



Shields Class National Championship Regatta

Waiver Request Form

Boat Name: _____

Sail #: _____

Submitted By: _____

Date: _____

Pursuant to Shields Class Rules Section VI – Rules Governing the National Championship Regatta – waiver of any qualification requirement in section 1.2 - *Entrants* may be granted following a request made to the Governing Board at least seven days before the commencement of the Regatta.

A waiver is requested for the following sections of the qualification/eligibility requirements (check next to relevant section):

- ____ - Must be a Registered Yacht as defined by By-Law Section II 2.0.
- ____ - Must be certified by a Fleet as conforming to the class specifications.
- ____ - Must have antifouling bottom paint and have followed her fleet's rules for wet or dry sailing for her ten qualifying races.
- ☒ - Must have completed in ten or more sanctioned races in the calendar year of the Regatta, as certified by a Fleet or Fleets (this can be waived for chartered boats).
- ____ - Must carry only qualified sails.
- ____ - May be inspected as deemed appropriate by the Committee.
- ____ - Waived specifications of low performance impact to a particular chartered boat.

Justification/rationale for this request is as follows. Provide specific supporting details:

Former owner of Dragonfly for 15+ years, have not been able to race 10 sanctioned races in 2026 calendar year.

Determination:

____ - Request Approved ☒ - Request Denied

Rationale: _____

Signed: Wesley Bemis

Date: 9/21/26