



STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND PURPOSES

1. The name of the incorporated association is Yachting Victoria Incorporated (**YVI**).
2. The objects and purposes for which the body is established are:
 - (a) to promote and encourage participation in sailing and boating at Members;
 - (b) to represent sailing, boating and Members strategically to government and other major stakeholders;
 - (c) to promote and facilitate skills development for new and existing participants, Members and officials in sailing and boating;
 - (d) to promote, encourage and facilitate Members to create, attract and deliver major sailing and boating events, including the administration of race management;
 - (e) to assist Members in their development by providing information, advice, services and programs;
 - (f) to increase the success of competitive sailors by providing coaching services to high performing sailors, and the encouragement of the development of coaches and coaching programs of Members; and
 - (g) to be adequately funded, efficiently administered and effectively governed.

B. POWERS

YVI has the legal capacity and powers of an individual, including the powers given by the *Associations Incorporation Act 1981 (Vic.)*, subject to any limitations imposed by the Act.

C. USE OF PROPERTY

The income and property of YVI must be used and applied solely in the promotion of its objects and purposes and the exercise of its powers as set out in the Rules and in this document. No income or property of YVI may be distributed, paid or transferred directly or indirectly as a dividend, bonus or profit to any Member.

D. INTERPRETATION

In the case of any doubt, uncertainty or dispute concerning this document or any matter relevant to it, this document must be given wide and liberal interpretation.

