# Sailing Instructions Spring One Design MDR Return April 1st, 2012

#### 1. Rules

The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing. RRS Rule 82 will not apply to this event.

#### 2. Fntries

All competitors of the Spring One Design regatta held on March 31<sup>st</sup> are invited to participate.

#### 3. Schedule

The class flags will be the same as used for the Spring One design. The warning signal for the single race will be at 11:55 A.M. One race will constitute the regatta.

# 4. Notices to Competitor

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located on the first floor. Changes to the Sailing Instructions will be posted before 10:30 A.M at KHYC. Changes to the Sailing Instructions may be made orally by the race committee on the water.

# 5. Class Flags

The class flag for	Fleet 1 isK
The class flag for	Fleet 2 isU
The class flag for	Fleet 3 isV
The class flag for	Fleet 4 isD

## 6. Check In

All boats must pass by the stern of the race committee boat on a port tack and be recognized prior to the warning signal.

## 7. Courses and Marks

#### 7.1 Course

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The race course will be from the King Harbor "S" mark, to "A" mark, then finish at Marina Del Rey Burton Chace park.

#### 7.2 Start Line

The start line will be located in the vicinity of the King Harbor "S" Mark. The starting line will be between an orange flag located on the port side of the Committee boat and a pin located in the water at the port end of the line. Races will be started by using Rule 26. One minute prior to the first warning the R/C will sound multiple horns. The race committee will attempt to hail OCS boats. Failure of this is not cause for redress.

- 7.3 The Race Committee will not address questions during the starting sequences.
- 7.4 Boats whose warning signal has not been made shall avoid the starting area.
- 7.5 A boat starting later than 5 minutes after her starting signal shall be scored Did Not Start. This changes rule A5.

## 7.6 Retiring

Boats retiring must notify the race committee before the end of the race. Boats who have failed to notify the R/C will be scored in that race as DNF without a hearing.

#### 7.7 Finish Line

The finish will be in front of Burton Chace Park in Marina Del Rey. The finish line will be between the center channel marker immediately in front of the park and an orange flag posted near the Helmsman statue at the edge of the park.

# 8. Penalty System

Rule 44 is changed so that the 720-degree turn is replaced with a 360-degree turn.

#### 9. Trophies

Trophies will be awarded at South Coast Corinthian Yacht Club on Sunday as soon as possible after the event.

## 10. Hospitality

Hors d'oeuvres will be served at South Coast Corinthian Yacht after the day's racing.

Note: The race committee will communicate over channel 78. Racers are advised to keep this channel open.

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