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INTERPRETATION ON THE INTERNATIONAL "A" CLASS RULES

Interpretation requested by the ARYA Inc, Australian DM as follows:

What is the proper way of measuring the measurement "B" on the International "A" Class boat having in mind Class Rule 6.7.1 and Diagram 5?

Relevant rules

International "A" Class Rule 6.7.1 and Diagram 5.

Decision

Dimension "B", the Luff Perpendicular, is defined in Class Rule 6.7.1 as the measurement from the forward edge of the main boom measurement band to the nearest point on the aft side of the mast above the lower mast measurement band, except when the mainsail has a *double luff*. When the mainsail has a *double luff*, the Luff Perpendicular is also measured from the forward edge of the main boom measurement band.

The extension line of the dimension "B", parallel to the mast and through the forward edge of the main boom measurement band, is omitted in error on the Diagram 5.

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