



ROYAL NEW ZEALAND YACHT SQUADRON

PROTEST HEARING DECISION

PROTESTOR	Race Committee	REPRESENTED	Laurie Jury
PROTESTEE	NZL8390 The Big Don't Argue 1469 Tequila 6747 Right Angle 5646 Ocean Express 9777 Flyer 8928 Go 9189 Activator 6476 Hysteria 6697 Duty Free 182 Namu	REPRESENTED	
SERIES	Winter Series	DIVISION	B, E, F
RACE & DATE:	Race 3 13/06/2020	HEARING DATE	15/6/2020 18:00

Validity/Procedure:

- This was a protest by the Race Committee and was valid under RRS 61.1(b) and the hearing continued.
- The Race Committee requested that the protest against *5646 Ocean Express* and *182 Namu* be withdrawn and the withdrawal was permitted under RRS 63.1.
- *NZL8390*, *1469*, *6747*, *9777*, *8928*, *9189*, *6476* and *6697* were not represented and the hearing proceeded under RRS 63.3(b).
- On 29/6/2020 the Race Committee advised that *NZL8390* had not been informed of the protest.
- The protest committee reopened the hearing under RRS 66 and decided that the protest against *NZL8390* was invalid as she had not been informed of the protest as required by RRS 61.1(b)

Facts Found:

- *1469*, *6747*, *9777*, *8928*, *9189*, *6476* and *6697* sailed in an area to the south of a straight line drawn between the most northern point of Wynyard Point and the north western point of the Fergusson Terminal

Conclusion:

- *1469*, *6747*, *9777*, *8928*, *9189*, *6476* and *6697* sailed in a prohibited racing area breaking S.I. 1.2

Decision:

- *1469*, *6747*, *9777*, *8928*, *9189*, *6476* and *6697* are disqualified

Protest Committee Panel:

Doug Elder, Blair Park, Sean Bainbridge

Decision Advised:

30/6/2020 12:00 (updated)