

Yacht Name: _____

2005 GREAT PACIFIC LONGITUDE RACE
SKIPPER'S WAIVER, RELEASE, AND INDEMNIFICATION

1. I certify that I and/or my Crew will have attained the age of 18 on or before July 20, 2005.
2. I certify that my yacht will be outfitted and equipped in accordance with the Notice of Race.
3. I agree to comply with all rules, regulations and race instructions of the Singlehanded Sailing Society, the rules of US Sailing, the International and Inland Rules, and other rules under which the Race is sailed.
4. I for myself, my executors, administrators, heirs, next of kin, successors, and assigns:
 - (A) Waive and release any and all claims that I may have against the Singlehanded Sailing Society, its officers, directors, members, volunteer committee persons, employees, and agents, or any one or more of them or their executors, administrators, heirs, next of kin, successors, or assigns (the Releasees), including any and all claims for damage caused by the negligence of any of them, arising out of my participation or that of my yacht in the Race and their related activities, including pre-start and post-finish operations, together with any costs, including attorneys' fees that may be incurred as a result of any such claim whether valid or not, and
 - (B) Indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees and each of them against any such claim that I or the officers or members of my crew or my guests or any one or more of them or my or their executors, administrators, heirs, next of kin, successors, or assigns may have or assert and against any cost including attorneys' fees with respect thereto.
5. I acknowledge that I have sole responsibility for the safety of my yacht and crew.
6. I acknowledge that after arrival at the finish line of the Race, my yacht may, at my request if such service is available, be led by or be taken in tow by a boat operated for the convenience of race participants by volunteer committee persons of the Singlehanded Sailing Society, and be led or towed to its mooring, or may at my request take such a committee person aboard (who shall become a member of my crew) to assist in entering the Harbor and mooring, all without charge or expense to me; without limiting the generality of the waiver, release, and indemnity above. I hereby agree that should my yacht be damaged in any manner or to any extent by reason of such leading, towing, or other assistance, or by reason of any failure or refusal to perform such leading, towing or other assistance, neither the boat, the owner thereof, the Releasees, nor any of them shall have any liability therefor, and I hereby waive and agree not to assert any claim therefor.

Name (please print): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian of Skipper if Skipper is under 18:

_____ Date: _____

NOTE: Skipper and Crew are required to submit separate waiver forms.

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