



Decision of Protest Committee

Protest Number:	11	
Protest Heard With:	N/A	
Date of Hearing:	28/04/2021	
Event:	Wednesday Wonders	
Class:	N/A	
Date of Incident:	21/04/2021	
Race Number:	16	
Boat Contesting	Sm 41 Hot Chipps	Represented by: John Chipp
Boat(s) Protested:	Sm 3131 Arch de Triomphe	Represented by: Alistair Murray
Validity:	Valid	
Facts Found:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. White Pointer, Ragnar, Hot Chipps and Arch de Triomphe were all reaching in close company towards Mark 3 which was to be left to port.2. At about 6 boat lengths from the mark, Arch de Triomphe established an overlap from clear astern, two or more boat lengths to windward of Hot Chipps.3. When Ragnar entered the zone, both Arch de Triumph and Hot Chipps were overlapped inside her.4. When Hot Chipps entered the Zone, she was clear astern of White Pointer by a small amount and Arch de Triomphe was still overlapped inside her.5. At about two boat lengths from the mark, Arch de Triomphe bore away to pass to leeward of White Pointer.6. Hot Chipps bore away to avoid contact with Arch de Triomphe, passing close astern of Ragnar.7. There was no contact	
Diagram:	The Protest Committee diagram is attached.	
Conclusions:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Arch de Triomphe had established an inside overlap on Hot Chipps approximately 6 boat lengths from Mark 3 and remained overlapped at the zone.2. Hot Chipps gave Arch de Triomphe mark room.	
Rules that Apply:	18, 18.2(c),	
Decision:	Protest is dismissed.	



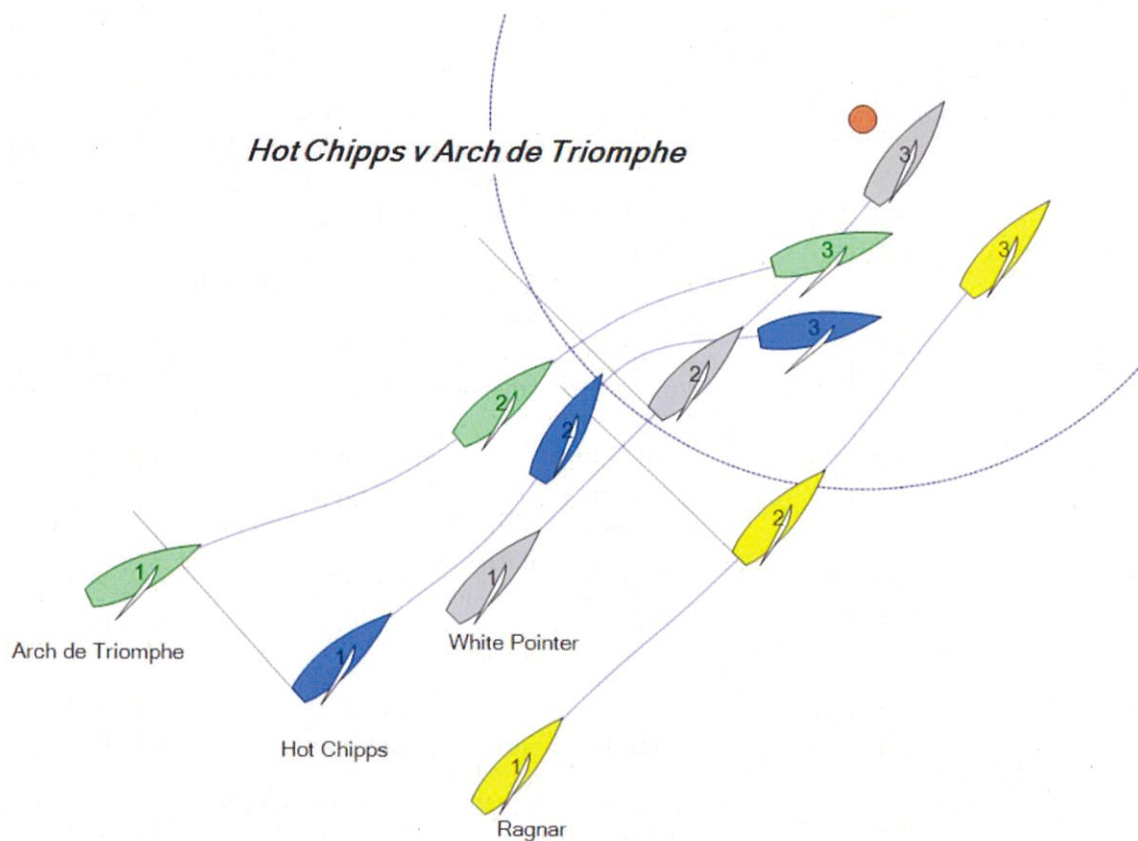
Protest Committee: Jack Fullerton, Andrew Merrett and Robert Ware (Chairman)

Chairman's Signature:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "R Ware", written over a light blue horizontal line.

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Protest Committee Diagram:



Received by race office: Number 11 Date and time 21/4 1700 Signature [Signature]

PROTEST FORM – also for requests for redress and reopening

Fill in and tick as appropriate

1. EVENT WW RACE 16 Organizing authority SYC Date 21/4/21 Race no. 16

2. TYPE OF HEARING

Protest by boat against boat ☒

Protest by race committee against boat ☐

Protest by protest committee against boat ☐

Request for redress by boat or race committee ☐

Consideration of redress by protest committee ☐

Request by boat or race committee to reopen hearing ☐

Consideration of reopening by protest committee ☐

3. BOAT PROTESTING, OR REQUESTING REDRESS OR REOPENING

Class Fleet WW Sail no. SM41 Boat's name HOT CHIPS
Represented by JOHN CHIPP Tel., e-mail john.chipp@outlook.com

4. BOAT(S) PROTESTED OR BEING CONSIDERED FOR REDRESS

Class Fleet W/U Sail no. SM3131 Boat's name Anche de TRUMP

5. INCIDENT

Time and place of incident 2.30PM JUST BEFORE MARK 3

Rules alleged to have been broken 1418 (b) Witnesses WHITE POINTER
NO OVERLAP BUT BOAT FORCED ROOM AT MARK RAGNAR

6. INFORMING PROTESTEE How did you inform the protestee of your intention to protest?

By hailing ☒

When? IMMEDIATELY Word(s) used PROTEST! PROTEST.

By displaying a red flag ☒

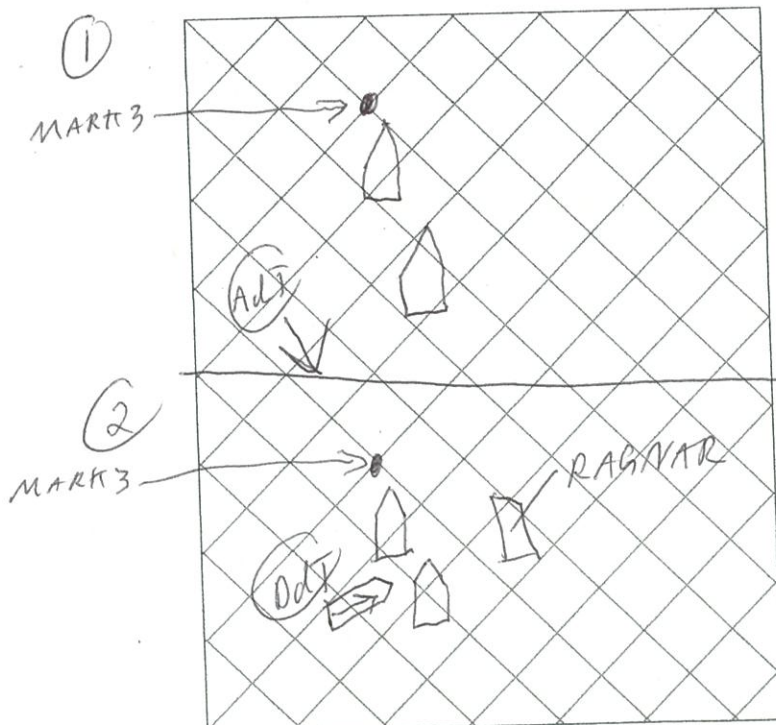
When? " AFTER -

By informing her in some other way ☐

Give details AdT acknowledged Protest

7. DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT (use another sheet if necessary)

Diagram: one square = hull length; show positions of boats, wind and current directions, marks, ~~marks~~



COMING UP TO MARK 3, WHITE POINTER WAS $\frac{1}{2}$ OF A BOAT AHEAD OF US. AdT HAD 4000 SPEED & WAS CATCHING US QUICKLY. AT 5 BOAT LENGTHS TO THE MARK I CALLED NO OVERLAP AGAIN & AGAIN (PROBABLY 5 TIMES). AT 2 BOAT LENGTHS I SAID YOU HAVE NO RIGHTS AND MUST GO ABOVE MARK. THEY SAID NO WERE COMING THROUGH WE HAD TO CHANGE COURSE TO AVOID IMMEDIATE CONTACT. THEY ALSO JUST MISSED WHITE POINTER.

THIS SIDE FOR PROTEST COMMITTEE USE

Number Heard together with numbers

Fill in and tick as appropriate

Withdrawal requested ☐ Signature Withdrawal permitted ☐

Class Fleet Race Protest time limit

Protest, or request for redress or reopening, received within time limit ☐ Time limit extended ☐

Protestor, or party requesting redress or reopening, represented by

Other party, or boat being considered for redress, represented by

Names of witnesses

Interpreters

No objection about interested party ☐ Remarks

Written protest or request identifies incident ☐

'Protest' hailed at first reasonable opportunity ☐

No hail needed; protestee informed at first reasonable opportunity ☐

Red flag conspicuously displayed at first reasonable opportunity ☐

Protest or request valid; hearing will continue ☐ Protest or request invalid; hearing is closed ☐

FACTS FOUND

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DECISION

Protest: dismissed ☐ Boat(s) is (are) disqualified from race(s)
penalized as follows ☐ :

Redress: not given ☐ given as follows ☐ :

Request to reopen a hearing: denied ☐ granted ☐

Protest committee chairman and other members

Chairman's signature Date and time