from the starting area but not interfering with a racing boat</li> <li>• SI 12.6 Not keeping away from the starting area and interfering with a racing boat</li> </ul>	<p>1</p> <p>2</p>
<b>The Finish</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SI 16.4 Not clearing the finishing line after finishing, but not interfering with a racing boat.</li> <li>• SI 16.4 Not clearing the finishing line after finishing and interfering with a racing boat.</li> </ul>	<p>1</p> <p>2</p>
<b>Declarations</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SI 21.1 Not signing a retirement declaration</li> <li>• SI 21.3 Not reporting in writing engine use during the race</li> </ul> <p>* The penalty will apply to the next race</p>	<p>1*</p> <p>1</p>
<b>Use of engine</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SI 18.2 Use of engine during the 4 minutes before the starting signal</li> </ul>	<p>1</p>
<b>Radio Communications</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SI 4.3 Making or receiving radio or text or cell phone message not available to all boats.</li> </ul>	<p>1</p>
<b>Trash Disposal</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SI 26 Non deliberate trash disposal</li> <li>Deliberate trash disposal</li> </ul>	<p>1</p> <p>2</p>

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