# **Jury meeting 9th Masters WFFC**

Date: 21 May 2024 at 17:00 hrs

<u>Present</u>: as defined at captains meeting, Paul Dewar (NZE) and Marino Rota (SWE indiv) as concerned parties. Jos Peeters replaced Roberto Malinverni as he is still occupied with the ladies session. Brian Russel (IRL) was not present.

## Introduction

The jury meeting was convened by FIPS-board members present after receiving information from both Paul Dewar and Marino Rota about the allocated beats for session 1. On Sec IV during session 1 they drew beats 2 (Paul) and 3 (Marino).

The remark was written on both competitors score sheets. (Picture in Annex)

## Goal of the meeting

Hear a reaction from the competitors. Hear their version of what happened.

Determine an adequate solution that is fair to all competitors.

<u>Comment on the event by Marino Rota:</u> Marino was instructed by his beat controller to fish downstream from a red/white banner. After fishing downstream for some time he came to a beat marker with number 3 on it. He inquired with his controller if he should be fishing down from this point. The controller said no and told him to fish upstream from this 3 sign to the red/white banner.

<u>Comment on the event by Paul Dewar:</u> Paul upon arrival of his beat was told to fish upstream from the number 2 mark, however during the preparation time he walked up and met the competitor from beat 1. He effectively then fished his allocated beat but was stopped by his controller when he came to the red/white banner. He was not allowed to continue further downstream.

<u>Comment by IO</u>, <u>Milan Hladik:</u> IO confirms that the mistake was actually by the concerned beat controllers and there is no fault by the competitors.

#### Jury discussion

Both anglers effectively each fished half of beat 2.

Due to this event beat 3 was not fished during the first session. To even out the time of fishing on beat 3, this beat should be used for additional fishing time for concerned anglers.

#### **Jury decision**

Both anglers will fish for 1.5 hours on 22 May from 17:00 to 18:30 on beat 3, each will be allocated a half of the beat , a toss of a coin will decide who fishes which half. They will be picked up from in front of hotel Ruze in Rozmberk by IO at 16:00

The fish they catch will added to the score sheet from the first session.

Meeting closed at 17:30.

Milan Hladik Edoardo Ferrero Stefan Allacker