The Equipment Rules of Sailing

Submission: **057-11**

A.1 Class Rules

A submission from the Chairman of the Equipment Committee

Purpose or Objective

To replace the two current rules in rule A.1 texts with a text stipulation the extent to which class having invoked ERS Part 1 may change rules in this Part.

Proposal

A.1 CLASS RULES

A.1.1 Boats without Class Rules

The boat and other items of equipment shall comply with the ERS Part 1.

A.1.2 Boats with Class Rules

The **boat** and other items of equipment shall comply with its **class rules**, and the ERS Part 1 except as changed by its **class rules** to the extent permitted by Changes (c) and (d)¹ Class rules may change rules B.1 and B.2.

Current Position

As above.

Reasons

To remove the concepts of boats with or without class rules and to clarify the extent to which the ERS Part 1 may be amended by class rules that invoke this Part. See also submission 056-11.

Rule numbers in the proposed new text reflect the renumbering resulting from submission 072-10 approved by Council in 2010.