

2019 RS Aero North American Championship

Question for Officials

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Question No: 01

Question For: Race Committee

Question:

Can a right of way boat force a Give-way boat to hit a mark of the course per rule change SI 1.4?

Answer:

We feel this question is related to a situation when rounding a mark. Per the definitions *mark room* and *room*, it is not seamanlike to hit any object, including a mark. *Room*, includes space for a boat to comply with her obligations under the rules of part 2 and 31. Therefore a boat must be given *room*, which includes not touching the mark if possible.

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