

# Protest

Protest No: 01

Received At: 2023-04-16 21:21 CEST

## 1. Event Name: Grand Prix d'Italie - Mini 6.50

Protest On: 2023-04-16

Race No: 1

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

## 3. Protestor

MINI 6.5 PROTO - FRA 254 - 30 JOURS DE MER POUR NOS HEROS - DIAKITE ALPHA

## 4. Protestees

1. Race Committee

## 5. Incident

Time Place: 14/04/2023 Genova

Rules: E-24-g

Witnesses:

## 6. Informing Protestee

- Hail:  
Hail When: on Friday 14th of April around 0700 pm  
Hail Comment:
- Red Flag:  
Red Flag Comment
- Other:  
Other Comment:

## 7. Description Of Incident

After a problem met on the boat at sea at mid-day of Friday after the departure of the race, I decided to come back to Genova for repair. When I arrived at the harbor, I clearly announced my intention to continue the race after the repair. I end the repair on 0600 pm the 14th of April, and I announced I was ready to go but one people from the race comity came to tell me this is not allowed by the rules and with this stop I was disqualified for this race. At this time, I trusted the race comity on the decision and they took my beacon and gave me my phone without any request.

After a few hours, I tried to understand and I checked the Class mini rules and this is the rule : E-24-g

I was right to continue the race.

I tried to get the right to continue on Friday night and even on Saturday morning, race comity never allowed me to continue the race. On Saturday morning, race committee communicated me the fact I got back my phone in the harbor made me disqualified. The class mini rule is well: E-23

One more time I never asked to get back my phone and I trusted what comity told me on Friday evening. This is why I protest against the race comity and I request reparation. I consider this explanation unfair from the race comity to disqualified me.

Available for any additional information and any interview.

Following to my protest against the race comity who disqualified me with wrong information, I request reparation to validate the 500 miles qualification on races.

Best Regards,

Alpha Diakite and Clovis Groult

FRA 251

## 8. Damage Or Injury

500 miles for the qualification on race not valided if no reparation

## Attachments

[extract of the rules written in the text](#)