

2K Rules Explanation No. 6 Downwind Lee Bow tack

On a downwind leg, Yellow is sailing in an attempt to pass astern of Blue. Blue rapidly luffs, and tacks to leeward of Yellow. At all times Yellow is turning to keep clear.

There is a protest? What rules if any have been broken?

Answer

From the moment Blue passes head to wind until she is on a close hauled course she is subject to rule 13. As Yellow had to change course to keep clear of Blue. Blue breaks rule 13.

