

Vendée Globe 2008-2009
Rider n°3 to the Notice of race
30th June 2008

This rider modifies several clauses in the Notice of race issued on 10 October 2006 and several clauses in the rider no. 2 of the Notice of race issued on 31 March 2008.

In order to facilitate the reading of the document:

Modifications are in bold.

Amendment to Rider no. 2

2.1.1.2 Permitted weather forecasts

Now reads :

To supplement the information made available by SAEM Vendée, each competitor will have the option of acquiring maps, satellite images or files in Grib format either free of charge or for a fee. **Details of these supplements will be issued in a Rider, before 15th August 2008.**

Amendment to Rider no. 2

Now reads :

3. COURSE

Start off from Les Sables d'Olonne after a race in the bay.

Competitors shall leave:
Cape of Good Hope to port
Cape Leeuwin to port
Cape Horn to port

Antarctic to starboard.

Finish in the bay of Les Sables d'Olonne.

Compulsory waypoints or gates will be decided upon together with the pre-entered competitors and distributed by a in the form of an additional clause to the Notice of Race no later than **15th August 2008**. However, these compulsory waypoints or gates may be modified after **15th August 2008** in the event of a major climatic event arising, such as the dispersion of ice following breaking of pack ice or another major phenomenon having an effect on safety.

Prior to the start date, the organiser shall committee a study of drift ice.

Amendment to Rider no. 2

6.4 Points de passage sur le parcours

Now reads :

6.4 Waypoints along the course

Course waypoints will be published no later than **15th August 2008**.
