



Palmavela

Notice to Competitors: Declarations of Interest

Date: May 04

Officials must declare any potential conflicts of interest (RRS 63.4). In particular, this declaration must include:

1. any personal interest (which may be financial or non-financial) which conflicts, or may conflict, with any competitor, race committee or organizing authority.
2. directorships, partnerships and employments with Member National Authorities, Class Associations, Continental Associations, World Sailing or businesses that are engaged in the sport of sailing or derive any substantial portion of their revenue from sailing;
3. any office held with a Member National Authority, World Sailing Class Association, Continental Association and any other international sailing or sporting bodies;
4. trusteeships or board positions with Member National Authorities, Class Associations, Continental Associations, World Sailing or institutions or charities that are engaged in the sport of sailing or derive any substantial portion of their revenue from sailing; and
5. any material interests arising from close family or personal relationships with any competitor, race committee member or member of an organizing authority.

(See World Sailing Regulation 34).

Notice:

In the course of work as a Race Officials, we are in regular contact and socialize with competitors many of whom we consider friends. We see competitors outside our work as Race Officials in social settings. We engage in rules discussions in the course of our everyday life and on occasion are involved as a participant or presenter in rules seminars and clinics.

We are engaged in social media where some competitors are 'friends' or we follow their social media feeds. This is part of our general interest and engagement in the sport.

In addition, the following are declarations of individual officials:

Official	Role	Declarations
Cardona, Antonio	Technical Committee	None Declared.
Cavaco, Pedro	Judge	None Declared.
Coskuner Genc, Pinar	Judge	None Declared.
Dalton, Emmet	Judge	Member of Irish Sailing Racing Rules Committee and Appeals Board
Gosalbez, David	Judge	None Declared.
Lozano, Rocio	Judge/Umpire	None Declared.
Paradela, Juan	Judge	None Declared.
Perez, Andres	Judge, Chief Judge	None Declared.
Santos e Silva, Manuel	Judge	Manuel Santos E Silva (IU/IJ POR), member of Palmavela 2023 International Jury, has a conflict of interest with the 6M class boat SELJM, sail number POR 4. Therefore, he will not take part in any hearing or decision that involves the 6M Class.

The above list is a general disclosure of interests. The members of the protest committee will also declare any specific conflicts which may exist for any particular protest or request at the time of the hearing.