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# DECLARATION FORM

# REQUIREMENTS OF NEUTRALITY

# The World Sailing Policy for participation of Individual Neutral Athletes, Support Persons and Race Officials with a Russian or Belarusian Passport (the Neutrality Policy) is now available. https://d7qh6ksdplczd.cloudfront.net/sailing/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/24000303/Neutrality-Policy.pdf ( Policy A5).

# The Neutrality Policy incorporates the strict neutrality conditions outlined by the International Olympic Committee and in particular the individual must have:

# 1. No link with the Russian or Belarusian military or with any other national security agency since the 24 February 2022 when the war in Ukraine commenced

# 2. No communications promoting Russia or Belarus from 24 February 2022 onwards

# 3. No active support for the war in Ukraine since 24 February 2022.

# World Sailing continues to recommend that athletes, support persons and race officials with a Russian or Belarusian passport who are not sailing as neutrals in accordance with the Neutrality Policy should not be permitted to compete in events or classes.

# Any sailor, support person or race official who wishes to participate as a neutral must satisfy the criteria set out in the Neutrality Policy. After reading the Neutrality Policy, this application form must be completed and sent to World Sailing legal department at [legal@sailing.org](mailto:legal@sailing.org) for process.

# The legal department will carry out verification and make recommendations to the World Sailing Board.

# Any queries regarding the process please also direct to [legal@sailing.org](mailto:legal@sailing.org)

# DECLARATION OF NEUTRALITY

## I, the undersigned, declare and confirm that:

1. I have read and understood the requirements of neutrality contained within the World Sailing Neutrality Policy (Policy A5) . I am therefore fully aware of all the conditions for participation of individual Neutral Athletes, Support Personnel and Race Officials with a Russian or Belarusian Passport in World Sailing Events.
2. I accept, will respect and apply all the conditions and all criteria as stipulated in the Policy in any sailing competitions in which I will participate.
3. I am not contracted to the Russian or Belarusian military or national security agencies and have not been so contracted since the start of the war in Ukraine 22 February 2022.
4. I have not acted against the peace mission of the Olympic Movement by actively supporting the war in Ukraine since the start of the war in Ukraine 22 February 2022.
5. I understand and accept that any infringement to the IOC Recommended Conditions or to the Neutrality Policy or to any other World Sailing rule/decision will lead to immediate removal from the relevant sailing competitions, withdrawal of the “Neutral Status” granted by the World Sailing Board and possible further actions.
6. I understand and accept that any false or misleading declaration from me will lead to immediate removal from relevant sailing competitions, withdrawal of the “Neutral Status” granted by the World Sailing Board and possible further actions.

Name and Surname:

Place and Date:

Signature:

Additional information on the individual making the Declaration and signing it:

Olympic Class :

Sailor ID (if any):

I hereby provide details of my social and digital media accounts for any eligibility check, if applicable.

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**Attach to this declaration a copy of the passport of the individual making the Declaration and signing it and any supporting documentation which you wish to be considered.**