

DECISION

Protest and Request for Redress

Request Number: 02

Heard Jointly With Number(s): 04

Event: 2018 KiteFoil GoldCup World Series Cagliari Race Number: 2
Hearing Date: 2018-10-18

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Initiator: KiteFoil - Male - TUR 45 - Ejder Ginyol

Respondent(s): KiteFoil - Male - GER 75 - Jannis Maus

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

FACTS FOUND

1. On the second downwind, TUR 45 was sailing on port and GER 75 was sailing on starboard in 11th place.
2. 50 meters before the gate, TUR 45 was in front of GER 75 and she gybed to starboard.
3. GER 75 started bearing away immediately.
4. Contact occurred between the kites and their lines got tangled.
5. There was damage on the lines of TUR 45
6. TUR 45 did not finish the race.
7. There was damage on the lines of GER 75.
8. GER 75 relaunched her kite and finished the race in 22nd place.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

1. When TUR 45 acquired right of way, she did not initially give GER 75 room to keep clear, breaking rules 15 and 14.
2. GER 75 tried to avoid the contact with TUR 45 but it was not possible, therefore she did not break rule 14.
3. GER 75's score was made significantly worse through no fault of her own through a tangle because of the action of TUR 45 breaking a rule of Part 2.

DECISION

Date & Time: 2018-10-18 20:01 CEST

TUR 45 is scored RCT in race 2.

GER 75 is given redress and will be scored in race 2 in 11th place. The scores of the other boats will not be adjusted.

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Bruno De Wannemaeker (BEL)

Committee Members: Bolla Giorgio (ITA), Michal Jodlowski (POL), Marina Psychogyiou (GRE), David Gosalbez (ESP)

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