



## 2019 *Transpacific Yacht Race*

# AMENDMENT # TO THE SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

July 1, 2019

*To change RRS 48.2, and to modify Division 10 (only) Class Flag*

### **RRS 48.2 is changed to:**

48.2

- (a) A Traffic Separation Scheme (TSS) shall be understood to mean an area shown on a nautical chart, or in the notice of race or sailing instructions, as a TSS.
- (b) A boat shall not impede, or present a threat of impeding, the safe passage of a power-driven vessel in a TSS traffic lane.
- (c) If a commercial, government, or naval power-driven vessel in a traffic lane makes five short and rapid blasts on her whistle (a danger signal, see IRPCAS rule 34(d)) and the boat causing the danger signal can be identified, then the boat is subject to protest under rule 48.2(b).
- (d) If an official complaint/action is lodged against a boat by a commercial, government, or naval power-driven vessel, by a pilot, by vessel traffic service (VTS), or by other government authority, it shall be presumed that the boat has broken rule 48.2(b).
- (e) The race committee will cooperate with and provide relevant information to VTS and other governmental authorities regarding investigations of boats impeding a power-driven vessel.

### **24 CLASS FLAGS**

24.1 Class Flag will be:

<u><b>Class</b></u>	<u><b>Flag</b></u>
Assigned Division	Numeral Pennant
1 thru 9	1 thru 9
10	<b>Cal 40 Class Flag</b>
Multihull 0	0
Multihull 0A	A

