

DECISION

Request for Redress by RC

Request Number: 05

Heard Jointly With Number(s): 06

Event: Summer Keel Race Number: 5 and 6
Hearing Date: 2019-08-28

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Initiator: Race Committee

Respondent(s): J105 - 112 - 007 - Andrew Lorenzen
J105 - 385 - Maverick - Ian Charles
J105 - 434 - Jam Session - Adam Spiegel

Witnesses: Vicki Sodaro

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Beyond Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Hail not required

Red Flag Displayed: Not required

DECISION: Request Invalid The PC could not find a good reason to extend the time limit.

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Tom Roberts disclosed that he is on the Race Counsel at the SFYC and that Forrest is often a guest to those meetings and that he had some short conversations before the hearing when Forrest indicated that he may file a request for redress although the filing is much more complex than their discussion.

Danielle Lawson declared that she is a member of the SFYC. No objections to the panel were offered by the parties.

The alleged improper action of the RC occurred in the racing area, but the requester did not become aware of the incident until more questions were asked via email in the days following the event. The requester met with the PRO, Vicki Sodaro, on Thursday, August 15 and learned the details of the alleged improper action and searched for further evidence from other RC assets, but didn't submit the filing until the following Saturday. Tom Roberts, the Chairman of the Protest Committee received the request on Saturday August 17 at approximately 5pm, 6 days after the event occurred and 2 days after the requester became aware of the incident.

FACTS FOUND

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

DECISION

Request for redress invalid.

Date & Time: 2019-08-27 19:45 PDT

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Tom Roberts (USA)

Committee Members: John Christman (USA), Danielle Lawson (USA)

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