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## **NOTICE OF RACE *including Amendment 1***

*Modify and replace the Notice of Race*

### ***Grand Prix Nice UltiMed –Nautical stadium***

April 30 to May 06 2018  
Nice - France



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***Nice Ultimed***  
Amaury Sport Organisation

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Terminology: the term “boat” used below means “boat” or “board” as appropriate

## 1. RULES

The regatta will be governed by:

- 1.1 the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*
- 1.2 National prescriptions for foreign competitors are defined in joined appendix named “prescriptions”
- 1.3 FFvoile regulations
- 1.4 In case of translation of this notice of race, the French text will take precedence.

## 2. ADVERTISING

The boats are required to display the advertising chosen and provided by the OA throughout the competition

## 3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1. The regatta is open to:

- 3.1.1 - the “Diam 24 One Design”: 10 places
- the “Easy to fly”: 8 places
- the “Onefly”: 10 places
- the “49er”: 20 places
- the “49er FX”: 20 places
- the “Nacra 17”: 20 places

The opening of a waiting list will be carried out if the fleets are completed, with reinstatement on the main list as and possible defection of Teams having a place in main list.

3.1.2 - The AO reserves the right to invite other class (es)

3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the form attached and sending it, together with the required entry fee to A.S.O. no later than March 15, 2018.

3.3 Competitors (each crew member) having a FFVoile licence shall present during registration:

- their valid FFVoile licence with medical stamp, or accompanied with a medical certificate (dated less than one year) certifying the absence of any medical objection to participate in sailing competition and a parental authorization for the minors,
- if necessary a valid authorization to display advertising on boat
- the measurement form or certificate of the boat

3.4 Foreign competitors (each crew member) without a FFVoile licence shall present during registration

- a supporting document to justify their membership to an ISAF Member national authority.
- the measurement form or certificate of the boat,
- a proof to be insured with a valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1 500 000 Euros.
- a medical certificate (in French or in English) dated less than one year, certifying the absence of any medical objection to participate in sailing competition and a parental authorization for the minors

## 4. ENTRY FEES

The entry fee will be as follows:

Class	Amount	Maximum quotas
Diam 24 od	250 €	10
Easy to fly	250 €	8
Onefly	50 €	10
49er	250 €	20
49er FX	250 €	20
Nacra 17	250 €	20

## 5. SCHEDULE

### 5.1 Registration confirmation:

Monday April 30 to Wednesday May 2, according to the detailed schedule on Appendix SCHEDULE

### 5.2 Dates of racing (according to the detailed schedule on Appendix SCHEDULE)

Date	Program
Monday, April 30	Registration and training courses
Tuesday, May 1st	<i>Grand Prix Nice UltiMed – Day 1</i>
Wednesday, May 2	<i>Grand Prix Nice UltiMed – Day 2</i>
Thursday, May 3	<i>Grand Prix Nice UltiMed – Day 3</i>
Friday, May 4	<i>Grand Prix Nice UltiMed – Day 4</i>
Saturday, May 5	<i>Grand Prix Nice UltiMed – Day 5</i>
Sunday, May 6	14h00 : Nautical Parade (required participation)

### 5.3 Other program:

- Closing party: Saturday, May 5
- Nautical parade (mandatory presence): Sunday 06 May from 2pm to 4pm. Return of boats, all classes included, scheduled around 4pm.

## 6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The *Sailing instructions* will be submitted to the Teams no later than March 15th on the Nice Ultimed website: <http://www.niceultimed.com>

## 7. THE COURSES

### 7.1. The courses will be composed of Nautical stadiums

The regatta will take place with qualification phases and final stages

The race formats will be communicated later on the *Sailing Instructions*.

### 7.2. The race area will be in the bay of Nice.

## 8. RANKINGS

- The regatta includes qualification phases and final stages
- Established rankings: there will be a ranking for each class entered.
- The Overall Ranking will be established with the whole completed races of each Act, no score will be excluded (this changes RRS A2).

## 9. RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats.

However, crews may have a smartphone on board, for emission only, in order to post information on social networks (publications, photos, videos, testimony...).

VHF handheld: The *Diam24od* and *Easy to Fly* shall be equipped with a VHF handheld. All assistance boat (all classes) shall be equipped with a VHF handheld.

## 10. PRIZES

Prizes will be given for each Class

## 11. DECISION TO RACE

The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue *racing* is hers alone. Consequently, accepting to participate in a race or to continue racing, the competitor disclaims the organizing authority of any liability for damage (material and/or personal injury).

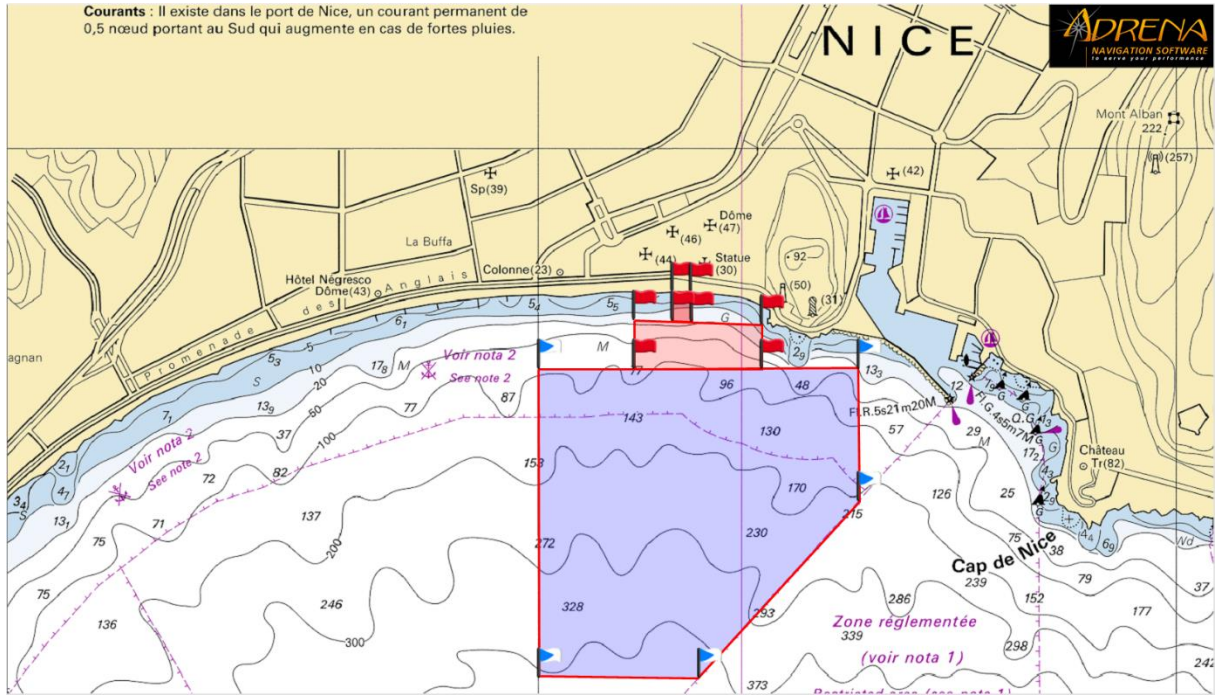
## 12. FURTHER INFORMATION

For any further information, please contact the OA:

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# APPENDIX "RACING AREA"

## Provisional racing zone - Bay of Nice



## APPENDIX “PRESCRIPTIONS”

### FFVoile Prescriptions to RRS 2013-2016 Applying to foreign competitors

**RRS 64.3 (\*)**:

The jury may ask the parties to the protest, prior to checking procedures, a deposit covering the cost of checking arising from a protest concerning class rules.

**RRS 67 (\*)**:

Any question about or request of damages arising from an incident involving a boat bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing or International Regulation to Prevent Collision at Sea depends on the appropriate courts and will not be dealt by the jury.

**RRS 70. 5 (\*)**:

In such circumstances, the written approval of the Fédération Française de Voile shall be received before publishing the notice of race and shall be posted on the official notice board during the event.

**RRS 78 (\*)**:

The boat's owner or other person in charge shall, under his sole responsibility, make sure moreover that his boat comply with the equipment and security rules required by the laws, by-laws and regulations of the Administration.

**RRS 86.3 (\*)**:

An organizing authority wishing to change a rule listed in RRS 86.1 in order to develop or test new rules shall first submit the changes to the FFVoile, in order to obtain its written approval and shall report the results to FFVoile after the event. Such authorization shall be mentioned in the notice of race and in the sailing instructions and shall be posted on the official notice board during the event.

**RRS 88 (\*)**:

Prescriptions of the FFVoile shall be neither changed nor deleted in the notice of race and sailing instructions, except for events for which an international jury has been appointed.

In such case, the prescriptions marked with an asterisk (\*) shall be neither changed nor deleted in the notice of race and sailing instructions. (The official translation of the prescriptions, downloadable on the FFVoile website [www.ffvoile.fr](http://www.ffvoile.fr) , shall be the only translation used to comply with RRS 90.2(b)).

**RRS 91 (\*)**:

The appointment of an international jury meeting the requirements of Appendix N is subject to prior written approval of the Fédération Française de Voile. Such notice of approval shall be posted on the official notice board during the event.

**APPENDIX R (\*)**:

Appeals shall be sent to the head-office of Fédération Française de Voile, 17 rue Henri Bocquillon, 75015 Paris – email: [jury.appel@ffvoile.fr](mailto:jury.appel@ffvoile.fr)

## APPENDIX “RACE PROGRAM”

*Program subject to change by the Organization. The final and detailed program of sailing hours will be published in the technical note.*

<b>GRAND PRIX – NICE ULTIMED STADE NAUTIQUE</b>	<b>PROGRAM AND RACING DAYS</b>				
	<i>Diam 24OD</i>	<i>Easy to fly</i>	<i>Nacra 17</i>	<i>49er, 49er FX</i>	<i>Onefly</i>
<i>Monday April 30</i>	Registrations	-	-	-	-
<i>Tuesday May 1st - Grand Prix Day 1</i>	1 <sup>er</sup> signal 14h00	Registrations			-
<i>Wednesday May 2 - Grand Prix Day 2</i>	1st warning signal : 8am			1 <sup>er</sup> warning signal : 3pm	Registrations
	10.30 am : Ultimes departure				
<i>Thursday May 3 - Grand Prix Day 3</i>	1st warning signal :1 pm			1st warning signal :10am	
<i>Friday May 4 - Grand Prix Day 4</i>	1st warning signal :10am			1st warning signal :1 pm	
<i>Saturday 5 - Grand Prix Day 5</i>	1st warning signal : 9 am (Finales)				
	Closing party				
<i>Sunday 6 - Nautical Parade</i>	2pm – 4pm				

*The teams have the possibility to set up training courses at their convenience, outside the courses and the nautical means of the Organization.*

## APPENDIX - TEAM RETROPANNING

January 23, 2018	Registrations opening
March 15, 2018	Registration deadline
	<i>Sailing instructions</i> publication
Mid-march	Technical Note publication (one note per class), including the following informations : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- - <i>Site plan (reception Teams, technical area, access and parking.)</i></li> <li>- <i>Detailed schedule with handling and navigation schedules</i></li> <li>- <i>Devices available to Teams</i></li> </ul>
April 30 to May 6, 2018	<i>Grand Prix Nice UltiMed – Nautical stadium</i>

## APPENDIX – REGISTRATIONS MODALITIES

Procedure for sending the registration file:

- 1) Fill out the registration form and submit it online
- 2) Send us the payment of registration fees by check or bank transfer (proof of transfer to be sent when sending the online form).

To send your check by post (+ signaling by mail: [acollette@aso.fr](mailto:acollette@aso.fr))

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France

Registrations fee:

<b>Class</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Payment deadline</b>	<b>Max quotas</b>
Diam 24 od	250 €	March 15, including the registration file	10
Easy to fly	250 €		8
Onefly	50 €		10
49er	250 €		20
49er FX	250 €		20
Nacra 17	250 €		20

Registration Form

Interactive registration form, click on the fields to be completed and directly note your information (possibility to « save and fill » to the fur and to measure).

[\*Fill the registration form\*](#)