

### **Position description - Chief Judge**

- Read the rule book to check on particular rulings when required based on issues raised by officials or competitors
- Check each new rule book release for changes that are for commonly used rules
- Be familiar with conditions of sanctioning in rulebook
- Ensure with race director/entry processor that all competitors are eligible to do what they are entered to do (this shows in the computer system)
- Check briefing sheet for event and have any relevant input
- Attend briefing to add any further information or answer questions
- Confirm with race director at events when all is clear for racing to commence
- Brief all course boat crews prior to racing and what is required
- Sign off on all provisional results prior to posting, then liaising with timekeeping when the 30 mins is up that results are now final pending no protests or appeals
- Deal with any protests in the manner set out in the rule book
- Meet with competitors who have made rule infringements and action accordingly and then provide any penalty information to the timekeeping crew to amend results
- Oversee substitutions
- Between CJ and Race Controller , perform the start countdown for start boat and calculator
- Between CJ and Race controller , monitor incoming radio transmissions during race
- Monitor any situations where the medical team are approached for treatment by a competitor as racing may need to be held off
- New Rulebook states that Race Controller stops races for red flags rather than CJ now
- Provide incident reports for completion in the event of an incident requiring medical treatment and any follow up to get this paperwork completed and returned
- Provide report to SRA following the event and notification of any incidents so that the insurer can be notified if applicable
- Knowledge of the critical incident process given by SRA
- Advise SRA of the number of competitors in the CJ report so that boat levies can be billed to SRQ