

THE RACING RULES OF SAILING 2021-2024
Marginal Marking Details

2021-2024 Edition

64.1 Standard of Proof, Majority Decisions and Reclassifying Requests

- (a) A protest committee shall make its decision based on a balance of probabilities, unless provided for otherwise in the rule alleged to have been broken.
- (b) Decisions of the protest committee shall be by simple majority vote of all members. When there is equal division of votes cast, the chairman may cast an additional vote.
- (c) The protest committee shall proceed with each case, as a *protest*, request for redress or other type of request, based on the information in the written request or allegation and testimony during the hearing. This permits the type of case to be changed if appropriate.

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Not included in prior edition. New Rule.

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- Change effective on 1/1/2018. Submission 142-17, Proposal 4, as edited.