

# Protest

Protest No: 08

Received At: 2023-09-22 14:22 CEST

## 1. Event Name: Fireball Open European Championship 2023

Protest On: 2023-09-22

Race No: 6

## 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

Fbl - U25 - ITA 14919 - La Vis - Gastone Emprin Tommaso Cocuzza

## 4. Protestees

1. Fbl - SUI 15165 - Ischgi Kramer Gery Sauer

## 5. Incident

Time Place: Leg 5, down wind

Rules: Rule 10

Witnesses: 14541

## 6. Informing Protestee

Hail:

Hail When: Immediately

Hail Comment: Protest

Red Flag:

Red Flag Comment

Other:

Other Comment:

## 7. Description Of Incident

We were sailing down wind, we were on starboard tack. The other boat approached us on port tack. We asked for room and tried to avoid a collision by bearing away. At that point we were side by side, us still on starboard tack and they were still on port tack. At that point there was a collision caused by the boat 15165 as they luffed violently. We were unable to protest directly with the committee boat as following the collision we capsized causing significant damage to our boat. Given that we were taking on water, we deemed the situation extremely unsafe and decided to head in directly.

## 8. Damage Or Injury

Big hole in the right side of the boat, towards the stern



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## Attachments