

ISA Prescriptions for 2017 to 2020

Anti-Doping

The ISA has adopted the world Anti-Doping Code and Sport Ireland's Anti-Doping Rules. The Irish Anti-Doping Rules may be accessed through the ISA's website: www.sailing.ie

ISA Prescriptions to the Racing Rules of Sailing for 2017 – 2020 (effective 1.1.2017)

The Irish Sailing Association (ISA) prescribes;

Rule

- 46 Person in Charge**
To be eligible to compete in any event run by an organisation affiliated to the ISA the designated Person in Charge shall:
- Be an ISA Personal Member, a member of an ISA affiliated Category 1 Club or an equivalent club in Northern Ireland or
 - When the designated Person in Charge is not ordinarily a resident within the jurisdiction of the ISA the competitor shall comply with the requirements of the National Authority of the country of which he is a national or ordinarily a resident.
- 61.2 Fees for Protests and Requests for Redress**
The ISA prescribes that no fees shall be charged for protests or requests for redress.
- 67 Damages**
- No claims for damages arising from an infringement of any of the rules, as defined, shall be adjudicated upon by any protest committee or appeal authority but shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the courts.
 - A boat that takes a penalty or retires does not thereby admit liability for damages or that she has broken a rule.
- 70.5 Right of Appeal 70.5(a) & 70.5(b)**
An organising authority shall obtain approval from the ISA for the denial of the right of appeal. Application shall be made in writing enclosing
- the notice of race
 - the sailing instructions
 - a statement of reasons of application
 - the names of the proposed members of the protest committee.
- Approval should be sought before the Notice of Race has been posted or distributed and no less than thirty (30) days in advance. The majority of the protest committee shall be National Judges or National Umpires (as appropriate) approved by the ISA. A party to a hearing under rule 69, Allegations of Gross Misconduct, may appeal the decision but the protest committee's decision shall determine the results of the event. A copy of the permission shall be displayed on the official notice board.
- 86.3 Rule Changes**
The written approval of the ISA is required for the implementation of rule 86.3.
- 88.2 Changes to National Authority Prescriptions**
Notices of race and sailing instructions shall not change a prescription of the ISA. However, when an international jury has received approval from the ISA, under rule 91(b), the ISA prescriptions shall not apply.
- 89.1(d) Organizing Authority**
An affiliated organization other than an ISA affiliated Category 1 Club, or an equivalent club in N. Ireland affiliated to its national authority, shall obtain approval from the ISA to be the organising authority. Application should be made in writing no less than thirty (30) days in advance enclosing;
- the notice of race
 - the sailing instructions
 - a statement of reasons of application
 - the names of the proposed race officials.
- 91 Protest Committee**
- 91(b)** An organising authority shall obtain approval from the ISA for the appointment of an international jury within its jurisdiction, other than those of the ISAF. Application should be made in writing no less than thirty (30) days in advance enclosing the notice of race and the names of the proposed members of the Jury.

Appendix R - Appeals Procedures

A fee of €50 shall be forwarded to the ISA with the appeal documents. This fee may be waived under exceptional circumstances.

Appendix G - Identification on Sails**G2 Other Boats**

Appendix G1.1(c) shall apply to other boats except that the sail number may be any number of digits and G1.3(c) shall not apply.

World Sailing Regulation 20 - Advertising Code

20.5 Advertising is permitted on Irish boats racing under handicap/measurement systems, subject to the restrictions of World Sailing Regulation 20 'Advertising Code'.

Any updates to these prescriptions will be published on www.sailing.ie