

ROYAL THAMES YACHT CLUB

60 Knightsbridge
SW1X 7LF

APPLICATION FOR CHARTERERS' PERMIT TO WEAR THE BLUE ENSIGN

Permits are issued to individuals, not to the yacht. The Charterer must be a full member of the Royal Thames Yacht Club and a British citizen. The yacht must be registered under either Part 1 or Part 3 (Small Ships Register) of the British Register. Privileged Ensigns may not be worn on yachts registered other than on the British Register, even if the Charterer is a British citizen. The permit holder must be on board or in effective control, and the permit on board, if the Privileged Ensign is being worn. The Club's burgee must be flown at the masthead (not from a spreader or in the rigging) when the Privileged Ensign is worn. If the burgee cannot be flown from the masthead, a Privileged Ensign must not be worn. The full rules governing the wearing of the Privileged Ensign are contained in the Club's Yachting Bye-Laws and may be found in the Members' section of the Club website www.royalthames.com

I,

(Name in Block Letters)

of

(Address in Block Letters)

being a British subject, have the honour to request a permit for the Yacht

which is on charter to me for the period from to

The Yacht is owned by of

and is Registered as a British Ship. I have extracted the following particulars from the Certificate of Registry:

Official Number

Length

Rig and/or Motive Power

Port of Registry

A copy of the Certificate of Registry is attached for examination by you.

I understand that the permit will authorise me to wear the Ensign only on board the Yacht named therein, when I am on board, or in effective control of her when she is in harbour or at anchor near the shore, and while the Club's burgee is flown at the main masthead. The Permit must always be carried on board when the Ensign is worn. I understand that the yacht may not be used for any commercial purpose whatsoever when wearing the blue ensign.

Signature