

# DECISION

Request No.: 02

## Protest

Event: Ora Cup Ora Race Number: 1  
Hearing Schedule: 2023-08-04 11:15

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 02: JUNIORES - SUI 1967 - Barbarin Justine  
JUNIORES - UKR 278 - Bolsunovskyi Oleksandr

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed

**Red Flag Displayed:** Not required

**Decision:** Request Valid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Under RRS 61.2, the requirement in item (a) was met before the hearing.

The PC decided to extend the PTL because there was a good reason to do so, under RRS 61.3.

The protest has been rescheduled on 05th-August at 11.15am; the hearing began at 11.30am, after the PC looked for the protestee at the club, at the boat park, and asking to other UKR coach.

UKR did not come to the hearing, the hearing proceeded in accordance with RRS 63.3(b).

### FACTS FOUND

1. Wind 5 kts, lake small choppy, downwind leg of race one.
2. SUI on starboard tack, UKR on port tack overlapped and on collision courses.
3. SUI hailed 'starboard' several times.
4. A contact with no damage occurred between the sails of the two boats.
5. No boat took a penalty-turn.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

**Rules:** RRS 10, RRS 14

1. UKR on port failed to keep clear of SUI on starboard, and broke RRS 10.
2. UKR did not avoid contact when it was reasonably possible, and broke RRS 14.
3. It was not reasonably possible for SUI, the right-of-way boat to avoid contact with UKR when it was clear that UKR was not keeping clear. SUI did not break RRS 14.

### DECISION

UKR 278 is DSQ in race 1.

Date & Time: 2023-08-05 11:32 CEST

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Committee Type:** National Jury

**Chaired By:** Giovanni Battista Albrizzi (ITA)

**Committee Members:** Alessio Brugnerotto (ITA), Giorgio Bolla (ITA), Sergio Petrina (AUS), Edo Stramazzo (ITA)