



## NOTICE OF RACE - AVIS DE COURSE

### DATES

The 2006 International Tempest World Championship shall take place from Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2006 to Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2006.

### ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

The 41<sup>st</sup> International Tempest World Championship is organised by the Yacht Club de la Martinique (Y.C.M.) in conjunction with the French Sailing Federation (FFV) and the International Tempest Association (ITA).

### RULES

The event will be governed by : Racing Rules of Sailing 2005-2008, Prescription of the FFV when they apply, the Class rules and World Championship rules of Tempest Class (except as any of these are changed by this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions), this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions.

### ADVERTISING

The World Championship is designated as a Category "C" event, in accordance with Racing Regulation 20 ISAF Advertising Code.

Yachts may be required to display a bow number and advertising of the event sponsor on either side on the forward 20% of the hull.

### ELIGIBILITY

The ISAF Eligibility Code shall apply.

The Tempest World Championship rules 3.3 is modified as follow : " The number of participating yachts will be unlimited ". The Tempest World Championship rules 3.1 and 3.2 shall be observed.

### INSURANCE

Each competitor must hold a third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of Euro 1.500.000, and shall be able to produce written proof of this in English or French.

### COURSES

Courses according to ITA World Championship Rules 2006 will be sailed.

## SCORING

The «low point scoring system» of Appendix A will apply.

Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

The number of races scheduled is nine for the World Championship.

When fewer than five races have been completed, a boats score will be the total of her race scores.

When from five to seven races have been completed, a boats series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

When eight or more races have been completed, a boats series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst two scores.

Not more than two races will be sailed per day. Exception, after the first day, three races may be sailed in one day if in opinion of the race committee it is necessary to do so in order to complete five races.

## PENALTIES

Alternative penalties, Two-Turns penalty.

## ENTRIES, ENTRY CLOSING DATE

Entries shall be made on the official entry form no later than June 30th 2006 to:

**Yacht Club de la MARTINIQUE**  
**Boulevard Chevalier de Sainte Marthe**  
**97200 FORT de FRANCE**  
MARTINIQUE

**Tél. :** 00 596 596 63 26 76  
**Fax :** 00 596 596 63 94 48  
**Email :** [tempest.caraibes@wanadoo.fr](mailto:tempest.caraibes@wanadoo.fr)

## ENTRY FEE

The entry fee is : **EUR 230.**

payable to Yacht Club de la Martinique by **Bank Transfer** only, no later than June 30th.2006  
**Transfer Instructions :**

**SWIFF or BIC (Bank International Code) :** BREDFRPP

**BANK :** BRED Martinique  
17 rue de la liberté  
97200 Fort de France  
Martinique

**BANK ROUTING NUMBER (IBAN) :** FR7610107003800003900146105

**ACCOUNT NAME :** Yacht Club de la Martinique – Championnat Tempest

**BANK ACCOUNT NUMBER** 00039001461

**Special note :** Please input the sail number onto your Bank Transfer.

For later payments ( after June 30th.2006 ), entry fee is **EUR 250.**

**All banks charges are to be covered by the competitor.**

## REGISTRATION

Each crew shall provide at the Registration Office :

- Race Licence
- Confirmation/written proof of third party liability insurance of EUR 1.500.000.
- Measurement Certificate of the yacht.
- Membership card of their national federation

Sailing Instructions will be available upon registration.

The Registration Office will be open at the following dates:

- Thursday, October 26<sup>th</sup> – 8.00 am to 12.00 am and 2.00 pm to 6.00 pm
- Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup> - 8.00 am to 12.00 am and 2.00 pm to 4.00 pm

## MEASUREMENT

Boat measurement certificates shall be presented at the Measurement.

Measurement will be held on :

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> - 9.00 am to 12.00 am and 2.00 pm to 6.00 pm

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> - 9.00 am to 12.00 am and 1.00 pm to 5.00 pm

## CRANING

Craning in will take place on

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> - 9.00 am to 12.00 am and 2.00 to 6.00 pm

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> - 8.00 am to 12.00 am and 2.00 pm to 5.00 pm

All boats have to be in the water by Friday 26 October 5.00 pm.

Specials instructions will be available on Registration Office

## SCHEDULE OF RACE AND SOCIAL EVENTS

Wednesday, October 25 <sup>th</sup> 2006	<b>1.00 pm</b>	<b>Official Arrival Day</b>
Thursday, October 26 <sup>th</sup> 2006	9.00 to 12.00 am and 2.00 to 6.00 pm	<b>Registrations and Measurements</b>
Friday, October 27 <sup>th</sup> 2006	9.00 to 12.00 am and 2.00 to 6.00 pm 2.00 pm warning signal <b>7.00 pm</b>	<b>Registrations and Measurements</b> <b>Practice Race</b> <b>OPENING CEREMONY</b>
Saturday, October 28 <sup>th</sup> 2006	<b>9.30 am first warning signal</b>	<b>Two races</b>
Sunday, October 29 <sup>th</sup> 2006	<b>9.30 am first warning signal</b>	<b>Races</b>
Monday, October 30 <sup>th</sup> 2006	<b>9.30 am first warning signal</b> <b>8.00 pm</b>	<b>Races</b> <b>CHAMPIONSHIP DINNER</b>
Tuesday, October 31 <sup>th</sup> 2006	<b>9.30 am first warning signal</b>	<b>Races</b>
Wednesday, November 1 <sup>st</sup> 2006	<b>9.30 am first warning signal</b> <b>Latest warning signal 1.00 pm</b> 3.00 pm to 6.00 pm <b>8.00 pm</b>	<b>Races</b> <b>Boat custom formalities</b> <b>ITA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING</b>
Thursday, November 2 <sup>nd</sup> 2006	9.00 to 12.00 am and 2.00 to 6.00 pm <b>7.00 pm</b>	<b>Boat custom formalities</b> <b>PRICE GIVING CEREMONY</b>
Friday, November 3 <sup>rd</sup> 2006	<b>1.00 pm - transfer to airport</b>	<b>Official Departure Day</b>

NB : Schedule above may be changed by Organizing Authority.

## **INTERNATIONAL JURY**

An international Jury will be appointed under appendix N.  
Decisions of the international Jury will be final.

## **PRIZES**

Commemorative gifts for all competitors  
Competition Prizes for the first five places  
World Championship Trophies and other trophies of the ITA

## **DISCLAIMER of LIABILITY**

The race organisers shall not be liable for any loss, damage, death or personal injury howsoever caused to the owner/competitor, his or her skipper or crew, as a result of their taking part in the race or races. Moreover, every owner/competitor warrants the suitability of his or her yacht for the event or races.

The provision of safety equipment and boats by Yacht Club de la Martinique is neither a guarantee that assistance can be rendered to any competitor in need, nor acceptance of any responsibility for the safety of competitors.

Further, in the event that assistance is rendered to any competitor, no liability for any loss, damage or injury to the competitor and/or the boat and its equipment is accepted by either the Club or the crew of such safety craft.

Neither the establishment of these conditions, their use by the race organisers, nor the inspection of the yacht under these conditions in any way limits the absolute responsibility of the owner/competitor. The crew is nonetheless advised to satisfy itself as to the experience of the skipper and the adequacy of all safety equipment and insurance arrangements.

The attention of all competitors is drawn to International Racing Rules, Fundamental Rule 4 - "DECISION TO RACE" – "The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone".

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

### **Organizing Committee:**

#### **- Yacht Club de la MARTINIQUE (France) :**

Chairman : Philippe VOLNY - ANNE

#### **Tempest World Secretary:**

- Sandra EUPHROSINE : [tempest.caraibes@wanadoo.fr](mailto:tempest.caraibes@wanadoo.fr)  
[euphrosine.sandra@wanadoo.fr](mailto:euphrosine.sandra@wanadoo.fr)
- Madame MARIOTTI : 00 596 596 50 58 08

### **Contact :**

#### **- Association Française TEMPEST :**

Chairman : Patrice ROUANET : <http://asso.ffv.fr/tempest>  
Secretary : Catherine NACHBAUER : [tempest@ffv.fr](mailto:tempest@ffv.fr)  
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#### **- Association Tempest Caraïbes :**

Chairman : Paul Constantin : [tempest.caraibes@wanadoo.fr](mailto:tempest.caraibes@wanadoo.fr)

### **Tempest shipping :**

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#### **- CMA – CGM**

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