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Newport, Rhode Island**

APPENDIX UF AMENDMENT 1

UF2.6 is amended as follows:

UF2.6 The three sentences of rule 64.2 are replaced with: “When the protest committee decides that a boat that is a *party* to a protest hearing has broken a *rule*, it may impose penalties other than disqualification, and may make any other scoring arrangement it decides is equitable. If a boat has broken a *rule* when not *racing*, the protest committee shall decide whether to apply any penalty to the race sailed nearest in time to that of the incident or make some other arrangement.”

UF3.2 is deleted and replaced with:

UF3.2 Penalties and Protests Initiated by an Umpire

- (a) An umpire may penalize a boat without a *protest* by another boat, or report the incident to the protest committee, or both, when the boat
 - (1) breaks rule 31 or 42 and does not take a penalty.
 - (2) gains an advantage despite taking a penalty.
 - (3) clearly indicates that she will take a penalty and fails to do so.
 - (4) fails to take a penalty signalled by an umpire.
 - (5) commits a breach of sportsmanship.

The umpire shall signal a decision in compliance with rule UF3.3

- (b) An umpire may impose a ‘one-point penalty’ without a hearing for any breach of Class Rule C.11 and shall report any such breaches to the Race Committee. No umpire signal will be made.
- (c) When there is contact between boats that causes damage or injury, or the umpires decide a boat has broken rule 14 and damage or injury resulted, they may report the incident to the protest committee.

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