

# DECISION

Request Number: 11

## Protest

Event: RS 200 National Championships Race Number: 5

Hearing Date: 2018-08-22

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

**Initiator:** RSS200 - GBR 1659 - David Jessop Sophie Mear

**Respondent(s):** RSS200 - GBR 452 - Crispin Beaumont Freya Darnton

### 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

#### FACTS FOUND

Both parties present.

Both 1659 and 452 approached the mark on port tack.

1659 duck below a starboard tack boat, 452 tacked ahead of the Starboard tack boat.

The starboard tack boat did not have to alter course.

Both 1659 and 452 rounded the mark.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

#### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

The protest committee are unable to determine what happened as 1659 and 452 rounded the mark

#### DECISION

The protest is dismissed as the Protest Committee were unable to determine facts to support

**Date & Time:** 2018-08-22 19:07 BST

#### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** David Brunskill (GBR)

**Committee Members:** Paul Kimmens (GBR), Charlie Watson (GBR)

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