

Submission: **ITA 5**

Reporting committee: **RATING OFFICERS COMMITTEE**

TERRITORY IN ISSUING CERTIFICATES

PROPOSAL

This submission proposes to strictly limit the ability to issue certificates by a Rating Office different from that where the boat is “assigned,” especially for events abroad.

RATIONALE

A problem occurred recently at the Copa del Rey, and in the past year, where Italian boats were issued certificates by the Spanish Rating Office. This, in addition to breaking specific rules (ORC Rating System 303.2 and 303.5), creates a certificate management problem since the renewal of these certificates in Italy loses the changes.

With this submission, we therefore request to underline the need to request the issue of certificates from the relevant Rating Office and, only in cases of extreme necessity, proceed with the issue of a certificate and promptly communicate this issue to the relevant Rating Office accompanied by the modifications (eg, a report from the measurer).