

DECISION

Reopening by PC

Request No.: 16

Event: Marina Militare Nastrosoatour "IL GIRO" Race Number: 5
Hearing Schedule: 2023-07-29 12:30

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 16: Protest Committee

Figaro 30 - All Fleet - All Boat - A single delegate can be appointed to represent the fleet

Figaro 30 - Boat 2 - Aereonautica Militare

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Protest hailed

Red Flag Displayed: Yes

Decision: Request Valid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

The protest committee decided that it may have made a significant error and reopened on its own the hearing n.3 in accordance with RRS 66.1. The parties were not present.

The panel is changed as follows in accordance with RRS 66.3(b): Tito Morosetti (ITA), Jesper Wilken (DEN), Pierluigi de Luise (CRO)

FACTS FOUND

1. On the leg from Taranto to Vieste
2. The boat Dr. Sport was grounded on the rock in front of ...
3. The incident happened at 20:34:15 sec.
4. The boat Aereonautica Militare (AM) has been called by RC at 21:12 to assist boat Dr. Sport who was in danger.
5. She reversed the direction towards Dr. Sport, in that moment she was close to Guardia di Finanza and Acone Associati and 2.5 miles behind to Marina Militare and Deas Sanfer
6. The AM intercepts Dr. Sport at 22:13
7. The boat was degrounded at 23:00
8. The Aereonautica Militare started racing at 23:15 sailing at 4kts, at 2/3 of the speed of other boats
9. At 23:43 the AM sent the picture to OA with the new lock label on the engine.
10. The AM returned at the original point at 23:53 they started sailing at 7-8 kts similar to other boats.
11. The AM in the next 18 hours was sailing about at the same speed than other boats.
12. At the time at the incident AM was just behind the boat finishing 2nd GdF and 2.5 miles away to the boat finishing 3rd MM.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: RRS 66, 62.1c

1. The protest committee may have made a significant error in the original hearing. Therefore, the requirements in RRS 66.1 for reopening the hearing are met.
2. The AM lost 2 hours and 21 minutes to give help to Dr. Sport and going back to her original position.
3. Aereonautica Militare's place in race 5 was made significantly worse through no fault of her own by giving help in compliance with RRS 1.1 to someone else than herself or her crew.

DECISION

Redress given to Aereonautica Militare is changed to
Aereonautica Militare is to be scored in position 3 for race 5.

Date & Time: 2023-07-29 12:36 UTC

No other boat's score shall change.

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Committee Type Protest Committee

Chaired By: Tito Morosetti (ITA)

Committee Members: Jesper Wilken (DEN), Pierluigi De Luise (CRO), Vilmos Naray (HUN)

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