DECISION Request No.: 11

Protest

Event: 2020 Formula Kite Individual European Championships Race Number: 6

Hearing Date: 2020-08-20

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 11: Formula Kite - Male - GBR 87 - Josh Carey

Formula Kite - Male - FRA 126 - Lilian Mosa

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

FRA 126 was not present, hearing proceeds under rule 63.3(b)

FACTS FOUND

GBR 87 and FRA 126 were sailing on a beat, FRA 126 on port and GBR 87 on starboard.

FRA 126 passed behind GBR 87 and tacked to port, clear astern of GBR 87.

FRA 126 lowered her kite and contact occurred between the kites.

No damage or injury occurred and no kiteboard took a penalty

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

FRA 126, clear astern, did not keep clear of of GBR 87, clear ahead, breaking rules 12 and 14 It was not reasonably possible for GBR 87 to avoid the contact, therefore she did not break rule 14

DECISION

FRA 126 is DSQ in race 6

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Jacob Andersen (DEN)

Committee Members: Aleksander Prusinski (POL), Marina Psychogyiou (GRE)

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