



AMENDMENT No.1 TO 2018 SHORT HANDED YACHT SERIES SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Monday 22nd January 2018

Item 6 of the Sailing Instructions has been amended to read as follows:

Competitors will be advised of the course either via text message approximately 15 minutes prior to the start of a race, or will be shown from clubhouse indicated by large letters (A, B or C) hung on the front of the clubhouse.

Item 11 of the Sailing Instructions has been amended to read as follows:

A scratch start will be used. There *may* be sound signals from the clubhouse. Alternately competitors will start at 1330hrs (calibrate time by telephoning '1194').

Item 18 (a) of the Sailing Instructions has been amended to read as follows:

A Performance Handicap System (PHS) and a fixed measurement based Event Handicap (EHC), applied as a Time Correction Factor (TCF), will be used for the Series. A boat's handicap may be adjusted based on race performance or for changes in equipment, skipper, crew or ownership.

Item 20 'Hiking Aids' of the Sailing Instructions has been amended to read as follows:

Hiking aids including trapezes and leg straps shall not be permitted to be used to assist crewmembers to hike outside of the gunnels of any boat unless these aids are permitted by the Class Rules for the particular keelboat or dinghy. This amends RRS 49.1.