

INTERNATIONAL MARBLEHEAD CLASS RULE CHANGES –
(DUE TO THE RRS 2005-2008 – APPENDIX E) –
16 JANUARY 2005.

A.5.1 These **class rules** shall be read in conjunction with the ERS 2001-2004.

C.4.2 BILGE WATER

Water shall not be used as **ballast** to trim the **boat** but bilge water may be removed at any time.

C.4.3 MOVABLE BALLAST

Movable **ballast** is prohibited.

C.5.1 LIMITATIONS

Except when a **hull appendages** has been lost or damaged beyond repair, the same **hull appendages** shall be used during an event. Replacement may be made only with the approval of the race committee. Unless the **hull appendage** has been lost, the race committee shall remove or cancel any **equipment limitation mark** attached to the **hull appendage** that has been replaced.

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C.5.3 USE

(a) The **hull appendages** containing or forming concentrated ballast shall not be moved or rotated relative to the **hull** except by deformation under load.

(d) If removed:

(1) The **hull appendages** shall be refitted in the same attitude and position relative to the **hull**.

(2) Parts of the **hull appendages** shall be refitted in the same attitude and position relative to those parts.

C.6.1 LIMITATIONS

Not more than six **rigs** shall be used during an event. A **spar** lost or damaged beyond repair may be replaced only with the approval of the race committee. Unless the **spar** is lost, the race committee shall remove or cancel any **equipment limitation mark** attached to the **spar** that has been replaced.. The race committee may attach **equipment limitation marks** to **spars** before the first race of an event.

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C.7 SAILS

C.7.1 LIMITATIONS

- (b) A sail lost or damaged beyond repair may be replaced only with the approval of the race committee. Unless the sail is lost, the race committee shall remove or cancel any equipment limitation mark attached to the sail that has been replaced.

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C.7.3 IDENTIFICATION

- (a) Identification shall comply with the RRS. Sails certified before 1st January 2005 shall comply with the sail identification rules in force at that time or at the time of certification.

C.8 REMOTE CONTROL EQUIPMENT

C.8.1 USE

- (a) Except for control unit positioning information, no radio transmissions from the boat shall be used.

(b) If removed, remote control and related equipment:

- (1) shall be refitted in the same position relative to the hull and/or,
- (2) may be replaced by equipment of similar weight.

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