# **RACING RULES COMMITTEE**

WILL MEET AT 0930 – 1800 HOURS ON TUESDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2008 AT THE HOTEL MELIA, MADRID, SPAIN



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#### 1. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

# (a) Minutes

To note the minutes of the Racing Rules Committee meeting of 6 November 2007 (circulated and approved after the meeting). The minutes can be downloaded at www.sailing.org/meetings.

# (b) Minutes - matters arising

To consider any matters arising (not covered elsewhere on this agenda).

# (c) Olympic Sailing Competition Sailing Instructions

To note the approval of the Sailing Instructions for the 2008 Olympic Sailing Competition.

#### 2. ITEMS DEFERRED FROM NOVEMBER 2007

# (a) Deferred Submission 65-07

To reconsider submission 65-07 from the Chairman of the Racing Rules Committee about Class Rules of ISAF and National Classes and make a recommendation to Council.

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Note the Racing Rules Committee Decision in November 2007: Approve.

# (b) Deferred Submission 238-07

To reconsider submission 238-07 from the Chairman of the Equipment Committee about Appendix J, K and L and make a recommendation to Council.

Note the Racing Rules Committee Decision in November 2007: 'Defer. To be considered.

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# 3. OLYMPIC JURY

To consider submission 024-08 from the Bulgarian Sailing Federation about Regulation 16.3.1 and make a recommendation to Council.

#### 4. ISAF REGULATIONS - DEFINITIONS

To consider submission 067-08 from the Chairman of the Racing Rules Committee and the Constitution Committee about Class, Rules and make a recommendation to Council.

# 5. RACING RULES OF SAILING

# (a) <u>Submission 146-08</u>

To consider submission 146-08 from the Chairman of the Race Officials Committee about Pumping The Sails and make a recommendation to Council.

# (b) Submission 147-08

To consider submission 147-08 from the Royal Yachting association about Rule 89 and make a recommendation to Council.

# (c) <u>Submission 148-08</u>

To consider submission 148-08 from the International Flying Dutchman Class Organization about the Distinction between Headsails and Spinnakers and make a recommendation to Council.

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# (d) Submission 149-08

To consider submission 149-08 from the International Speed Windsurfing Association about changes to Appendix B of the Racing Rules of Sailing – Speed Windsurfing and make a recommendation to Council.

#### 6. THE CASE BOOK

To consider the following submissions and make recommendations to Council:

Sub. no.	Received from	
151-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	New Case
	Committee	
152-08	Royal Yachting Association	New Case
153-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	New Case
	Committee	
154-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	Amendments and Additions
and	Committee (154-08) and Chairman of	to Case 78
154-05	the Race Officials Committee (154-05)	

#### 7. THE CALL BOOK FOR MATCH RACING

To consider submission 156-08 from the Chairman of the Racing Rules Committee, after a proposal from the Match and Team Racing Working Party about the Call Book for Match Racing and make a recommendation to Council:

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# 8. THE CALL BOOK FOR TEAM RACING

To consider the following submissions and make recommendations to Council:

Sub. no.	Received from	
155-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	Call Book
	Committee after a proposal from the	
	Match & Team Racing Working Party	
157-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	Call D9
	Committee after a proposal from the	
	Match & Team Racing Working Party	
158-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	Call D10
	Committee after a proposal from the	
	Match & Team Racing Working Party	
159-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	Call H5
	Committee after a proposal from the	
	Match & Team Racing Working Party	
160-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	Call M7
	Committee after a proposal from the	
	Match & Team Racing Working Party	
161-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	Call M8
	Committee after a proposal from the	
	Match & Team Racing Working Party	
162-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	Call J6
	Committee after a proposal from the	
	Match & Team Racing Working Party	
163-08	Chairman of the Racing Rules	Call L6
	Committee after a proposal from the	
	Match & Team Racing Working Party	

# 9. ISAF RACING RULES QUESTION AND ANSWER SERVICE

To receive a report from the Chairman of the Racing Rules Q&A Panel about the ISAF Racing Rules Question and Answer Service in 2008.

# 10. INTRODUCTORY RULES FOR RACING

- (a) To receive a report from the Chairman of the Introductory Rules for Racing working party.
- (b) To consider submission 150-08 from the Chairman of the Racing Rules Committee and the Chairman of the Constitution Committee about regulatory provisions.

# 11. MEDAL RACE

- (a) Report by the Addendum Q Working Party
- (b) Addendum Q

To note the current Addendum

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Information to Competitors (c)

To note the current Addendum

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(d) Experimental Appendix Q

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(a) **Equipment Committee** 

To receive a verbal report from the Equipment Committee representative.

(b) Equipment Control Sub-Committee.

> To receive a verbal report from the Equipment Control Sub-Committee representative.

Class Rule Sub-Committee (c)

To receive a verbal report from the Class Rule Sub-Committee representative.

(d) Race Officials Committee

To receive a verbal report from the Race Officials Committee representative

# 13. CASE BOOK PROGRESS ON UPDATED CASE BOOK & CALL BOOK PROGRESS ON UPDATED CALL BOOK

- To receive a progress report from Dick Rose on the updated Case Book. (a)
- (b) To receive a progress report from Marianne Middelthon on the updated Call Book.

### 14. ANNUAL REPORT

To note the Chairman's report to the ISAF Council meeting of 13 November 2008 on the activities of the Racing Rules Committee for the period 1 January 2008 to date.

#### 15. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Presentation on the new Section C rule in Part 2 of the 2009 racing rules by members of Special Working Party that drafted them: Dick Rose, Rob Overton and Ben Altman, from US SAILING, and Richard Thompson and Chris Atkins, from the Royal Yachting Association.

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