



RS21 UK AND IRELAND CLASS ASSOCIATION Constitution By-Laws

1 MEMBERSHIP

1.1 Non-Members

Non-members of the UK and Ireland Class Association may participate in UK and Ireland class events, provided that at least one individual sailing on the entered boat holds a Full or Event Membership.

1.2 Full Member

A Full Member can enter and participate in all UK and Ireland Class Association and International Class events. Participation in International Class events is subject to the rules set by the RS21 International Class Association, which are subject to change.

1.3 Event Member

An Event Member can enter and sail in any UK and Ireland Class Association event. However, the membership is only valid for the event entered. A separate membership is required for each event entered. Event Members may be permitted to enter International Class events subject to the rules set by the RS21 International Class Association, which are subject to change.

1.4 Associate Member

An Associate Member is any individual who has participated in at least three UK and Ireland Class events during the calendar year.

1.5 Membership Fees

The membership fees for 2025 are as follows;

- Full Member £125 per year
- Event Member £50 per event

1.6 Members of the UK and Ireland Class Association may be required to pay a fee to the International Class Association for each paid-up member of their Association. The International Class Association World Council shall decide the fee amount.

1.7 Voting

2 VOTING RIGHTS

2.1 Full Members and Associate Members of the UK and Ireland Class Association are eligible to vote at a General Meeting.

3 CLASS COMMITTEE

- 3.1 Full Members and Associate Members of the UK and Ireland Class Association are eligible to stand for a position on the Class Committee.

4 FINANCIAL MATTERS OF THE CLASS ASSOCIATION:

- 4.1 2.1 Payments and receipts of monies shall be validly evidenced only by the signature or email confirmation of the Chairman, Financial Officer, or their Deputies as appointed by the Class Committee.
- (a) For amounts up to £50: Approval requires confirmation by two or more committee members, one of whom must be the Treasurer, which may be given via email.
 - (b) For amounts exceeding £200: Approval must be granted during a committee meeting.