



## **Italian Dragon Grand Prix and European GP Finals Notice to Competitors**

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**Notice:**

### **FLEET ARBITRAGE - DRAGON EUROPEANS GP FINALS - OCTOBER 31TH 2021**

**1. All regattas on October 31th will be arbitrated in the water according to the rules showed in this notice.**

**2. Two umpires ribs will be present on the regatta area.**

**1) An umpire witnessed the incident: in this case the competitor shall shout "protest" in order to also attract the attention of the umpire, exposing the red flag also in his hand. The umpire may react in one of the following ways, always accompanying with a whistle:**

**a) Displaying a yellow flag that will mean "I can not express a verdict". In this case the Protestant boat, if the protested boat does not execute the penalty, may behave as provided for in the following point 5.**

**b) Displaying a green/white flag that will mean "no rules broken"**

**c) Displaying a red flag and shouting the sail number of the boat that has broken the rule, which must promptly retire or execute a penalty tour as per rule 44.1**

**d) Displaying a black flag, even after the red one, if the boat in question did not execute the penalty or if in the incident it had so much advantage, or if it broke the rule 2 (correct navigation) or if the incident produced damages or injury.**

**3. Competitors may protest only for infringements of the rules of part 2 and Rule 31.**

**4. The umpires may protest the competitors during the race for infringements of the rules of part 2, rules 28, 31 and 42, in this way, always accompanying with a whistle:**

**a) Displaying a red flag and shouting the sail number of the boat that has broken the rule, which must promptly retire or perform a penalty lap as per rule 44.1**

**b) Displaying a black flag, even after the red one, if the boat in question did not execute the penalty or if in the accident it had so much advantage, or if it broke the rule 2 (correct navigation) or if the accident produced damages or injury.**

**5. Umpires decisions are not appealable.**