



# US SAILING's 2010 Rolex Miami OCR 24-30 January 2010



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Thank you for your interest in the Women's Match Racing Event at US SAILING's 2010 Rolex Miami OCR (RMOCR). 36 Applications from 17 nations (MNA's) were received prior to the deadline of 1 December 2009. In accordance with the Notice of Race (NOR), the 24 available places are awarded as follows:

### MNA Priority Order and Entry Allocation

1. GBR	2	9. DEN	1 and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Alt
2. NED	2	10. SWE	1 and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Alt?
3. USA	3	11. FIN	1
4. GER	2	12. BRA	1
5. AUS	2	13. ISR	1
6. FRA	2	14. NZL	1
7. ESP	1	15. PER	1
8. RUS	1 and 1 <sup>st</sup> Alt for another place	16. CAN	1
		17. GRE	1

As this is a new process, please find a detailed table below with explanation. However, the NOR governs the process. First, the new NOR was developed as the standard template for the Sailing World Cup (SWC) annual series in 2010. Every MNA is guaranteed at least one entry, regardless of the number of applicants. If there were applications from more than 24 unique MNA's, the field would be expanded.

The 2009 SWC Standings were used to determine the priority order of which, 14 MNA's participated in 2009. Those 14 MNA's were ranked in order of their best finisher in the 2009 SWC. ITA and BER were listed on the chart, but did not submit applications for RMOCR so they were not awarded places.

ISR, NZL, PER, CAN, and GRE did not participate in the 2009 SWC, but were guaranteed a place in 2010 by applying and were listed at the bottom of the priority order. They were sorted in order of their application date although this is largely moot and would only have been significant in the second round.

The entry allocation process is as follows: The host MNA receives one entry, and then each MNA receives a single entry. Places are then awarded in the second round to those MNA's that requested more than one entry until the quota is met. RUS becomes first alternate for another entry because ESP only requested one place. 12 Alternates are listed to show that 24 plus 12 adds up to 36 applicants.

One very important point for future events is that the 2009 SWC standings will be used as the priority list at early events such as Sail Melbourne, US SAILING's Rolex Miami OCR, and

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Trofeo SAR Princess Sofia MAPFRE. The current SWC standings will be used for later events. Please refer to other event NOR's for details.

All of the 36 applicants were not viewable online because some applicants did not pay their entry fee. Presently, our system does not display unpaid registration entries. However, payment by the 1 December deadline was not a requirement for the priority process. We are also trying to determine if the second SWE application is valid. If not, that will make NZL third alternate and so on.

Finally, a few **Action Items**:

1. The following MNA's need to inform us which of their applicants have been selected to fill the awarded places; **GBR, USA, FRA, RUS, DEN, SWE, and NZL**. We request this information by 8 January 2010 so that we may organize the seeding and initial round robins.
2. All entry fees must be paid by 8 January 2010 or you lose your place.
3. We will **refund** in full any entry fees paid by those not selected although we are dependent on MNA's informing us which fees to retain and which to refund.
4. We will inform alternates if and when places become available.

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Priority Order	Date of Entry	# of Apps		Host	"Every MNA"		2nd Round	3rd Round	Totals		
		3.10.2	3.10.1		3.10.3.1	3.10.3.2					
1	GBR		5		1		1	5th Alt	2	9th Alt	12 Alt
2	NED		2		1		1		2		
3	USA		5	1	1		1	6th Alt	3	10th Alt	
4	GER		2		1		1		2		
5	AUS		2		1		1		2		
6	FRA		4		1		1	7th Alt	2	11th Alt	
7	ESP		1		1				1		
8	RUS		2		1		1st Alt		1		
9	DEN		3		1		2nd Alt	8th Alt	1		
10	ITA		0		0				0		
11	BER		0		0				0		
12	SWE		2		1		3rd Alt		1		
13	FIN		1		1				1		
14	BRA		1		1				1		
15	ISR	13-Nov-09	1		1				1		
16	NZL	14-Nov-09	2		1		4th Alt		1		
17	PER	26-Nov-09	1		1				1		
18	CAN	29-Nov-09	1		1				1		
19	GRE	30-Nov-09	1		1				1		
20									0		
	Subtotal		36	1	17		6	0	24		
	Count			1	18		24	24			