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#### HOSTING CLASS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS IN AUSTRALIA

#### **PREAMBLE**

In accordance with World Sailing Regulation 26.9, an International or Recognised class is required to obtain authority from Australian Sailing to host a World Championship in Australia.

"To maintain its World Sailing designation an International or Recognised class shall: Obtain the approval of the Member National Authority governing the proposed venue of its ensuing World Championships"

## 1. Requirements for Approval

- 1.1. The Organising Authority shall be appointed in accordance with RRS 89.1.
- 1.2. The host Yacht Club shall be affiliated to a State/Territory (Member) Yachting Association (MYA), that is affiliated to Australian Sailing.
- 1.3. The National Class Association shall have and maintain current affiliation to Australian Sailing.

### 2. Application for Approval

- 2.1. The National/State class association, host club or event organiser should forward a letter to Australian Sailing applying for approval detailing:
- 2.2. The event which [is being bid for/has been awarded] to the class association/host club/event organiser;
- 2.3. The organisation which is to be the Organising Authority in accordance with RRS 89.1;
- 2.4. The [proposed/confirmed] dates of the Championship:
- 2.5. The [proposed/confirmed] venue of the Championship;
- 2.6. The [proposed/confirmed] members of the International Jury (if known at that stage);
- 2.7. The [proposed/confirmed] Principal Race Officer of the Championship (if known at that stage);

## 3. Australian Sailing Support

Australian Sailing views its role primarily to:

- 3.1. Co-ordinate the Australian Sailing Calendar.
- 3.2. Provide written support to the National/State class association, host club or event organiser in the bidding process.
- 3.3. Assist with information, guidance and support regarding funding support for bidding and hosting international events.
- 3.4. Assist class associations, host clubs and event organisers to, once the event is awarded, :

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- 3.5. Promote the event through publishing details on the web-based Australian Sailing Sailing Calendar, including providing a link to the event website.
- 3.6. Assist in co-ordinating members available for International Juries, particularly international judges/umpires coming to Australia for other events.
- 3.7. Assist with the appointment of a Principal Race Officer.
- 3.8. Assist where necessary with the preparation of World Sailing standard Race Documents, particularly with regard to appropriate/required Australian and State/Territory regulations.

### 4. Withdrawal of Approval

4.1. Australian Sailing may choose to withdraw their approval of the championship should the host club and/or national class association not maintain their affiliation throughout the entire period between approval and event staging.

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