



## 2016 CANDY STORE CUP ON-WATER EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

### Sailing Instructions - Exhibit 7

#### ON-WATER EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

The Event Organizers have established emergency procedures to provide help in the event of an on-water emergency, including injury requiring medical assistance. We also have emergency numbers should there be an accident on shore.

1. Contact the Race Committee immediately on VHF 73 or VHF 17. If you are unable to contact the Race Committee, use emergency channel VHF Channel 16.
2. Identify your yacht, the nature of the emergency (type of injury, number of people injured), and your yacht's position (Geographical as well as Lat / Long).
3. The Race Committee will alert the on water safety boat (which will also be monitoring VHF 73 and 17).
4. Depending on the nature and severity of the injury and availability of the safety boat, medical personnel may come aboard your yacht to administer aid, evacuate the injured party and/or re-direct you for transfer of the injured person. The yacht's Captain will make final determination on any actions taken.
5. If you are asked to, please cooperate with any Race Committee, local law enforcement or emergency response personnel.

Please take the time to review these procedures with your crew.

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#### EMERGENCY AND MEDICAL NUMBERS

US Coast Guard:	VHF 16	(Station Castle Hill)	401-846-3675
Medical Assistance:	Newport Fire Department	911 or	401-845-5900
Race Office:	(401) 855-0945	or	(401) 662-1081
Race Committee:	VHF 73	VHF 17	