

# DECISION

Request Number: 09

Request for Redress

Event: 26th KFC Merdeka Open Regatta 2019 Race Number: 9

Hearing Date: 2019-08-18

## PARTIES AND WITNESSES

**Initiator:** Optimist - A - Mas 15 - Muhammad Aiman Adam Mohd Firdaus

**Respondent(s):** Protest Committee

**Witnesses:** Mas 157, Mas 14,

## VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes MAS 15 claims that there was confusion about the sail number as he heard MAS157 being hailed

**Proper Hail:** Hail not required

**Red Flag Displayed:** Not required

**DECISION:** Request Valid

## PROCEDURAL MATTERS

### FACTS FOUND

1. MAS15 was flagged a 2nd time in Race 9. This was followed soon after by MAS174 being flagged a 1st time.
2. MAS15 failed to retire and continued to sail and finished the race.
3. MAS 157 was not hailed or yellow flagged in that race.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

There was no error in the identification and hail of MAS15 in the Rule 42 on the water yellow flag procedure under Appendix P

### DECISION

Redress not given

**Date & Time:** 2019-08-18 16:18 +08

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Lock Kit (SGP)

**Committee Members:** Christopher Chin Soo Yin (MAS), Gerina Nenggola putri (INA), Tee Suan Tan (SGP), Leonard Chin (MAS)

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