Racing Rules of Sailing

Rule 88.1

A submission from the Chairman of the Racing Rules Committee

Proposal

88.1 The prescriptions that apply to an event are the prescriptions of the national authority with which the organizing authority is associated under rule 89.1. However, if boats will pass through the waters of more than one national authority while racing, the sailing instructions shall identify which national authority’s any other prescriptions that will apply and when they will apply.

Current Position

As above.

Reason

This is a housekeeping change to make the second sentence of this rule clearly indicate what the sailing instructions must state when a race will start in the waters of one national authority, finish in the waters of another national authority and, perhaps, pass through the waters of one of more additional national authorities.