

DECISION

Request Number: 5

Protest and Request for Redress

Event: Hydrofoil Pro Tour - La Ventana Race Number: 1

Hearing Date: 2017-03-27

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Initiator: Senior - 11 - Nico Landauer

Respondent(s): Senior - 51 - Turbil Martin

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

1. The hearing proceeded without the protestee under RRS 63.3
2. A the windward mark on the first leg of race 1
3. 51 was on port tacking to starboard and his kite went into the water in front of 11.
4. 11 collided with the lines of 51
5. 11 remained tangled with 51 for several minutes
6. 11's arm was injured and 11 retired to evaluate the injury.
7. 11's score was made significantly worse because of the injury

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

51 failed to keep clear and broke RRS 11

11's score was made significantly worse by the actions of 51 through no fault of her own.

DECISION

Date & Time: 2017-03-27 18:15 PDT

Protest Pending

51 retired and shall not be penalized further
11 is granted redress for race 1 in the form of average points for all races of day 1 excluding race 1

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Francisco Jauregui (MEX)

Committee Members: Elias Gonzalez (MEX), Francisco Jauregui (MEX), Paul Zupan (USA)

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