

# DECISION

Request No.: 01

## Protest

Event: Melges 24 European Sailing Series - Act 3 Race Number: 8

Hearing Date: 2020-09-13

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 01: Melges 24 - Corinthian - ITA 579 - Destriero - Simeone Vidali

Melges 24 - Corinthian - GER 647 - Ace - Joannes Wiedermann

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed

**Red Flag Displayed:** Yes

**DECISION:** Request Valid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Protest was sent through racingrulesofsailing.org application on the form for Penalty Report. Protestor declared one hour before protest time limit that he wish to protest but he mistakenly filled wrong form. Sent Penalty Report content protestor and protestee, describe the incident and describe where and when the incident occurred.

### FACTS FOUND

Race no. 8, in the middle of first beat, wind speed app. 8-9 knots, ITA 579 on starboard, GER 647 on port approaching each other. GER 647 tacked in front and half boat width to leeward of ITA 579 centreline. When GER 647 established close-hauled course ITA 579 was 2 m astern. ITA 579 luffed sharply and tacked. No boat took penalty turns.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

No rules broken.

### DECISION

Protest dismissed.

**Date & Time:** 2020-09-13 15:22 CEST

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Uros Zvan (SLO)

**Committee Members:** Stanko Uzmah (SLO), Gorazd Dimnik (SLO)

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