



# Aramex Dubai to Muscat 2026

## Question for Officials

**Date: 2026-01-22**

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**Question No: 02**

**Question For: Race Committee**

**Question:**

Our mainsail does not display a clear or distinct number/symbol to help identify us to other parties. As an alternative we intend to display our vessel unique number on both the port and starboard life lines through out the race. The numbers will conform to the requirements of RRS Appendix G as required by OSR 4.01.2. I am therefore requesting relief from OSR 4.01 trusting you will find the alternate compliance satisfactory.

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**Answer:**

Request not Approved.

Notice of Race Para 9.3.2 states that "Each boat shall carry individually an identifiable sail number. However, RRS 77 &

Appendix G and OSR Para 4.01 shall not apply and this changes IRC 14.1"

This is an International Maritime Organisation, World Sailing, RORC and Emergency Services requirement and can not be changed.

The sail number does not need to comply with RRS Appendix G, but it does need to be readable from a distance and different to all the other boats.

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