

2019 US Sailing Prescription to IRC Rule 21.6.1
Extra Spinnaker for World Sailing OSR Category 3 and above Races
and
US Safety Equipment Requirements for Ocean and Coastal Categories Races

In accordance with IRC Rule 11.2, US SAILING prescribes that for races under US jurisdiction for events that require compliance with OSR Category 3 and above and that invoke this prescription in the Notice of Race, Rule 21.6.1 is modified to permit a boat to carry one more spinnaker than shown on her current IRC certificate of area not greater than rated SPA without an increase in rating.

Race Organizers: For this prescription to be in effect for your event, per Rule 11 you must in your Notice of Race (NOR):

1. Require compliance with OSR Category 3 or above and/or US Safety Equipment Requirements for Ocean and Coastal Categories.
2. Reference that this prescription is being used.
 - a. Suggested wording for your NOR:
"In accordance with IRC Rules 11 and 21.6.1, US Sailing prescribes that a boat may carry one more spinnaker than shown on her current IRC certificate of area not greater than rated SPA without an increase in rating."