

## **ISAF Racing Rules Question and Answer Service**



### **Q&A 2008-001**

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#### **Question**

The Notice of Race states the Racing Schedule as follows:

Day 1 – Race 1 and 2

Day 2 – Race 3 and 4

Day 3 – Race 5 and 6

The weather conditions are not suitable for racing on Day 1. Therefore the first race will be sailed on Day 2.

Will the series start with Race 1 or with Race 3?

#### **Answer**

Unless the race committee post a proper notice on the official notice board stating that Races 1 (and 2) are abandoned and will not be re-sailed, or the Sis make some other provision, then the series should continue with Race 1.

It is generally accepted best practice to sail races in the original sequence unless there is a good reason to do otherwise. Typically this will be when different courses, or special races, are specified within the event.