

# DECISION

Request No.: 05

## Protest

Event: YAI Sail India 2024 Race Number: 2  
Hearing Schedule: 2024-01-16

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

**Request No.: 05:** 470 (MIX) - IND IND 4 - ANIRAJ SENDHAV

470 (MIX) - IND IND 41 - LAVETI DHARANI

**Witnesses:** Anmol Badyal - IND 44

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Beyond with Good Reason IND 4 experienced issues with the boat while sailing back to shore and this delayed submission of the protest form

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed

**Red Flag Displayed:** Not required

**Decision:** Request Valid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

IND 4 was represented by Ms Naincy Rai.

IND 41 was represented by Ms Laveti Dharani.

Anmol Badyal (Crew of IND 44) attended the hearing as a witness for IND 4.

### FACTS FOUND

1. In Race No 2 of 470 (Mix) the wind was 7-8 knots and sea choppy.
2. IND 41 and IND 4 both overlapped were sailing downwind to the gate mark on port tack.
3. IND 4 was to the leeward of IND 41 with lateral distance of 2 boat lengths. IND 4 was marginally ahead of IND 41
4. At about 12 boat lengths from the gate mark, IND 41 gybed onto starboard tack, immediately luffed hard and passed astern of IND 4.
5. There was no contact between the boats.
6. No boat took a penalty.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

**Rules:** 10, 11, 15

1. When acquiring right of way through her own actions, IND 41 gave IND 4 room to keep clear, and complied with RRS 15.
2. No rules broken.

### DECISION

The Protest is Dismissed.

**Date & Time:** 2024-01-16 19:37 IST

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Committee Type:** Protest Committee

**Chaired By:** Satyavir Siwatch (IND)

**Committee Members:** Satish Kumar Kanwar (IND), Ananya Siwatch (IND), Praveen Prabhakar (IND), Gaurav Kinha (IND)