FFVoile SOF FRENCH OLYMPIC WEEK Hyères 27 APRIL 2019 04 MAY 2019

Jury Decision

Case: 13

With Case (s):

Race: 8

Protest Boat vs Boat

Parties

	Class:	Sail No:	Represented by:
Protestor:	Laser Radial	FRA196544	Matilde De Kerengat
Protestee:	Laser Radial	AUS 208336	Jacinta Ainsworth

Witness:

Represented by:	Role:
Laser Radial FRA 174701 Louise Cervera	

Validity: Protest or request valid

Case Summary:

Incident between FRA 196544 and AUS 208336 at the start of Race 8

Procedural Matters:

Facts Found:

40 seconds before start of race 8 FRA 196544 was on starboard tack near the Committee boat at the starboard end of the starting line.
FRA196544 was to the windward of FRA174701 also on starboard tack.
There were less than half a boat length between FRA 196544 and FRA 174701.
AUS 208336 sailed on port tack in between FRA196544 and FRA 174701 .
There was immeadiate contact between AUS 208336 and FRA 196544.
AUS 208366 passed head to wind and immeadiately touched FRA 174701.
There was no damage and injury.
Nobody took a penalty.

Conclusion and Rules applicable:

AUS 208336 on port failed to keep clear of FRA 196544 on starboard and broke RRS 10.
After passing head to wind before being on a close hauled course AUS 208336 failed to keep clear of FRA 174701 and broke rule 13. AUS208336 did not avoid contact with FRA 196544 and FRA 174701 and broke RRS 14. It was not reasonably possible for FRA 196544 and FRA 174701 to avoid contact with AUS 208336 when it was clear that AUS 208336 was not keeping clear. FRA 196544 and FRA 174701 did not break RRS 14.

Decision:

AUS 208336 is DSQ from race 8.

Parties informed of the decision (Date & time): 2.05.2019 18:40

Jury Members:

Panel Chairman				*Scribe*
Klaus LAHME *Signed.*	Manuel HUENSCH	Bernadette DELBART	Pina COSKUNER	Aylin AYBERS