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Protest nr: 86

Class	FORMULA KITE WOMEN
Protestor	CHN LC7 - JingYue Chen
Protestee	Protest Committee
Witnesses	
Type	request for redress
Incident	When Jury asked me about if I can keep race which place may I get, this question is not reasonable, because I was already can't control my kite, so it's impossible I can go continue the race. Now the redress it's not reasonable, I can't find any rule about do the redress like this. So I think it's not fair to me.
Date/Time of hearing	3 Apr 2025 at 18:15
Location	Jury Container
Procedural matters	1. CHN LC7 was represented by JingYue Chen. 2. Xiaogang Yang (support team of CHN LC7) attended the hearing as an observer. 3. During the hearing the protest committee clarified in accordance with RRS 63.2(c) that the hearing request was not a request for redress but request to reopen hearing No. 58 and proceeded with it accordingly. 4. The panel which considered the reopening was changed in accordance with RRS 63.7(c)(2) by adding the following new members: Ken Gamito, IJ (POR) and Murat Suntay, NJ (TUR)
Facts found	1. During the consideration to reopen hearing No. 58, CHN L7 suggested that the panel of the international jury had made a significant error by awarding an incorrect redress by scoring her 15 points in race 14 and not the average score of the day, despite the fact that she could not sail the race after recovering from the capsized. 2. During the consideration to reopen hearing No. 58, CHN LC7 did not present any new evidence. 3. The panel of the International Jury reviewed the decision of hearing request No. 58.



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Conclusion	1. The conclusions and decision are supported by the facts of the original hearing. 2. The redress given in the decision of hearing No. 58 was the fairest possible arrangement for all kiteboards affected under RRS 61.4(c) because it reflected the fact, that CHN LC7's score in race 14 was first made worse by the incident and the following capsize and only thereafter by the physical damage that occurred. 3. In accordance with RRS 61.4(b)(2), CHN LC7 is not entitled to redress for the loss caused of capsize but only the one caused by the damage. The redress given reflects this requirement. 4. Hence, the panel of the International Jury did not make a significant error in the original hearing. Therefore, the requirements in RRS 63.7(a)(2) for reopening hearing No. 58 are not met	
Rules applicables	RRS 61.4(b)(2), 61.4(c), 63.2(c), 63.7(a)(2), 63.7(c)(2)	
Jury Decision:	Hearing No. 58 will not be reopened.	
Date of decision:	3 Apr 2025 at 18:41	
Jury members	Ken Gamit, IJ (POR), Finn Mrugalla, IJ (GER), Aleksander Prusinski, IJ (POL), Pablo Macias, IJ (ESP), Murat Suntay, NJ (TUR)	

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