INTERNATIONAL 49er CLASS

The following amendments to the Class Rules have been approved to be effective 14 June 2013.

Rule A.11.1
Amendment:  Delete existing rule and replace with the following:
A.11.1 Sail numbers shall be:
(a) The number shown on the ISAF International Class building plaque; or
(b) In the International 49er Class World Championship, Continental Championship and ISAF Sailing World Cup events, an ICA issued personal sail number between 1 – 999, which shall be renewed on an annual basis.

Rule C.10.3
Amendment:  Delete existing rule and replace with the following:
C.10.3 MAINSAIL
(a) IDENTIFICATION
(i) In the International 49er Class World Championship, Continental Championships and ISAF Sailing World Cup events, the sail numbers shall be white in colour and applied to the sail, back to back, on a black circular background, immediately below batten 4 from the head point and within 100 mm of the leech. The national letters shall be white in colour and applied to the sail, back to back, on a black oval background immediately below batten 4 from the head point and within 300 mm of the luff. The black backgrounds, national letters and numbers shall be ordered and purchased from the ICA and shall not be trimmed or cut. This amends RRS Appendix G1.3(c).

(ii) At other events, the national letters and the sail numbers shall be either as prescribed in C.10.3(a)(i) or shall be black in colour and applied back to back on a white background to the sail immediately below batten 4 from the head point. The white background shall be ordered and purchased from the ICA and shall not be trimmed or cut. The national letters and numbers shall be placed on the same plane and shall comply with the RRS Appendix G except where specified otherwise.

(iii) A skipper or crew who has won a 49er World Championship may add an 80mm diameter gold dot for each World Championship title won immediately below the 49er class insignia.

(b) NATIONAL FLAGS
(i) All teams when racing in the International 49er Class World Championship, Continental Championship and ISAF Sailing World Cup events shall
display the national flag of the helmsperson. The flag shall be placed on the port side of the mainsail between the 3rd and 4th battens from the head point of the sail. The national flag is optional at all other events.

(ii) Flags shall only be ordered and purchased through the ICA and shall not be trimmed or cut.