#### 2021 PALERMO MONTECARLO

## **NOTICE N° 1**

### **COVID-19 PROCEDURES and RULES**

#### **PREAMBLE**

The regatta will be managed in accordance with the provisions on combating and containing the spread of communicable diseases, including but not limited to COVID-19, issued by World Sailing. **ONLY** the participants (spouses, partners and others are not allowed) and all other persons involved in the event in different roles (Sponsors, Media, Officials, Employees, club and board Members, Volunteers) shall comply with these provisions. Any cases of communicable diseases, including but not limited to COVID-19 that may be detected during the event shall be reported by the Organizing Authority to the competent health authorities. Before the start of the Race, any of the persons (but not limited to) mentioned above shall complete and deliver to the Organizing Authority the self-declaration form.

#### 1. IN PALERMO BEFORE THE STARTING DAY

- 1.1 To ensure a safe COVID-19 free environment during the 2021 Palermo Montecarlo, the Organisation will implement a regularly updated health compliance protocol based on the Italian Health Authorities' indications, in coordination with local health Authorities, Protezione Civile, and the Italian Sailing Federation. The following procedures and rules shall apply to the entirety of the regatta and any event related to the regatta.
- 1.2 All Owners/Skippers shall email all of the necessary documents to <a href="lea@circolodellavela.it">lea@circolodellavela.it</a>;
- 1.3 Each owner/skipper and crew shall present a negative COVID-19 molecular test (RT-PCR Reverse Transcription-Polymerase Chain Reaction) or FIA (Immunofluorescence with microfluidic reading 2nd generation antigen test) dating back no later than 48 hrs preceding their first access to the mooring area or race village. It is the responsibility of the owner/skipper to send to the Organising Authority the crew list and the test results of each crew member. Failure to do so will result in a prohibition from participating in the event;
- 1.4 Race officials and members of the staff shall present a negative COVID-19 molecular test (RT-PCR Reverse Transcription-Polymerase Chain Reaction) or FIA (Immunofluorescence with microfluidic reading 2nd generation antigen test) dating back no later than 48 hrs preceding their first access to the mooring area or race village. Failure to do so will result in a prohibition from participating in the event;
- 1.5 Once the email containing the complete crew list and all of their negative test results have been received by the Organizing Authority from the Owner/Skipper then a confirmation for permission to access to the race village and the boat will be sent to the Owner/Skipper for the entire crew:
- 1.6 Participants already vaccinated against Covid-19 more than **14 days** prior to the start of the race may send their health authority document (second shot or green pass) and will automatically receive the permission.
- 1.7 [DP] Access to the event site and race village will be subject to temperature screenings upon entry and restricted exclusively to registered owners, crew members, race officials, and staff. Failure to comply will result in prohibition from entering the race village;
- 1.8 Guests will not be allowed to access the race village and mooring areas, except in the case of an emergency;
- 1.9 Race officials and members of the staff will be tested regularly throughout the race;
- 1.10 Access to the race office will be allowed exclusively upon reservation or under exceptional circumstances:
- 1.11 All race documents and notices will be posted in Docs at: 2021 Palermo Montecarlo:
- 1.12 Access to indoor spaces will be limited to ensure proper social distancing;
- 1.13 Crews will be required to avoid gatherings and to always wear face masks properly, except while onboard their respective boat;
- 1.14 Participants will be required to clean and disinfect their hands regularly and to sanitize frequently touched surfaces and objects;
- 1.15 Consumption of food and drink is strictly limited to onboard. No eating or drinking on the docks or in race village:
- 1.16 Social events will be subject to national and local health prescriptions.

#### 2. IN PALERMO ON THE STARTING DAY - (ITALIAN-MONACO RULES)

- 2.1. **ON THE STARTING DAY,** from 0600 am at Marina di Villa Igiea a team of doctors will test each crew, boat by boat.
- 2.2 The **two test stations** will be located at Marina di Villa Igea before the access to the docks and here each and every crew member shall be tested. An example, if a boat has 10 persons aboard, then ALL 10 persons shall be tested all together.
- 2.3 For the safety of the participants of the event, all crews after being tested shall not leave the Marina and shall proceed directly to their boats and then proceed to the starting area.
- 2.4 The negative results will be sent to the Maritime Authority in Monaco.
- 2.5 If a crew member tests positive for COVID-19, then the whole boat shall be placed in quarantine and retested. The boat shall NOT be allowed to compete in the race.
- 2.6 The way a boat will be informed of a prohibition to race due to a positive test result will be announced at Skippers' meeting on August 20<sup>th</sup> that will take place immediately after the press conference.
- The two (2) forms below (a and b), available on the official website of the event in menu,

  DOCS shall be filed BEFORE the START of the race and sent to

  ctf@gouv.mc and copy lea@circolodellavela.it

  If the Monaco Maritime Police do not receive this documentation your access to the waters and harbours of Monaco Principality will be prohibited.
  - a) Maritime Police Monaco Registration Form;
  - b) Maritime Declaration of Health.

# 3. COVID-19 PROCEDURES and RULES <u>AT YOUR ARRIVAL IN MONACO</u> (MONACO PRINCIPALITY RULES)

#### **PREAMBLE**

In accordance with Principality of Monaco laws and regulations each participant shall be tested. Free of this obligation are those under item 1.6 and those finishing in less than 48 hrs after the start.

- 3.1 For all boats finishing 48 hrs after the start, each crew member (except those under item 1.6) will be tested again in Monaco upon arriving in the Port Hercule Marina at their dock.
- 3.2 It is strictly forbidden to leave the boat without having negative test results for all crew members.
- 3.3 If all crew test negative then with respect to local rules (mask, social distance and so on) the crew may now leave the boat.
- 3.4 If one or more crew members tests positive, the boat will be automatically quarantined and no one shall leave the boat. The crew shall follow all instructions of the Local Health Authority.