

# DECISION

Request No.: 01

## Protest

Event: RS Aero World Championship 2019 Race Number: Practice Race

Hearing Date: 2019-12-29

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 01: RS Aero 7 - GBR 3085 - Oxford SC - Richard Payne

2489

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** No proper hail

**Red Flag Displayed:** Not required

**DECISION:** Request Invalid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

1. The protesting boat failed to inform the other boat by hailing "Protest" as required RRS 61.1.
2. The sail number of the boat being protested, 2489, is not a valid sail number.
3. The protesting boat failed to correctly identify the protestee as required RRS 61.2(a).

### FACTS FOUND

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

### DECISION

The Protest is Invalid - the hearing is closed under RRS 63.5

**Date & Time:** 2019-12-29 17:40 AEDT

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Tracy Heritage (AUS)

**Committee Members:** Christian Boillot (AUS), Mark Townsend (USA), Bill Bell (AUS), Grant Baldwin (USA)

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