
PERPETUAL CUP RULES

1. GENERAL

The South East Asia Perpetual Cup Series jointly organized by the Organising Committees of the Raja Muda International Regatta, the Phuket King's Cup Regatta and the Singapore Strait's Regatta have formed a Joint Committee to supervise the series and to promote participation in the three Regattas with each regatta offer its own unique attractions

The Republic of Singapore Yacht Club has kindly approved a deed of gift of the Challenge Cup donated by Sir Thomas Lipton in 1927 as the perpetual trophy for this series.

2. RULES

The rules as applied by The Notice of Race, Sailing Instructions and any amendments thereto to the individual Regattas, and the eligibility and other conditions of this Instruction Notice shall govern the Series.

3. ELIBIGILITY

Any yacht qualify as a Racing Class Yacht in accordance with the Notice of Race and Sailing instruction of each individual participating Regattas and is scored as a competing yacht in accordance with RRS, Part 6 in at least one race in each of the Regatta shall be eligible for the South East Asia Perpetual Series. For the sake of clarity yachts wishing to participate in the Perpetual Series must sail in the following classes in each of the three Regattas:

- a) **Singapore Straits Regatta - Category A.**
Note: Category A will be for yachts with a handicap of 1.050 or higher. Yachts in Category B will be allowed to move to Category A in order to participate in the Perpetual Series.
- b) **Raja Muda Selangor International Regatta – Class 1**
- c) **Phuket King's Cup Regatta – Racing Class**

4. HANDICAPPING SYSTEM

The IRC2006 Rule Parts 1, 2 and 3 as shall be applied by the individual Race Committees shall govern this Series.

5. SCORING SYSTEM

The low point scoring system in Appendix A of the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) shall apply subject as follows:

Each yacht's total score shall be the sum of her scores for all races in the Racing Class for all three Regattas, excluding (RRS Appendix A2, her worst score in each separate Regatta and also (provided at least ten races are completed in the Series) one other score from any race in the Series.

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6. ENTRIES AND FEES

There shall be no additional entry fees or charges to participate and be eligible for this Series.

7. PRIZES

The yacht recording the lowest score shall be awarded the South East Asia Perpetual Cup together with a replica of the Sir Thomas Lipton Challenge Cup.

The Committee may at its discretion and depending on the number of eligible yachts award other prizes.

The prizes shall be awarded at the final awards night of the Singapore Straits Regatta at the Republic of Singapore Yacht on 20th January 2007.

8. DISCLAIMER

The organizers and sponsors of each regatta and of this series and their representatives, officers, members and volunteers accept no responsibility whatsoever for any loss of life or property, personal injury or damage. Participants compete entirely at their own risk.

Issue on behalf of:

Raja Muda International Regatta
Phuket King's Cup Regatta
Singapore Straits Regatta