

# US Sailing Appeals & Requests Information Form

## Type of Appeal or Request

### This is: \*

- an appeal of a protest committee decision or its procedures
- an appeal of an association appeals committee decision or its procedures
- a request for confirmation or correction of a protest committee decision
- a request for confirmation or correction of an association appeals committee decision
- an appeal because a hearing required by rule 63.1 was denied
- an expedited appeal under rule R8, Expedited Appeals

### In addition, check if this is:

- an appeal of a decision of a protest committee acting under rule 69.2
- an appeal of a decision of a protest committee of a US Sailing national championship

## Your Information

### Name \*

First Name

Last Name

### Email \*

example@example.com

**Mailing Address \***

Street Address

Street Address Line 2

City

State / Province

Postal / Zip Code

**Phone Number \***

**I am: \***

a member of US Sailing

not a member of US Sailing

**Membership number:**

(six digits and one letter)

**I am representing the: \***

boat

race committee

protest committee

technical committee

organizing authority

**Boat name:**

**Class:**

**Sail number:**

**My position:**

## Important Dates & Other Information

**Date of race: \***

   

Month Day Year

**Date of protest or redress hearing:**

   

Month Day Year

**Place of hearing:**

(city, state, ZIP)

**If relevant, Date protest committee's written decision was requested:**

   

Month Day Year

**Date protest committee's written decision was received:**

   

Month Day Year

**If relevant, Date of request to reopen hearing:**

   

Month Day Year

**If relevant, Date reopening was refused:**



Month Day Year

**Appeal or request and a copy of the decision submitted to US Sailing on:**



Month Day Year

**Method of submission:**

- included with this form
- email
- USPS/UPS/FedEx

**Appeals & Requests Information Form submitted to US Sailing on:**



Month Day Year

**The Event**

**Name of organizing authority: \***

**Name of host club or organization: \***

**Address:**

Street Address

Street Address Line 2

**Phone number:**

**OA or host email:**

example@example.com

**Name or description of event or race: \***

**Place event was held: \***

(Host organization, city & state)

**Race number:**

## The Protest / Redress Hearing

**Type of hearing: \***

boat vs. boat protest

request for redress

protest by race committee

protest by protest committee

protest by technical committee

none of the above

**If "none of the above," please explain:**

**The Protest Committee**

**Protest committee chaired by: \***

**PC chair's email \***

example@example.com

**Phone number**

**Names of other protest committee members (if known):**

**For Appeals of an Association Appeals Committee Decision**

**Association appeals committee chaired by:**

**Association appeals committee chair's email**

**Phone number**

**Date association appeals committee's written decision was received:**

 

Month Day Year

## The Boats and Bodies Involved

**Boat that protested or requested redress:**

**Name of boat protesting or requesting redress: \***

**Class and sail number: \***

**Name and email or mailing address of representative (if not already provided):**

**Boat(s) protested:**

**Name of boat protested:**

**Class and sail number:**

**Name and email or mailing address of representative (if not already provided):**

**Others:**

**Other bodies represented (RC, OA, etc.). Please list representative's name and contact information:**

### **Documents in the Appeal**

(See rule R2.2)

*Documents may be uploaded below using the File Upload function.*

**The protest / request for redress form: \***

- has been sent
- is included with this form
- will be sent as soon as possible
- is unavailable (please explain below)

**The written decision of the protest committee, if separate from the protest / request for redress form:**

- has been sent
- is included with this form
- will be sent as soon as possible



is unavailable (please explain below)

not applicable

**If applicable and if not already on or with the protest / request for redress form, a diagram prepared or endorsed by the protest committee (see rule R2.2(c)):**

has been sent

is included with this form

will be sent as soon as possible

is unavailable (please explain below)

not applicable

**The Notice of Race (NoR), including any changes to the NoR: \***

has been sent

is included with this form

will be sent as soon as possible

is unavailable (please explain below)

**The Sailing Instructions (SI), including any changes to the SI: \***

has been sent

is included with this form

will be sent as soon as possible

is unavailable (please explain below)

**The written appeal stating why the decision being appealed or the procedures were incorrect: \***

has been sent

is included with this form

**If applicable, the written decision of the association appeals committee**

has been sent

is included with this form

will be sent as soon as possible

is unavailable (please explain below)

not applicable

**Other documents governing the event or relevant information (please specify documents and their status below):**

have been sent

are included with this form

will be sent as soon as possible

are unavailable (please explain below)

List all that apply. These might include:

- Class rules (if relevant to the hearing and appeal)
- Equipment Rules of Sailing
- Any previous correspondence relevant to the matter

**List all additional documents and whether they have been sent:**

**If any documents are unavailable, please explain here:**

### Upload Files Here

You may upload pdf, doc, docx, html, zip, jpg, jpeg or png file types. Maximum size per file is 10 MB. If you wish to submit other types of files, please attach to an email and send to [submitappeal@ussailing.org](mailto:submitappeal@ussailing.org).

### Fees

US Sailing does not charge a fee for forwarding an appeal or request to an association appeals committee. US Sailing does charge a fee for appeals to the US Sailing Appeals Committee. Please see rule R3 for specific information on fees. If required, fees may be paid online at <http://shop.ussailing.org/racing/> or by check, payable to US Sailing.

**If required, have you paid the appeal fee described in rule R3? \***

- Yes
- No
- Not required

### Other Important Information

**Is there any other important information that should be included with this submission?**

(Maximum 100 words)0/100

**Please note:**

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**Please be certain you click the "SUBMIT FORM" button below.**

- **You will receive an emailed copy of this form within approximately ten minutes after you submit it. This is your confirmation that the Form has been submitted. If you have not received an emailed copy of the Form in approximately ten minutes, please fill out and resubmit the Form (ensuring that you hit the SUBMIT FORM button). If again you do not receive an emailed copy of the Form, contact US Sailing immediately at (800) 877-2451.**
- If you have not received an emailed copy of this form and the 15 day filing time limit is an issue, please email your appeal and the decision being appealed to [submitappeal@ussailing.org](mailto:submitappeal@ussailing.org) within the 15 day filing time limit (See Appendix R, rules R1.1 and R2.1(a).) You can then submit the *Appeals & Requests Information Form* as soon as possible after the 15 day filing time limit. (See rule R2.2.)
- You should receive a formal acknowledgement of your appeal from US Sailing within two business days. If you do not, please email [raceadmin@ussailing.org](mailto:raceadmin@ussailing.org) or call (800) 877-2451 to check on its status.
- We recommend making a copy of this form before submitting. Click the "Print" button below to make a paper copy or save the file as a PDF.
- You may update this form in the future by clicking the "Edit Submission" link at the top left corner of the emailed copy.

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