

# DECISION

Request Number: 01

## Protest

Event: Jeonbuk 2018 Korea National Sports Festival - Sailing Race Number: 1

Hearing Date: 2018-10-13

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

**Initiator:** 470 - KOR8 - Min Jeong Hyeon

**Respondent(s):** 470 - KOR711 - Min Lee Sang

**Witnesses:** Failed to turn up

**Interpreters:** Jeong Sung Chul (Not member of the Protest Committee)

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed

**Red Flag Displayed:** Not required Informed RC at Finish Line

**DECISION:** Request Valid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

### FACTS FOUND

1. Boat X, KOR 711 and KOR 8 were on a close-hauled course after rounding the downwind mark, Mark 3. Boat X was ahead of KOR 711 and KOR 8. KOR 711 was ahead of KOR 8.
2. After sailing pass Mark 3 by three boat lengths, KOR 711 tacked to starboard.
3. When KOR 711 completed her tack, KOR 8 was still on port tack and the distance between the bow of KOR 8 and port quarter of KOR 711 was 1.5 metres.
4. KOR 8 then bore away and passed astern of KOR 711.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

1. KOR 711 acquired right of way when she tacked to starboard and completed her tack. She initially gave KOR 8 room to keep clear. RRS 15 and 10.

### DECISION

Protest dismissed.

**Date & Time:** 2018-10-13 18:20 KST

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Pat Healy (USA)

**Committee Members:** Selvam Mookken (SGP), Leonard Chin (MAS), Katsumi Shibamura (JPN)

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