

Racing Rules of Sailing

Appendix T, Preamble

A submission from US Sailing

Purpose or Objective

To make it clear that an event may use rule T1 without using rules T2 – T4.

Proposal

Change the first sentence of the preamble to Appendix T as follows:

All or part of this ~~This~~ appendix applies only if the notice of race or sailing instructions so state.

Current Position

As above.

Reasons

1. Events sometimes wish to offer the Post-Race Penalty without offering arbitration procedures. While this is technically possible under the current wording, that option is not clear to many writers of event rules. The proposed language makes the option clearer.
 2. The proposed wording matches the wording of the preamble to Appendix P.
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