



J/70 European Championship 2025

Question for Officials

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Question No: 02

Question For: Race Committee

Question:

Our boat, Callisto, is owned by Callisto Racing, LLC. That entity is owned by my wife, Kate. Kate is a New Zealand citizen and the owner of our other racing yachts, including NZL 42 which just competed in the Admiral's Cup with me as the skipper.

Callisto is flagged in New Zealand and registered with Yachting New Zealand as NZL 1474. Those are the sail numbers on the yacht today.

Section 77 of the RRS states that the sail number should reflect the national governing authority of the skipper. My ISAF is issued via US Sailing.

We haven't been able to find spare USAs or sticky back to swap the sail numbers today here in Sandhamn but acknowledge the error.

We respectfully request the technical committee grant an exemption for this event as the sail numbers (NZL 1474) reflect the national governing authority of the owner rather than the skipper. We will modify the sail numbers for subsequent events.

Many thanks,

Jim Murray

Answer:

Approved
