Phuket King's Cup Regatta
International Dinghy Classes Race
1ST – 7TH December 2019

Amendment 01

Replace 5. Classes with

5.1 Classes
Optimist (Boys & Girls)
Open: Laser 4.7 (Open), Laser Standard, Laser Radial, 420

5.2 Format of Racing
5.2.1 The regatta will consist of a single series for all Fleet Racing
5.2.2 For Optimist Fleet only, should there be more than 90 entries received by 02 December 2019, the series will be further broken down into the following:
Qualifying Series
(a) Boats will be assigned to Yellow of Blue fleet of , as nearly as possible equal size. Initial assignments will be made by sorting in alphabetical order of national letters and then by numeral order of sail number. The first boat of the sorted list will be assigned to the Yellow Fleet and the rest of the boats will be assigned to fleets as follows:-

Sorted List Ranking	Fleet Assignment
First	Yellow
Second	Blue
Third	Blue
Fourth	Yellow
Fifth	Yellow
Sixth	Blue
Seventh	Blue
Eight	Yellow
And so on	

The initial assignments to the Yellow and Blue fleet will be posted by 2100hr on the day before the scheduled race.

(b) Boats will be reassigned to fleets after each day of racing , except if on the first day if less than 2 races are completed. If all fleets have completed the same number of races, boats will be reassigned on the basis of their ranks in the series.
(c) Reassignments will be based on the ranking available at 2000hrs that day regardless of protest or request for redress not yet decided.
(d) If all fleets have not completed the same number of races by the end of a day, the fleets with fewer races will continue racing the following day until all fleets have completed the same number of races. All boats will thereafter race in the new fleets.

(e) The qualifying series is scheduled on the 4-5 December 2019. If less than 5 races have been completed by 5 December 2019, the qualifying series will be extended to 6 December 2019. In the case that less than 5 races have been completed, despite extending the qualifying series to 6 December 2019, there will be no final series.

(f) If at the end of the qualifying series some qualifying series fleets have more race scores than others, any extra race will be abandoned so that all boats in the qualifying series will have the same number of race scores.

Final Series

(a) Boats will be assigned to Gold or Silver Fleets on the basis of their ranks in the Qualifying Series. The Gold fleet will have the number of boats equal to but no less than the Silver fleet. Boats with the best qualifying series ranks will race all final series races in the Gold fleet and boats with the next best qualifying ranks will race in the Silver Fleet.

(b)Any recalculation of Final Series ranking after boats have been assigned to Gold fleet will not affect the assignments except that a redress decision may promote a boat to a higher fleet.

(c) The assignments to the Gold and Silver Fleet will be posted by 2100hrs on the day before the Final Series. The protest committee has the right to extend this timing.

Replace 7. Class Flags with

7. Fleets, Class Flags & Colors

7.1   The description of Class Flags and ribbons will be as follows:

Fleet	Ribbon	Class Flag
Optimist		Optimist Class Insignia
Optimist Yellow/Gold Fleet	Yellow	Optimist Class Insignia over Yellow Flag
Optimist Blue/Silver Fleet	Blue	Optimist Class Insignia over Blue Flag
Laser Standard,Radial, 4.7	None	Laser Class Insignia
420	None	420 Class Insignia

7.2 In the case of qualifying and final series, boats shall display their respective ribbons permanently fixed during the day's races and free to fly from the top of the sprit. The ribbons may be collected from the registration office.

Replace 16.4 with

16.4 Notices will be posted no later than 30 minutes after the protest time limit to inform competitors of hearings in which they are parties or named as witnesses. Hearings will be held on the beach near the official notice board unless a notice is posted by the jury to change the hearing location

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