

Sailing Instructions Part II

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Delete and Replace SI Exhibit 6 – GPS Tracker Instructions (attached)

## Clarification:

GPS Tracker Units have been upgraded and do not require daily recharging, and are remotely controlled.

Peter Craig, Event Director

21 March, 2024 1530 hours



## **GPS Tracker Instructions**



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- 8.3 The GPS unit will track the yacht's course each day. Tracking will be live and available for replay after racing, providing an approximate record of course sailed and proximity to other yachts. The race committee will have a comprehensive record of every crossing, rounding and passing situation, and be able to monitor the 40-meter minimum separation.

### **MOUNTING THE DEVICES**

The tracking devices are protected in an **aquapac** and is recommended to be **attached to the boat on the sea rail**, ideally centrally, at the back of the boat, clear of any obstructions or other instruments, in **clear view of the sky** (for satellites) and **above the Waterline**.

The trackers have already been turned on and there is no need to press any buttons before or after racing.

Attach the devices **in a vertical** position at the back of the boat. Secure with cable tie or tape, so they do not hang loosely or bang around. Please refer to the below photo documentation.

Tracking device mounting





# Watch Live Tracking of the Regatta

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