1. Event Name: Autumn League 2023

Protest On: 2023-10-09 Race No: 3

# 2. Hearing Type

Protest	Request to Reopen
Protest by RC	Reopening by PC
Protest by PC	Request for Redress
Protest by TC	Request for Redress by RC

## 3. Protestor

Puppeteer - 15 - Trick R Treat - Alan Blay

#### 4. Protestees

1. Race Committee

#### 5. Incident

Time Place: Race 3 Rules: Rule 32.3a & Autumn League; Sailing Instructions part 8 Witnesses:

#### 6. Informing Protestee

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Hail When:

Hail Comment:

Red Flag:

**Red Flag Comment** 

Other:

Other Comment:

## 7. Description Of Incident

Redress request. On Saturday the 7th October, race 2 was held and race 3 was started. Trick or Treat (sail no 15), was lying second at the leeward mark. The winner of race 3 in the Puppeteer class was lbis (sail no 385). The race committee abandoned the race before the second boat could finish. The sailing instructions state the following,

"On days when a second race is sailed, the time limit for each race shall be 15 minutes from the time of the second finisher in each Class"

As no boat had finished second, the Puppeteer race finish therefore should have been open ended. The race committee made a decision to abandon race 3 after Ibis had cross the finish line, to end the race. Therefore Trick R Treat through no fault of there own was unable to finish the race.

Redress has been lodged on Monday evening (9th Oct) as the results of Race 3 have only been published on Monday afternoon (9th Oct).

# 8. Damage Or Injury

none

## Attachments