



***Update to the document: "Guidelines for the Nomination and Selection of the Australian Sailing Youth Team for the 2018 World Youth Sailing Championship"***

The 2018 Youth Olympic Games Oceania Qualification to be run as part of the Australian Youth Championships requires competitors to use the Bic Techno 293 Plus., We will now use this same equipment at this event to qualify for the Australian Youth Sailing Team for the 2018 World Youth Sailing Championship. Please note that the 8.5sqm sail is the same size as used on RS:X at the World Youths.

Consequently, as per the updated Clause 3.1 of the "*Guidelines for the Nomination and Selection of the Australian Sailing Youth Team for the 2018 World Youth Sailing Championship*", the Nomination Regatta for Board Sailing Boys & Girls will be sailed on the Bic Techno 293 Plus class as part of the 2018 Australian Youth Championships at Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

The Bic Techno 293 Plus utilises the same board and boom as previously used at the Australian Youth Championships. The only differences to standard Bic Techno are the 8.5sqm sail, FF50 Deep Tuttle Fin and C60 4.9m Mast. The Australian Bic Techno distributor has agreed to supply up to 15 charter rigs and as many boards as necessary to secure the success of the event.

The Bic Techno 293 (6.8sqm & 7.8sqm) will race as part of the 2018 Australian Youth Championships, however, they will be ineligible for 2018 ASYT Selection.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Tristan Brown".

**Tristan Brown**

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