DECISION Request No.: 25

## **Protest**

Event: Sun Hung Kai & Co. Hong Kong Race Week 2024 Race Number: 7

Hearing Schedule: 2024-02-04 09:00

## **PARTIES AND WITNESSES**

Request No.: 25: ILCA 4 - 222713 - lan Goh

ILCA 4 - 210325, 210910 - Jason, Jiahan Lin, Chen

Witnesses: 222437

## **VALIDITY**

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Beyond Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: No proper hail

Red Flag Displayed: Not required

**Decision:** Request Invalid

## **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

The panel of the International Jury was composed in accordance with RRS Appendix N. David Fan, Chao Wang, Felix No (Jury members) attended the hearing as an observer.

#### **FACTS FOUND**

222713 did not attend the hearing no. 17.

The protest involved a on-the-water incident and the Hearing Request was submitted beyond Protest Time Limit without good reason.

The description of incident implied an allegation of a breach of rule 69.1(a),

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

# **CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY**

Rules:

- 1. 222713 failed to deliver the protest within the protest time limit, as required by RRS 61.3.
- 2. There was no good reason for the PC to extend the time.
- 3. The panel conducted an investigation in response to the allegation of breach of rule 69.1(a) and did not find any evidence of misconduct.

**Date & Time:** 2024-02-04 09:30 HKT

222713 request to hearing number 25 is invalid.

No further action will be taken regarding the allegation of breach of rule 69.1(a).

#### PROTEST COMMITTEE

Committee Type International Jury Chaired By: Howie Suen (HKG)

Committee Members: Benjamin Harding (HKG), Rut Subniran (THA), Masaaki Tanaka (JPN), Cathy Delany-Hobbs (NZL)

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