

# DECISION

Request No.: 07

## Protest

Event: 40 Copa del Rey MAPFRE Race Number: 6  
Hearing Schedule: 2022-08-03 18:15

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 07: J70 - Esp1122 - Let it be - José Manuel Ruiz  
J70 - Esp1419 - Can Marles - Jorge Doreste

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed

**Red Flag Displayed:** Yes

**Decision:** Request Valid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Observers: Ivan Canellas; Martina Magri; Catherine Havenga

### FACTS FOUND

About 5 s before the start ESP 1122 and ESP 1419 were on port tack with ESP 1122 clear ahead and to leeward of ESP 1419. ESP 1122 passed head to wind at a distance of one to one and a half boat length of ESP 1419. ESP 1419 started to bore away when ESP 1122 passed head to wind. When 1122 completed her tack ESP 1419 was still bearing away and a contact occurs between the port sides of the boats. From the contact light gelcoat scratches resulted on ESP 1122. No boat took a penalty

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

**Rules:** 15, 14

By not giving room to ESP 1419 to keep clear after ESP acquire right of way, ESP1122 breaks RRS 15

### DECISION

ESP 1122 is DSQ in race 6

**Date & Time:** 2022-08-03 18:50 CEST

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Pinar Coskuner Genc (TUR)

**Committee Members:** Andres Perez (ESP), Manuel Santos e Silva (POR), Mats Björklund (FIN), Maria Torrijo (ESP)