



CHANGES TO THE SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Number	Time	Date
TWO	10.00	15.06.2025
FROM		
Royal Torbay Yacht Club – Race Committee		

FIREBALL, FLYING FIFTEEN AND 420 OPEN REGATTA

APPLICABLE ONLY TO THE 420 CLASS

Add [DP] 3.5 ELECTRONIC AND RECORDING EQUIPMENT

In accordance with RRS 87, the restrictions in Class Rule C.5.1(a)(2) are modified as follows: Competitors may carry personal video or photographic recording equipment on board while racing, provided that the equipment and its mounting are;

- a) positioned so as not to affect the performance, handling, or safety of the boat
- b) are securely attached and do not require any modification to the hull, deck, or rig other than temporary fittings (such as adhesive mounts, tape, or suction pads).
- c) do not obstruct the helmsman's or crew's view, access to control lines, or operation of the boat.
- d) do not protrude beyond the envelope of the hull.

The equipment shall not transmit data, video, or audio in real time during racing.

All recordings remain the property and responsibility of the competitor. However, the Organising Authority may require access to footage for the purposes of resolving protests, ensuring compliance with the Racing Rules of Sailing, safety investigations, or producing official event media. For this reason footage must not be deleted until after the final results for the event are published. The presence or failure of any recording device shall not be grounds for redress (this amends RRS 62.1(a)).

Competitors must register their intention to carry such equipment by email prior to the event date. (420sailingsecretary@gmail.com) All ancillary equipment (spare batteries, memory cards, mountings etc) must be carried by the competitors

Bob Penfold – Race Officer

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