

# DECISION

**Request Number: 04**

## Protest

**Event:** PA Consulting RS Feva European Championships    **Race Number:** F1

**Hearing Date:** 2018-08-13

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

**Initiator:** RS Feva - HKG 7047 - Jon Crawford

**Respondent(s):** RS Feva - GBR 6283 - Blythe Berry

### 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

GBR 6283 and HKG 7047 were approaching gate 4, in the zone, GBR 6283 on port, half boat length from the starboard gate mark and HKG 7047 on starboard, on collision course with GBR 6283.

GBR 6283 gybed to starboard and rounded the mark.

HKG 7047 luffed astern of GBR 6283 and rounded the mark behind her.

No contact occurred and no boat took a penalty.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

#### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

HKG outside gave mark room to GBR inside

No rule was broken.

#### DECISION

Protest dismissed

**Date & Time:** 2018-08-13 18:16 BST

#### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Václav Brabec (CZE)

**Committee Members:** Luis Faria (POR), Barbara Murray (ESP), Charlie Watson (GBR), Marina Psychogyiou (GRE)

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