

# DECISION

Request No.: 15

Protest

Event: 2019 Puerto Sherry Techno 293 World Championship Race Number: 3

Hearing Date: 2019-10-30

## PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 15: YOUTH BOY (U17) - blue - FRA 1 - Jules Chantrel

YOUTH BOY (U17) - blue - ALG 16 - Hedibi Ayoub

## 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

Board announced the intention to protest to the RC boat at start at first occasion. ALG-16 was not present at the hearing. The hearing continues under R63.3b.

## FACTS FOUND

On the start line at the race 3 the board FRA-1 was moving slowly on starboard tack less than 1 meter from the Committee boat. ALG-16 became overlapped from the leeward to FRA-1 on the course to winward making contact to the winward side of the boom of FRA-1. During the incident the end of the boom of FRA-1 was momentarily in the water

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

## CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

FRA-1 as the Winward boat was required to keep clear breaking rule 11. ALG-16, the right of way boat was required to give FRA-1 room to keep clear. She did not do so, breaking rule 16.1. FRA-1 is exonerated for her break of Rule 11, because she was sailing in the room she was entitled.

## DECISION

ALG-16 is DSQ in race 3

Requirements of the rule 62.1b are not satisfied, redress is not given

**Date & Time:** 2019-10-30 20:50 CET

## PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Walter Stemberger (CRO)

**Committee Members:** Pablo Macias (ESP), Michael Short (GBR)

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