



Government of **Western Australia**  
Department of **Transport**  
**Maritime**

Lawson Dixon  
Australian Sailing WA  
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Dear Mr Dixon,

Thank you for your application requesting approval under Regulation 51C of the Navigable Waters Regulations for the 2024/2025 Coastal Calendar Events.

I am pleased to advise that your request for approval has been granted under Regulation 51C of the Navigable Waters Regulations subject to the following conditions:

- The organiser has consulted with all other relevant authorities and has obtained any other required approvals, including approval from Fremantle Port Authority;
- That all aspects of the Australian Sailing (WA) Risk Management Plan are adhered to at all times;
- That this approval only applies to all events conducted by the Australian Sailing (WA) affiliated clubs and coaches for all events attached to the annual Offshore Coastal Calendar 2024 / 2025 period;
- That this approval also applies to authorised training events and includes reasonable travel to and from all events by bona fide competitors;
- That this approval does not exempt against any maritime legislation including complying with any gazetted speed restricted area unless relevant exemptions are issued; and
- That all events are to be suspended, if in the opinion of the organiser, conditions or circumstances are such that the safety of vessels or persons participating is at risk.

Please be advised the Department may conduct audits of aquatic events. Failure to adhere to the above conditions or your SMP / Risk Register may result in the non-approval of future events. Should you have further inquiries please contact A/ Aquatic Events Officer Pandora Jones on 0407 267 323.

Yours sincerely,

*Pandora Jones*

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