

The Royal Cape Ratings Division (RRD)

The Royal Cape Ratings Review Division will calculate a single number Time Correction Factor (TCF) on receipt of a RRD application form.

HOW TO GET A RRD TCF

- Request an official Ratings Form from either RCYC reception or email rrd@rcyc.co.za
- Complete all the required data on the form
- Submit it to rrd@rcyc.co.za
- Once your boat's rating has been assessed and confirmed, you will receive your TCF via email

HOW TO GET YOUR BOAT RE - RATED

- Request an official Ratings Form from either RCYC reception or email rrd@rcyc.co.za
- Complete all the required data on the form
- Submit it to rrd@rcyc.co.za
- Once your boats rating has been assessed and confirmed, you will receive your TCF via email
- No re-rating applications will be accepted (for competing boats) within 5 days of a regatta

GENERAL GUIDELINES ON CLUB TCF RATINGS

CHANGES TO SAILS, HULL AND RIG

The Owner/Skipper of any yacht that has had changes made to any dimensions of any of its sails, hull or rig measurements, since the issue of a RRD TCF (RCYC Club Rating), shall submit a new RRD application form, informing the RRD of such changes, so that the boat's rating can be reviewed and updated. This includes changing the propeller (i.e. changing from a fixed to folding/feathering prop or vice versa).

IF YOUR BOAT HAS A VALID IRC CERTIFICATE

Your boat measurements will be taken from your valid IRC certificate, CLUB TCF will be based on this measurement data. No other allowances will be given until the current IRC certificate expires or is superseded by a new one.

HEADSAIL ALLOWANCE

Smaller than class design headsail sail allowances are not considered under the Club TCF, unless you have an up to date IRC Certificate submitted to RRD.

Based on measurements on the certificate a rating will be derived. This Rating will be valid until one month after the expiry of the submitted IRC certificate.

HOW OFTEN CAN I APPLY FOR A RE-RATE

Once every 12 months, exceptions can be made if a significant change has been made however this will be at the discretion of the RRD.

PROVISIONAL RATINGS

A Boat will be marked with “PR” when it has received a provisional rating. This would either mean that the RRD has not received sufficient information or that the rating is still under review. Provisional ratings are subject to final ratification by the RRD.

RATING REVIEWS ON OTHER BOATS

A boat Owner / Skipper who has a valid interest in another boat’s rating must submit a written request to rrd@rcyc.co.za outlining why that boat’s rating requires reviewing.

RATING APPEALS

A boat Owner/ Skipper may appeal their rating in writing to rrd@rcyc.co.za. No verbal appeals will be accepted. Owners may appeal their rating only once in a 12 month period.

The RRD reserves the right to amend ratings and rating structures if and when it deems necessary.