

*“After a good race start off Halifax the Rendez-Vous 2017 Tall Ships Regatta race fleet ran into calms early this morning (2 August). This weather had been forecasted and with little sign of favourable wind over the next few days, the Race Committee decided to suspend the race at 14:00 UTC and allow the vessels use of engines before restarting through a new start gate some 350 miles to the east (in position 44° 30’N, 055° 00’W). Vessels are expected to pass through the new start gate between 18:00 on Friday until 18:00 on Saturday (5 August).*

*“The vessels have restarted the Rendez-Vous 2017 Tall Ships Regatta race leg from Halifax to Le Havre after the Race Committee decided to suspend the race until the wind became more favourable on Wednesday (2 August). The five-mile long start gate is in position 44° 30’N, 055° 00’W and vessels are expected to pass through it between 18:00 on Friday (4 August) until 18:00 on Saturday (5 August). Individual start times will be applied.”*

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