DECISION Request No.: 10

Protest

Event: EurlLCA Senior European Championships & Open European Trophy 2021 Race Number: 6 Hearing Schedule: 2021-10-07 18:10

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 10: ILCA 7 - Yellow - BEL 211121 - 4 - Wannes VAN LAER

ILCA 7 - Yellow - FIN 219212 - 20 - Nooa LAUKKANEN

Witnesses: Zac Littlewood AUS 199088, Thomas Saunders NZL 218910

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

Arbitration held unsuccessfully.

FACTS FOUND

- 1. Wind about 20kn, rough seastate, waves 2m
- 2. BEL and FIN on the run of leg 5 with FIN being 1 boat length ahead of BEL.
- 3. While rounding the Mark 3P contact occurred between the mark and FIN 219212 hull amidships. No penalty taken.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: 31

1. FIN 219212 touched mark 3P and broke RRS 31.

DECISION Date & Time: 2021-10-07 19:03 +03

The Protest is Upheld. FIN 219212 is DSQ in race 6.

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Pauline Den Burger (NED)

Committee Members: Heiko Thoelmann (GER), Boguslaw Moczorodynski (POL), Jean Bernard Luther (SUI), Antoaneta Tomova (BUL)

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