

CRUISING YACHT CLUB OF AUSTRALIA

2023 LGT CRESTONE WINTER SERIES LADIES RACE 3

Protest No. 2

Non-Spinnaker Division 2

Hearing at the CYCA on 11 July 2023 at 1900 Hours

Trim 6223 v Krakatoa 8383

Protest Committee: Erica Kirby, Timothy Cox, and John Kirkjian

Trim was represented by: B Moor

Krakatoa was represented by: J. Whitfeld

FACTS FOUND:

1. Trim was sailing close hauled on starboard tack approaching the start line to start with Krakatoa also close hauled on starboard tack 1.5 boat lengths clear ahead and one boat length to leeward of Trim.
2. Krakatoa tacked onto port.
3. Trim and Krakatoa were sailing on a converging course.
4. Trim believing a collision with Krakatoa to be imminent turned hard to port to avoid contact.
5. There was no contact between the boats.
6. No penalty turn was carried out by either boat.

CONCLUSIONS

1. Krakatoa a port tack boat failed to keep clear on Trim a starboard tack boat.

RULES APPLICABLE:

RRS: 10 and WS Case 50

DECISION

Krakatoa is to be scored DSQ in race 3.

E. Kirby Chairman

