

DECISION

Protest by PC

Request No.: 02

Event: MELGES 24 European Championship 2021 Race Number: 1
Hearing Schedule: 2021-09-07

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 02: Protest Committee

Melges24 - CRO 739 - PANjIC - Tomislav Basic

Witnesses: Uros Zvan (Jury)

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Within Time Limit

Incident Identified: Yes

Proper Hail: Hail not required

Red Flag Displayed: Not required

Decision: Request Valid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

1. Protestee informed by the the notice on notice board in accordance with RRS 61.1.(b)
2. Uros Zvan from protest committee presented the case.

FACTS FOUND

1. In race Nr. 1. CRO 739 was sailing on the offset leg towards mark 1a on starboard.
2. CRO 739 touched the mark 1a with the hull and the boom.
3. CRO 739 testified to be aware of touching the mark.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: 31

1. CRO 739 touched mark 1a and broke RRS 31.
2. By knowingly breaking rule 31 and not taking the appropriate penalty, CRO 739 failed to compete in compliance with the principles of sportsmanship and fair play, and broke RRS 2.

DECISION

CRO 739 is DNE in Race 1.

Date & Time: 2021-09-07 20:31 CEST

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Arto Kiiski (FIN)

Committee Members: Uros Zvan (SLO), Heiko Thoelmann (GER), Vilmos Naray (HUN), Stanko Uzmah (SLO)

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