CHANGES AND CORRECTIONS MADE BY WORLD SAILING IN

THE RACING RULES OF SAILING FOR 2013-2016

This document will be updated during 2013-2016 to show any changes and corrections made by World Sailing. This is Version 7 issued on 14 December 2015.

Text shown struck through is deleted. Text shown in bold and underlined is to be inserted.

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RULE CHANGE #1

This rule change came into force on 1 January 2014.

Appendix B – Windsurfing Competition Rules

Rule B3:

31 TOUCHING A MARK

Rule 31 is deleted. Rule 31 is changed to:

A board may touch a mark but shall not hold on to it.

RULE CHANGE #2

This rule change is in force from 1 January 2015.

Part 1 – Fundamental Rules

<u>6 BETTING AND ANTI-CORRUPTION</u>

Each competitor and boat owner shall comply with Appendix 5 in the ISAF Regulations, Betting and Anti-Corruption Code. An alleged or actual breach of this rule shall be dealt with under the rules of that appendix. It shall not be grounds for a *protest* and rule 63.1 does not apply.

RULE CHANGE #3

This rule change is in force from 1 January 2015.

Appendix C – Match Racing Rules

C2.9 Rule 22.3 is <u>deleted.</u> changed to: 'A boat moving astern through the water shall *keep clear* of one that is not.'

RULE CHANGE #4

These rule changes are in force from 1 January 2016.

Definitions

Rule (b) ISAF Regulation 19, Eligibility Code; Regulation 20, Advertising Code; Regulation 21, Anti-Doping Code; and Regulation 22, Sailor Classification Code; and Regulation 35, Disciplinary Code;

These two consequential changes are a result of the change in the Definition Rule (b):

Introduction

ISAF Codes The ISAF Eligibility, Advertising, Anti-Doping, and Sailor Classification and Disciplinary Codes (Regulations 19, 20, 21, and 22 and 35) are referred to in the definition *Rule* but are not included in this book because they can be changed at any time. The most recent versions of the codes are available on the ISAF website; new versions will be announced through national authorities.

Online Rules Documents

ISAF Codes (Regulations 9, 20, 21, and 22 and 35)

RULE CHANGE #5

These rule changes are in force from 1 January 2016.

Part 5 – Protests, Redress, Hearings, Misconduct and Appeals

Delete rules 69.3 and 69.4 and replace them with:

69.3 Action by a National Authority and ISAF

The disciplinary powers, procedures and responsibilities of national authorities and ISAF that apply are specified in ISAF Regulation 35, Disciplinary Code. National authorities and ISAF may impose further penalties, including suspension of eligibility, under that Code.

CORRECTIONS

The following proofreading errors should be corrected:

Appendix B – Windsurfing Competition Rules

Rule B10:

29 RECALLS

- (b) If the race committee acts under rule 29.1(a) 29(a) and the board is identified, she shall be disqualified without a hearing, even if the race is *abandoned*. The race committee shall hail or display her sail number, and she shall leave the course area immediately. If the race is restarted or resailed, she shall not sail in it.
- (c) If the race was completed but was later *abandoned* by the protest committee, and if the race is resailed, a board disqualified under rule 29.1(b) 29(b) may sail in it.

Rule B12:

64.1 Penalties

(c) Any breach of the verification rules may result in exclusion from one of or more rounds or from the competition.

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(c) If there is a series-score tie between two or more boards, it shall be broken in favour of the board(s) with the fastest run during the competition. If a tie remains, it shall be broken by applying rules A8.2(b) and (e) A8.2 and A8.3 in rule B8.

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