REPORTING COMMITTEE – CONSTITUTION OTHER COMMITTEE – EXECUTIVE, MATCH RACING, RACE OFFICIALS

Match Racing Umpires' Fees

Regulation 18.16.1(c)

A submission from the Chairman of the Constitution Committee

Proposal:

18.16.1 For Graded Match Racing Events, the following fees apply:

(c) The fees receivable shall be calculated as follows:

(i) For ISAF Open Match Racing World Championships and Open Grade

1 Events:

Chief Umpires 1 Chief Umpire Daily Fee for each day of the event

scheduled for racing plus 2 additional such fees

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Other Umpires 1 Umpire Daily Fee for each day of the event

scheduled for racing plus 2 additional such fees.

(ii) For Open Grade 2 – 5 Events and all Women's Match Racing Events

For events with:

Cash or cashable prizes, appearance payments, individual sponsorship payments by the event organizers or otherwise, any/or other benefits of a similar nature totalling more than €15,500 or the equivalent, the following fees apply:

Chief Umpires 1 Chief Umpire Daily Fee for each day of the event

scheduled for racing plus 2 additional such fees

Other Umpires 1 Umpire Daily Fee for each day of the event

scheduled for racing plus 2 additional such fees.

Current Position:

As above

Reason:

Most match racing events start with practice races and measurement, etc. Those days are 'days of the event' but do not require umpires. In practice umpires are only paid for the days scheduled for racing.