

# IOM NCA for GBR - Membership Information Sheet

## (1) Membership classification

### (a) IOMICA regulations set out the following definitions:

Boat = A boat that may comply with the IOM Class Rules.  
 Registered Boat = A Boat issued with a hull number.  
 Certificated Boat = A Registered Boat with a current, valid certificate.  
 Registered Owner = An Owner who is listed as being current and in good standing with an IOM NCA or IOM NCS.  
 Certificated Owner = A Registered Owner who owns at least one Certificated Boat.

- (b) An IOM owner must be a club affiliated member of the MYA before he/she can be a full member of the NCA for GBR. Individual membership of the MYA without a club affiliation does not provide full membership of the NCA.
- (c) Full membership of the NCA drops to Associate level if the owner's MYA membership is not renewed from one year to the next.
- (d) Membership of the NCA requires that a correctly GBR registered IOM is owned. In practice, this means that ownership of the IOM has been registered with the IOM Class Registrar (see more below).
- (e) An individual's record in the NCA database will be maintained while that individual is between boats, ie he/she has sold their current IOM and are building a new boat. However, while no boat is declared by that individual, their membership status drops from Full to Associate.

### Summary table

Membership type	Owner type	MYA membership status	Boat ownership status
Full	Certificated	Through an MYA affiliated club	At least one IOM with a valid certificate owned.
Full	Registered	Through an MYA affiliated club	At least one registered IOM without a valid certificated owned.
Associate	Owner	Not a member of an MYA affiliated club.	At least one registered IOM owned.
Associate	Non owner		No registered IOMs declared.

## (2) Boat ownership, registration and certification

- (a) The GBR IOM Class Registrar maintains a list of IOMs owned within Great Britain and N.Ireland.
- (b) A registered IOM is one whose hull number is held on the list of GBR IOMs.
- (c) A certificated IOM is a registered IOM with a valid certificate. A valid certificate requires that the IOM has been measured by an approved IOM measurer and that the current owner name is held against that IOM on the list of GBR IOMs.
- (d) An IOM's certificate becomes invalid upon change of ownership. A valid certificate can be obtained by the new owner simply registering with the IOM Class Registrar.
- (e) In the NCA database, if the Notes field for any boat has the comment "Owner name mismatch", that means that the owner name registered with the Class Registrar for the boat is different from the Owner name in the NCA list.

## (3) Class Secretary and Class Registrar contact details

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