

Equipment Rules of Sailing

ERS Introduction

A submission from the Equipment Committee, Classes Committee and the 420

Class

Purpose or Objective

To clarify the applicability of the ERS

Proposal

To modify the ERS Introduction as follows:

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Applicability

The ERS are ~~rules only if they are~~ invoked by:

- (a) Class Rules.
and may be also invoked by:
- (b) ~~Adoption in the A~~ notice of race and sailing instructions.
- (c) Prescriptions of an MNA for races under its jurisdiction.
- (d) World Sailing Regulations, ~~or~~
- (e) World Sailing Racing Rules of Sailing, or
- (f) Other documents that govern an event.

ERS Parts A, B, C and H apply at all times, except as permitted by the rules themselves.

Current Position

As above

Reasons

1. The ERS definitions apply in Class rules and may be applied in other documents, including the RRS.
 2. Certain parts of the ERS apply at all times except when modifications are permitted by the rules themselves.
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