

Appendix F

Rule F2 14

A submission from the International Formula Kite Class Association

Purpose or Objective

Add rule F2 14, to extend the obligation under rule 14 to not causing contact between kiteboards

Proposal

F2 14 AVOIDING CONTACT

If reasonably possible, a kiteboard shall

(a) avoid contact with another kiteboard,

(b) not cause contact between kiteboards, and

(c) not cause contact between a kiteboard and an object that should be avoided.

However, a right-of-way kiteboard, or one sailing within the room or mark-room to which she is entitled, need not act to avoid contact until it is clear that the other kiteboard is not *keeping clear* or giving room or mark-room.

Current Position

As above

Reasons

1. Kiteboards are moving through the water in great speed. Any contact may cause injury or serious damage.
 2. As per Appendix HS
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