

DECISION

Request No.: 08

Protest and Request for Redress

Event: 2023 Formula Kite European Championships Race Number: F1
Hearing Schedule: 2023-09-22 17:30

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 08: Formula kite - Men's silver - 35 - Demo board - Daniel Harris
Formula kite - Men's silver - 47 - Orange Tarifa - Adam Keaton

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: No proper hail

Red Flag Displayed: N/A

Decision: N/A

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

FACTS FOUND

1. The incident occurred prior to the start of the first race of the day.
2. GBR 35 did not hail protest.
3. GBR 35's bridles and lines were broken during the incident.
4. GBR 35 did not inform USA 47 at any time before the hearing that she was protesting USA 47 for the incident.
5. USA 47 did not take a penalty and finished the race.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: RRS F5.61.1(a)(4) and 62.1(b)

At the time of the incident it was obvious to GBR 35 that serious damage resulted. Nevertheless, GBR 35 failed to attempt to inform USA 47 of the protest within the protest time limit, as required by RRS F5.61.1(a)(4).

USA 47 was neither penalized nor took a penalty. Therefore, the requirements for redress for GBR 35 in RRS 62.1(b) are not met

DECISION

Protest invalid. Redress not given.

Date & Time: 2023-09-22 18:23 BST

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Committee Type: International Jury

Chaired By: Jacob Andersen (DEN)

Committee Members: Marios Zisimatos (GRE), Enrica Mameli (ITA), Pauline Den Burger (NED), Rosemary Collins (AUS)