

1. Equipment Committee Recommendations to Council

This “yellow paper” is a summary of the Recommendations made at the World Sailing Equipment Committee meeting on 26 October 2022. During its deliberations, Council will consider the Recommendations in order as shown on the Council agenda.

2022 Submissions

- 050-22 Regulations Governing Special Events -Proposal to set up a working party tasked with formalizing regulations governing special events with a set of key rights and obligations for special events.**
Reporting Committee: Board
Other Committee: Equipment / Events /CC
Opinion: Approve
- 051-22 New regulation to cover special events - to introduce a new Regulation 25.8.13 to include list of special events and limitations to protect interests of classes affected.**
Reporting Committee: Board
Other Committee: Equipment / Events / CC
Opinion: Approve
- 052-22 Addition and removal of events Proposed amend is to introduce a new Regulation 25.8.4(b) to establish a procedure to add and remove events from the list of major, recognized, and special events**
Reporting Committee: Events
Other Committee: Board / Equipment / CC
Opinion: No opinion
Comment: The committee members voted 6 in favour to approve, 6 to reject
- 056-22 Regulation 10.11.9 - amend to Regulation 10.11.9 to include a procedure for managing evolution or changes to the Technical Specifications of equipment used by World Sailing Classes.**
Reporting Committee: Equipment
Other Committee: CC
Recommendation to Council: Approve
- 057-22 Regulation 10: amendments to Regulation 10 to clarify the process for changing the class rules of World Sailing Classes (3 proposals).**
Reporting Committee: Equipment Committee
Other Committee: World Sailing Classes Committee / CC
- Proposal 1 - withdrawn
- Proposal 2
Recommendation to Council: Approve
- Proposal 3
Recommendation to Council: Approve
- 058-22 Proposal to establish universality of the Equipment Rules of Sailing and provide stakeholders with a single rules book covering both the RRS and the ERS (2 proposals).**
Reporting Committee: Equipment / RRC
Other Committee:

Proposal 1
Recommendation to Council: Approve

Proposal 2 - Withdrawn

- 059-22 Regulation 10.5 (f) (iii) to amend Regulation 10.5 to extend the grace period to have an International Measurer for World Sailing Classes due to Covid Pandemic**
Reporting Committee: Equipment
Other Committee: ROC/CC
Recommendation to Council: Approve

2. Recommendations not based on Submissions

A) Equipment Committee agenda item 8c: Application for World Sailing Class Status

- I. Persico 69F**
Recommendation to Council: Defer

B) Equipment Committee agenda item 8d: Review of World Sailing Class Status

- II. International Byte Class Association**
Recommendation to Council: To withdraw their World Sailing class status in accordance with World Sailing regulation 10.13.

Comments: Following the review of the class association, the Committee considers that the class no longer meets the regulatory requirements. The class has outstanding debts with World Sailing, does not meet the global distribution requirements and has not complied with the requirement to provide an Annual Report that serves to assess compliance with all the remaining regulatory requirements.
The class has acknowledged the review and does not challenge the recommendation.

- III. International Farr 40 Class Association**
Recommendation to Council: To withdraw their World Sailing class status in accordance with World Sailing regulation 10.13.

Comments: Following the review of the class association, the Committee considers that the class no longer meets the regulatory requirements. The class has outstanding debts with World Sailing, does not meet the global distribution requirements and has not complied with the requirement to provide an Annual Report that serves to assess compliance with all the remaining regulatory requirements.
The class has had no activity since 2019.

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Chair
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