DECISION Request No.: 15

Protest

Event: Cascais SB20 World Championship Race Number: #6

Hearing Schedule: 2021-09-01

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 15: SB20 - POR POR3083 - Kanimambo - Raul Pato

SB20 - POR POR3092 - Vicky - Augusto Branco

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Protest hailed

Red Flag Displayed: Yes

Decision: Request Invalid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

1. POR 3083 was represented by Raul Bulhao Pato.

2. POR 3092 was represented by Augusto Castelo Branco.

FACTS FOUND

- 1. POR 3083 did not hail 'Protest' nor conspicuously display a red flag after the incident.
- 2. POR 3083 launched a hearing request at 18:59.
- 3. The protest time limit expired at 18:31.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: RRS 61.3, UF3.3, UF5.3, SI 19.1.

- 1. POR 3083 failed to deliver the protest within the protest time limit, as required by RRS 61.3. There was no good reason for the International Jury to extend the time.
- 2. POR 3083 did not hail 'Protest' and did not conspicuously display a red flag at the first reasonable opportunity as required by rule UF3.3.
- 3. POR 3083, a boat intending to protest another boat for the incident that happened in the racing area, did not immediately inform the Race Committee finishing vessel after finishing, as required by rule UF5.3 and SI 19.1.

DECISION

The protest is invalid.

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Andres Perez (ESP)

Committee Members: Manuel Santos e Silva (POR), Manuel Ken Gamito (POR), Anastazja Lewandowska (POL), Cxema Pico (IRL)

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