**DECISION** Request Number: 23

**Protest** 

Event: Formula Kite World Championship 2017 Race Number: F4

Hearing Date: 2017-11-22

**PARTIES AND WITNESSES** 

Initiator: FK - Men - FRA 13 - Mateo Vieujot

Respondent(s): FK - Men - ESP 72 - Alejandro Climent Hernandez

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**

ESP on port tack was sailing upwind on a collision course with FRA. FRA lifted her kite and held course. When they were around 50 meters apart ESP bore away and crossed behind FRA at a distance of 5 meters.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

## **CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY**

ESP on port kept clear of FRA. No rule infringed.

**DECISION**Protest dismissed.

**PROTEST COMMITTEE** 

Chaired By: Ali Ambusaidi (OMA)

Committee Members: Ali Ambusaidi (OMA), Bruno De Wannemaeker (BEL), Andres Perez (ESP), Marina Psychogyiou (GRE)

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