

55 Glencairn Avenue,
EAST BRIGHTON. VIC.

7th February, 1959.

The Secretary,
Royal Brighton Yacht Club,
253 St. Kilda Street,
MIDDLE BRIGHTON. 3106.

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter dated 22nd January.

May I suggest the following changes to the present Deed of Gift of the Franklin Cup.

1. "The Cup shall be re-named the Commodore E.A.Franklin Memorial Cup".
2. Change to read "International Soling Class Yachts of the R.B.Y.C."
3. Leave as before
4. Change to read "Contest shall be held annually over one race sailed in the home waters of the R.B.Y.C. on the Club Cup Day".
Paragraphs 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 - Delete.

Replace with -

5. "The race in each year shall be under the control of the Racing Committee of the R.B.Y.C. and sailed under the rules of the V.Y.C."

In lieu of paragraph 9 I suggest a clause covering the Committee of the R.B.Y.C. or its appointee as the authority for any alteration of the deed in the future.

I trust these remarks and suggestions will receive your consideration and no doubt I will hear from you in due course.

Regarding the cup itself, I suggest the present inscription remains and the new name and Soling emblem be engraved on the opposite side with the winners of the Franklin Cup remaining as evidence of its history. These alterations I will arrange following your approval.

Yours faithfully,

R.R.Franklin