

Submission: **ITA 2**

Reporting committee: **MEASUREMENT COMMITTEE
RATING OFFICERS COMMITTEE
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

USE OF DESIGNER OFFSET FILES

PROPOSAL

Prohibit the possible use of an offset file obtained from project drawings in issuing an ORCi Certificate (ORC Rule 301.1)

RATIONALE

In the daily practice of issuing certificates we have often found ourselves faced with problems inherent in the issue of ORCi certificates based on drawing offsets which subsequently proved to be non-compliant with reality, giving the boat incorrect ratings.

In the current year, for example, we have found ourselves changing the offsets of Sun Fast 3600's several times and the owners have found variations in displacement and therefore unacceptable changes in ratings.