2018 Supplement to

The CALL BOOK for MATCH RACING for 2017 – 2020

World Sailing

Summary of Changes:

2018 Changes

MR Call E7 New Call E7

Diagrams A process to replace diagrams to be in colours has

been started and will be continued in later

supplements.

Typo In the original MR Call E1 there are two references to

rule 18.2(a)(1) in the Answer. This has been changed

to be rule 18.2(a)(2).

MR Call E7

Rule 11 On the Same Tack, Overlapped

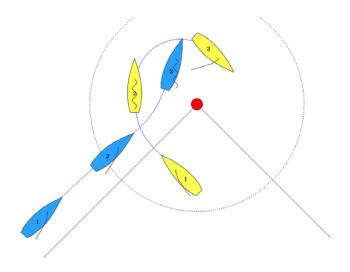
Rule 18.3(b) Tacking or Gybing (C2.9)

Rule 21 Exoneration

Definitions Mark-Room (C2.2) and Proper Course

Question 1

Yellow and Blue approach the windward mark on opposite tacks with Yellow on starboard. Yellow keeps on sailing on starboard beyond her proper course to round the mark before she passes head to wind. Yellow then bears away on her proper course to round the mark and Blue has to luff to give mark-room to Yellow. There is a Y-flag. What should the call be?



Answer 1

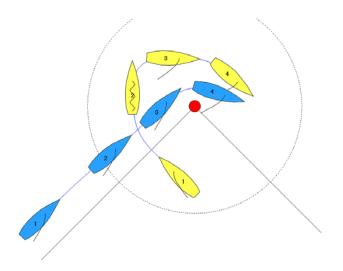
Display the green and white flag.

Yellow broke rule 18.3(b) when she sailed farther from the mark than needed to sail her proper course, however she did not affect Blue's course during the time rule 18.3(b) applied. Once Yellow passed head to wind rule 18.3(b) no longer applied. Therefore, she is not penalized for that breach.

After Yellow passed head to wind at position 2, rule 18.3(b) no longer applied. By luffing up behind Yellow, Blue gave Yellow mark-room. No rules are broken.

Question 2

The situation starts as in Question 1, but after Yellow passes head to wind, Blue sails in between Yellow and the mark. When Yellow bears away to round the mark on her proper course there is contact between the boats. There is a Y-flag. What should the call be?



Answer 2

Penalize Blue.

Yellow was entitled to mark-room under rule 18.2(a)(1) and, from the moment she began luffing to round the mark, she was sailing her proper course to round the mark. Therefore, she is exonerated under rule 21 for her breach of rule 11. Blue failed to give Yellow mark-room as required by rule 18.2(a)(1).

Yellow broke rule 18.3(b) before she passed head to wind, but is not penalized for that breach (see Answer 1).