



Perth 2011 ISAF Sailing World Championships Qualification System

1. Dates and Application Process

- 1.1 The dates of the Perth 2011 ISAF Sailing World Championships are 3-18 December 2011.
- 1.2 Given shipping deadlines, the intention is for MNAs to be able to apply for entries, and have them confirmed, as early as possible during 2011.
- 1.3 Applications for priority entries, and entries earned through 2010 Qualification Events, shall be made via the Perth 2011 online registration system between 1 January 2011 and 28 February 2011. Any such entries not applied for, with entry fees paid, by 28 February 2011, shall be forfeited.
- 1.4 Applications for entries based on 2011 Rankings (both match and fleet racing) and Qualification Commission entries shall be made to the ISAF Secretariat secretariat@isaf.co.uk between 1 January 2011 and 30th June 2011. The subject line should include "Application for Entries to Perth 2011 by <MNA>". ISAF will confirm allocation of these entries in early July. Online registration, and payment of entry fees, for these entries is required by 31st July 2011 or else the entry shall be forfeited. In the event of non-payment, ISAF will cancel the allocation of the entry and invite the next qualifier based on the allocation process.

Match Racing

2. Priority Entries

Each MNA is entitled to one entry. If more than 32 MNAs apply the field may be expanded up to a maximum of 40.

3. Quota

Event	Quota
Women's Keelboat (Match) Elliott 6m	32*

* If more than 32 nations enter, there should be no preliminary elimination round if the organisers can accommodate all nations up to a maximum of 40.

4. Additional Entries (in order to reach the quota listed in Point 3)

- 4.1 The number of additional entries available will be determined on 1 July 2011 based on the number of entries received in Point 2.
- 4.2 Additional entries will be allocated to MNAs who have applied for a 2nd entry in accordance with Point 1.4 above based on the ISAF Women's Match Race Rankings. Any MNA with two or more teams on the ISAF Women's Match Race Rankings as of 30 June 2011 will be eligible for an additional entry. The MNAs will be ranked in a priority order based on their second best placed team on the ISAF Women's Match Race Rankings (e.g. delete all of the first, third, fourth, etc teams from the rankings leaving only the second best team from each MNA).
- 4.3 MNAs will be allocated additional entries in priority order based on Point 4.2 above, until a maximum number of 32 entries is achieved.
- 4.4 No MNA may have more than two total entries.

Fleet Racing

5. Priority Entries

Each MNA is entitled to one entry per event.

6. Quota (Boats)

Event	Quota
Men's Windsurfer RS: X	120
Women's Windsurfer RS: X	80
Men's One Person Dinghy Laser	150
Women's One Person Dinghy Laser Radial	120
Men's One Person Dinghy (Heavy) Finn	80
Men's Two Person Dinghy 470	120
Women's Two Person Dinghy 470	80
Men's Two Person Dinghy (High Performance) 49er	100
Men's Keelboat Star	80

7. Additional Entries (in order to reach the quotas listed in Point 6)

Additional entries will be allocated to MNAs who have applied for them in accordance with Point 1.3 and 1.4 above as follows:

- 7.1 10% of the Event Quota is reserved for the Qualification Commission.
- 7.2 No MNA shall have more than six entries per Event unless there are entries remaining after 30 June 2011. Any entries that become available after that date will be awarded by the Qualification Commission.
- 7.3 90% of the MNAs that had a second entry in the respective 2010 Qualification Event gets a second entry in order of their finish.
- 7.4 70% of the MNAs that had a third entry in the respective 2010 Qualification Event gets a third entry in order of their finish.
- 7.5 50% of the MNAs that had a fourth entry in the respective 2010 Qualification Event gets a fourth entry in order of their finish.
- 7.6 30% of the MNAs that had a fifth entry in the respective 2010 Qualification Event gets a fifth entry in order of their finish.
- 7.7 20% of the MNAs that had a sixth entry in the respective 2010 Qualification Event gets a sixth entry in order of their finish.
- 7.8 MNA's with more than one individual listed in the top 150 of the ISAF World Rankings (30 June 2011) are eligible for additional entries. MNAs will be awarded an additional entry in order of the 2011 ISAF World Rankings (30 June 2011) for every individual in the top 150 of the ISAF World Rankings (30 June 2011) other than those individuals for whom the MNA received an entry based on the 2010 Qualification Event until either their MNA maximum is filled or the Class Quota is filled. Any remaining entries that are not awarded under this section will be delegated to the Qualification Commission for award.

8. Qualification Events

The following 2010 Qualification Events will be used to allocate additional MNA entries.

WC – World Championships

EC – European Championships

RS: X	2010 WC	26 August – 5 September	Denmark
RS: X (W)	2010 WC	26 August – 5 September	Denmark
Laser	2010 WC	27 August – 5 September	Great Britain
Laser Radial	2010 WC	6-14 July	Great Britain
Finn	2010 WC	27 August – 4 September	USA
470	2010 WC	9-18 July 2010	Netherlands
470 (W)	2010 WC	9-18 July 2010	Netherlands
49er	2010 EC	1-10 July	Poland
Star	2010 EC	5-13 June	Italy

In addition to the 2010 Qualification Events the 2011 ISAF World Rankings from 30 June 2011 will also be used to allocate additional MNA entries.

9. Qualification Commission

Remaining entries will be allocated by the Qualification Commission. The Commission members will be confirmed at the Events Committee meeting in May 2010. The Commission may liaise with Class Associations with a view to allocating some Commission entries on the basis of Class World Championship qualification systems.

10. Nationality Criteria

All competitors in the Perth 2011 ISAF Sailing World Championships shall be a National of the country of the MNA which is entering him/her or which he/she represents (ISAF Regulation 17.5 applies).

11. 2012 Olympic Sailing Competition Qualification System

There will be two nation qualification regattas for the 2012 Olympic Sailing Competition. The 2011 ISAF Sailing World Championships and a class World Championship (or major continental championship agreed with ISAF) held in 2012 before 1 June 2012. 75% of each event's entry quota shall be qualified from that event's 2011 ISAF Sailing World Championships. 25% of each event's entry quota shall be qualified from that event's 2012 World Championships (or major continental championship agreed with ISAF or in the case of the Women's Keelboat (Match) event a regatta approved by ISAF using the Elliott 6m).

The ISAF Council approved a draft qualification system for the 2012 Olympic Sailing Competition at the 2009 ISAF Annual Conference. This draft has now been sent to the IOC for final approval. It is expected that the IOC Executive Committee will approve all International Federation qualification systems in April 2010.