

## **Competition Format and Scoring at the 2007 Pan American Games**

A Submission from US Sailing

### **Proposal:**

1. That ISAF reject the following portions of the Notice of Race for the Pan Am Games:
  - i. 1 Throw-out after 10 races
  - ii. "Winner takes all" medal race
  - iii. Medal race of 5 boats
  
2. That ISAF direct the organizers of the Pan Am Games to include the following in the Notice of Race:
  - i. One throw-out after 5 races
  - ii. If the OA wishes to conduct medal races, 10 boats shall be entered and the scoring shall be as set forth in Submission 025-05.

### **Current Position:**

See 1, above.

### **Reason:**

The Notice of Race for the Pan American Games conflicts with ISAF policy and Submission 025-05. The competition format and scoring for the Pan American Games should be consistent with ISAF policy and the competition format and scoring for ISAF Grade 1 events and the Olympic Regatta. This consistency benefits sponsors, athletes and the media.