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Offshore Special Regulations - Appendix H

Telemedical Advice Service (TMAS)

A submission from the Chairman of Special Regulations Sub-committee on behalf of the Chairman of the International Regulations Commission

Proposal

To include the following wording in ISAF Offshore Special Regulations Appendix H

"Offshore and oceanic yacht races – Telemedical Advice Service (TMAS)

A race organizer when appropriate should, in addition to supplying relevant SAR authorities in advance of the event with details of a race including the dates, the course, the boats, their equipment and the crews, also supply:

- to a telemedical assistance service (TMAS) or inform a TMAS that the organizers have available on demand the following information:

for each boat:

- a list of medicines and medical equipment
- details of any TMAS or private medical service arranged by the boat

for each crew member:

- name and contact details of physician who certified the person fit for the race
- name and contact details of the crew member's home physician
- method for gaining quick access to medical records if necessary
- details of first aid and medical training received.

IMO MSC.1 Circ/1366 24 May 2010"

Current Position

none

Reason

The wording was published by IMO as MSC.1 Circ/1366 on 24 May 2010. Inclusion of the wording in ISAF OSRs Appendix H will make it readily accessible to race organizers.