

Olympic Sailing Competition – Events

Permanent Events

A submission from the International Formula 18 Class Association

Proposal:

Regulation 16.1.5.(a) (iv) to be amended as follows:

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- (iv) must include ~~at least two events for men and two events for women designed to maximise excitement, innovation, public and media appeal, and~~ for men and women each of the five disciplines, 1 person dinghy, 2 person dinghy, multi-hull, keelboat, windsurfer.**

Current Position:

As above.

Reason:

1. This brings both genders better in line with number of athletes participating, as is occurring in other sports and is the wish of the IOC.
2. This format covers a range of skills, better representing sailing throughout the world, bearing in mind the constraints of an Olympic regatta.
3. It provides ISAF with a long term strategic view of Olympic competition from 2012 onwards.