

Deferred Submission 101-11

Following the decision by Council in November 2011 to defer submission 101-11 the Chairman of the Events Committee proposes the revised submission as follows:

Olympic Events Selection - Specification of the Voting Process REVISED**New Regulation 23.1.9****Proposal**

Add new regulation 23.1.9 to define the voting process

23.1.9 Reporting Committees voting to recommend Olympic Events shall vote in accordance with the procedure below. Council may decide to accept the recommendation of a Reporting Committee. If Council does not so decide, it shall also vote in accordance with the procedure below

(a) Voting Procedure

If there is one or more submissions to change Olympic Events, a two stage procedure shall be used to choose whether to retain the existing set of Events or to change to an alternative set proposed in a particular submission.

Stage 1

Any submission to change Olympic Events must be proposed and seconded by a member of the committee (or if the submission is before Council by a member of Council). A member may propose or second more than one submission.

If a submission is not so proposed and seconded it is deemed rejected.

Stage 2

Stage 2 selects one set of Events from from the current set of Olympic Events and the alternative set or sets of Olympic Events that have been proposed and seconded in Stage 1.

(b) The Stage 2 procedure is as follows:

- (i) Each member of the committee, or if it is a vote of Council, each member of Council, shall cast one vote for his or her preferred set of Olympic Events from those sets that have not so far been rejected.**
- (ii) If a set receives more than 50% of votes cast, it is selected and the voting process is concluded.**
- (iii) If no set receives more than 50% of votes cast, first any set that has received zero votes is rejected, and second, of the remaining sets, the one that received the fewest votes is also rejected.**
- (iv) The procedure in (i) (ii) and (iii) above shall then be repeated with the remaining sets.**

- (v) The procedure shall continue until a set receives more than 50% of votes cast, whereupon it is selected, and the others are then deemed rejected
- (vi) After each round, the rejected set(s), but not the number of votes, shall be declared. The totals of all votes in all rounds shall be declared at the end of the process.

(c) In the event of a tie in step (b)(iii) above, it shall be broken as follows:

- (i) The tie is broken in favour of the set that received more votes in the previous round of Stage 2.
- (ii) If this fails to break the tie, or it is the first round of Stage 2, a run-off ballot shall be held.
- (iii) If a tie between more than two sets is only partially broken by (i) or (ii), the tie-break process continues with the sets that are still tied.
- (iv) If a run-off ballot fails to break a tie, the chairman shall have a casting vote.