

DECISION

Request No.: 01

Protest

Event: Tan Lines Distilling 2024 Int. OK Dinghy World Championships Race Number: 1
Hearing Schedule: 2024-02-26 18:00

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 01: OK Dinghy - OK Dinghy - NZL 016 - Turtle Sails - Greg Wilcox
OK Dinghy - OK Dinghy - AUS 2 - NB Sailsports - Rob McMillan

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Protest hailed

Red Flag Displayed: N/A

Decision: Request Valid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

1. Emma Hutchins (member of the Organizing Committee) and Jamie Sutherland (Jury Member) attended the hearing as observers.
2. NZL 15 was represented by Greg Wilcox.
3. AUS 2 was represented by Rob McMillan.
4. Mark Jackson AUS 8 attended the hearing as a witness for NZL 15

FACTS FOUND

1. The conditions were not surfing conditions.
2. On leg 2, AUS 2 was on a broad reach on starboard tack.
3. The helm of AUS 2 was holding the mainsheet directly from the boom.
4. The helm of AUS 2 adjusted his mainsail twice.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: 42.2(a)

1. The adjustment of the sail did not constitute fanning.
2. No rule was broken.

DECISION

Protest dismissed.

Date & Time: 2024-02-27 11:13 AEST

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Committee Type: International Jury

Chaired By: Ed Vincent (AUS)

Committee Members: Michal Jodlowski (POL), Philippe Mazard (FRA), Nev Willis (AUS), David Hudson (RSA)