

DECISION

Request No.: 08

Protest and Request for Redress

Event: 2022 Formula Kite European Championships Race Number: 1 blue
Hearing Schedule: 2022-09-28 17:40

PARTIES AND WITNESSES

Request No.: 08: Fk - Blue - Lucas Fonseca

Fk - Blue - 43 - Hector Patarau

VALIDITY

Objection to Jury: No

Within Time Limit: Beyond Time Limit

Incident Identified: N/A

Proper Hail: N/A

Red Flag Displayed: N/A

Decision: Request Invalid

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

1. The hearing request identified "Fk - Blue - 43 - Hector Patarau" as protestee.
2. POR 43 (Pedro Rodrigues) attended the hearing.
3. BRA 25 (Lucas Fonseca) and AUS 92 (Hector Patarau) did not attend the hearing, the hearing proceeded in accordance with RRS 63.3(b).

FACTS FOUND

1. The incident happened before the start of race 1 for the men's blue fleet at 15:10.
2. The end of the protest time limit for the men's blue fleet was at 17:23.
3. The protest and request for redress was filed via the online system at 17:26.

Diagram: Diagram not endorsed

CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

Rules: RRS 61.3, 62.2, 63.3(b) and 63.5

BRA 25 failed to deliver the protest and request for redress within the protest time limit or two hours after the incident, as required by RRS 61.3 and 62.2. There was no good reason for the international jury to extend the time. Therefore, the requirements for a valid protest and request for redress are not met.

DECISION

Date & Time: 2022-09-28 17:56 EEST

The protest and request for redress are invalid, the hearing is closed under RRS 63.5.

PROTEST COMMITTEE

Chaired By: Pauline Den Burger (NED)

Committee Members: Yoann Peronneau (FRA), Stavros Kouris (GRE), Marios Zisimatos (GRE), Finn Mrugalla (GER)