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To comply with ISAF regulations 18 & 26 please complete and return the Class Report to ISAF (UK) by 31st January 2009. Thank you.

Note: answers will be put on the ISAF Website, to help with this please type in responses and email back to ISAF. If you do not want personal details of anyone other than the primary contact address published please place these details in red text

2008 CLASS REPORT

Name of Class	International Soling Association			
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Average price of	20000 U\$S			

complete new boat without sails (Pounds Sterling)					
Name three builders (preferably one per continent) and quoted price for 2008/2009 (Pounds Sterling)	(1)BUILDER NAME: BORRESEN PRICE: 22000 U\$D Website: www.borresen.com (2)BUILDER NAME: Abbott Boats PRICE: not active anymore Website: www.abbottboats.com (3)BUILDER NAME: PRICE: Website:				
Name all National Association member countries paid in 2008	Australia, Austria, Argentina, Brazil, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, ISV, Japan, Norway, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, UK, Uruguay, USA				
Name six Countries & number of boats that represent the ISAF minimum criteria (details in Appendix A).	(1) Germany (No.) 37 (2) USA (No.) 38 (3) Norway (No.) 23 (4) Austria (No.) 19 (5) Canada (No.) 15 (6) Argentina (No.) 13 (7) Brazil (No.) 12 (8) Japan (No.) 11				
How many new boats were built in 2008	3 boats were built two plaques were sold.				
How many boats were built over the past 5 years	9 boats				
Approximately how many boats exist Worldwide	3000				

2008 World HOW MANY WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS WERE **HELD FOR THESE GROUPS:** Championship(s) (1) OPEN? Only one Send a copy of (2)MEN? the final overall results. (3) WOMEN? (4)YOUTHS? (5) OTHER? Masters, only one If there is more than (1) EVENT TITLE: 2008 Soling World Championship one World (2) VENUE: Scarlino, Italy Championship (3) EVENT WEBSITE: www.soling.com/worlds/2008 please submit the details, copying this (4) NUMBER OF ENTRIES: 40 section of the (5) COUNTRIES REPRESENTED: questionnaire. (6) NUMBER OF RACES: 7 (7) WERE ANY BOATS SUPPLIED AND BY WHO? Example of title, Boats were rented by their owners in Italy '470 Women's World (8) NAME & NATIONALITY OF WORLD CHAMPION(S): Championships.' SLO 1 – Bostjan Antoncic, Gennadi Strakh, Karlo Hmeljak **RACE OFFICIALS INFORMATION** (9) NAME OF PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER: (10) NAMES OF ISAF INTERNATIONAL JUDGES PRESENT: Pasquale Teri (ITA) Joao Pedro Cascais (POR) - Chairman Rudi Durrer (SUI) Svet Lozar Tenev (BUL) Giuseppe Lallai (ITA) Note: one of the Jury was changed by the organization without consultation with the ISA against the championship rules & agreement form. (11) NAMES & NATIONALITY OF NON ISAF JURY MFMBFRS: (12) NAME OF EVENT CHIEF MEASURER: J. P. Marmier(SUI) in conjuction with Mr. Tafuro(ITA) (13) ORGANISATION QUALITY? It was ok but not good as it was in 2004 15km south in Castiglione della Pescaia (14) VENUE GOOD & BAD POINTS?

(a) ASHORE: big marina, distance of parking lot to

the moorings too big, although it was empty sailors had to change in the parking lot and walk to their boats, no real club structure, poor official events, great daily after races but in a bad location.Bad ceremony of prize giving due to location. (b) AFLOAT: Good mooring, good sailing venue, good management of the race course. Please state any a) at the same venue recommendations The need to improve in the official social events, for future World it can not be same paper plate and plastic glass Championship as after races with same food, etc. events the need to have more involvement from the Marina to the competitors treating them as their "models" for promotion and not like bugs that are usual annoying around. b) generally in terms class logistic of running a worlds? (not venue specific points) The main issue will be always boat availability to overseas, costs of trips to those coming from far, etc.

(1) EVENT TITLE: 2008 Soling World Masters Championship

(2) VENUE: Chiemsee, Germany

(3) EVENT WEBSITE:

(4) NUMBER OF ENTRIES: 20

(5) COUNTRIES REPRESENTED: 9

(6) NUMBER OF RACES: 6

(7) WERE ANY BOATS SUPPLIED AND BY WHO? Boats were rented by their owners in Germany

(8) NAME & NATIONALITY OF WORLD CHAMPION(S): GER 308 – Karl Haist, Simon Haist, Daniel Diesing

RACE OFFICIALS INFORMATION

(9) NAME OF PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER: Josef Resch (GER)

(10) NAMES OF ISAF INTERNATIONAL JUDGES PRESENT: Christine Völklein(GER)

(11) NAMES & NATIONALITY OF NON ISAF JURY MEMBERS: Martin Köhle (GER)

(12) NAME OF EVENT CHIEF MEASURER:

(13) ORGANISATION QUALITY?

As usual the events in the CYC in Chiemsee are very well organized, very familiar, lots of social events, very good promotion, etc,

(14) VENUE GOOD & BAD POINTS?

(a) ASHORE:

everything is great in the CYC, social events, the club infrastructure, the parking, etc.

(b) AFLOAT:

Good mooring, perfect race management, knowledge of the weather situation in that region.

b) at the same venue

When booking to race at Lake Chiemsee, wind is an issue, you have to book many days and take into the consideration the local knowledge to achieve the desired fair races.

b) generally in terms class logistic of running a worlds? (not venue specific points)
The class masters is a very special event, is keeping the veterans active and in good shape.
But as any Soling event, logistics and boat availability is a challenge.

APPENDIX A

The class requirements for ISAF Status are:

	INTERNATIONAL CLASSES		RECOGNIZED CLASSES		OR RECOGNIZED CLASSES	
Number of Countries	6		4 or 3		4 or 3	
Number of Continents	3		1 or 2		1 or 2	
	Number of boats per country :		Number of boats per country:		Number of boats Worldwide :	
	Up to 7.6m	20	Up to 5m	20	Up to 5m	100
	7.6 to 9.0m	10	5 to 6.5m	15	5 to 6.5m	80
	9.0 to12.0m	6	6.5 to 7.6m	8	6.5 to 7.6m	60
	12.0 to 15.0m	4	7.6 to 9m	7	7.6 to 9m	30
	Above 15.0m	2	9.0 to12m	6	9.0 to12m	25
	Windsurfers	50	12.0 to 15.0m	2	12.0 to 15.0m	20
			Above 15.0m	1	15.0 to 20.0m	2
			Windsurfers	30	Above 20.0m	8
					Windsurfers	100