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To All MNA of Asia

Subject: Invitation for final Asian Nation Cup 2015

Dear Sir,

The 2015 ISAF Nations Cup Regional Final for Asia (open and women's match racing) is scheduled for 22-26 April 2015 in Zallaq, Kingdom of Bahrain. The top teams at the Regional Final will qualify for the Grand Final in Vladivostok, Russia in July.

The Notice of Race has just been published on the ISAF website (<http://www.sailing.org/tools/documents/2015NationsCupNoticeofRace-%5B18070%5D.pdf>) and the deadline for MNAs to apply for places in the Nations Cup Regional Final for Asia (in either or both the open and/or women's divisions) is FAST approaching (15 January 2015).

ISAF offers a 2 day Match Racing Clinic for umpires and sailors to develop match racing skills, tactics, rules knowledge and calls. This is directly before the Regional Final 20th & 21st April.

ISAF supplies a trained leading IU as instructor to deliver the Clinic to be supported by a local or regional IU/NU or sailor and the instructor stays on to support the participants in the event and be part of the umpire team. The Clinic takes place in the classroom and on the water - roughly 50/50 but depends on the needs of the participants.

So, we would like to invite all of you to join us and make the event successful.

Best Regards,

For Khalifa Bin Abdulla Al Khalifa

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