



2015 USA ORC Club certificate application procedures

To apply for an ORC Club certificate in the US, please do the following:

1. Gather the relevant measurement data for your boat. This could be from a recent rating certificate in PHRF, IRC, ORC or ORR, or one-design class. Measured data is preferred to declared data. The more information provided the more accurate the rating. If no certificates are available, use builder or designer information.
2. Data can be in English or Metric units.
3. Go to www.ussailing.org/racing/offshore-big-boats/orc/orc-club-application. This webpage has explanations on each measurement item, just move the cursor over each input field.
4. Input data you know is correct, and leave fields blank for data that is unknown – the rating office will attempt to use reliable data available from other sources.
5. Once the data is submitted, the ORC and US Sailing technical staffs will review and may ask further questions by email.
6. Go to the US Sailing payment page at this link to pay for your certificate: <http://store.ussailing.org/browse.cfm/orc-club-certificate/4,844.html>. ORC Club certificate prices for US Sailing members is \$50, for non-members \$110.
7. Once paid, the ORC Club certificate will be sent by US Sailing to the email provided on the application, and also uploaded to the ORC database.
8. Once in the ORC database, free copies are available after registering for a free log-in at www.orc.org/sailorservices, where other products are available for purchase, such as Test Certificates (€10), ORC Speed Guides (€50), and ORC Target Speeds (€20). [1€ = about US\$1.1].
9. Any questions, contact zoran@orc.org or dobbs@orc.org.