

## **YACHTING AUSTRALIA TECHNICAL DELEGATE DUTY STATEMENT (Updated 29/05/2007)**

For certain Yachting Australia events Yachting Australia may appoint a Yachting Australia Technical Delegate.

The Yachting Australia Technical Delegate will have an intimate knowledge of the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing, the Yachting Australia Prescriptions and Regulations, experience of event organisation, skills in diplomacy and the ability to work with all people connected with a regatta (competitors, officials, media, etc).

### **OVERALL RESPONSIBILITY**

To act as the Yachting Australia representative for the overall management, conduct and authority of the event once handed over by the Sports Services Manager.

### **ROLES AND SPECIFIC AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY**

#### Prior to Event

- Provide guidance and assistance to Yachting Australia and the organising committee in the development and planning of the event.
- Give advice regarding the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions prior to their publication.

#### During the Event

- Act as the official link between Yachting Australia (Sports Services) and the organising committee.
- Ensure that the "Conditions of Conduct" for the specific Yachting Australia Event are strictly followed by the organising committee.
- Ensure that the event is conducted in accordance with the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing, the Yachting Australia Prescriptions & Special Regulations and any other rules and regulations as they apply to the event.
- Approve any alterations to the Sailing Instructions and other rules relating to the event.
- Ensure that the required Yachting Australia, sponsor and supporter flags, banners and display materials are appropriately displayed at the event venue and securely maintained (i.e. take down banners at the end of each night, ensure they are ready for courier back to Yachting Australia at the end of the event)
- Act as the Yachting Australia representative in presenting trophies, prizes or other gifts, as required

#### Following the Event

- Submit a post-event report to the YACHTING AUSTRALIA incorporating recommendations for the future development of the event.

### **REPORTING**

The Yachting Australia Events Technical Delegate reports to the Sports Services Manager.

Principal Partner