



The following RS:X Class Rule Changes proposals have been approved to be effective 12 October 2011.

Current Rule:

None

Amended Rule:

C.9.3(l)

Batten tubes may be shortened at the outer end

Current Rule:

C.6.3.(i) Additional rubber may be added to the inside of the centreboard slot. The rubber shall only be applied with glue and shall not be attached using any through hull fitting. Any additional rubber shall not touch or affect the gasket assembly

Amended Rule:

C.6.3.(i)

Any material may be added to the inside of the centreboard slot. It shall only be attached with glue or tape. The added material shall not touch or affect the gasket assembly.

Current Rule:

None

Amended rule:

C.8.2. (p)

Any removable adhesive tape may be added to the mast or spigot, within 100 mm from the joint and 100 mm from the bottom of each mast section.

Current Rule:

None

Amended Rule: (New Rule)

C.6.3 (m) Footstrap insert holes may be filled

Current Rule:

None

Amended Rule: (New Rule)

C.1.2 SAFETY AND LIFE-SAVING EQUIPMENT

- a) In accordance with RRS 1.2 the following provision is made:
Competitors are not obliged to carry personal life saving

equipment (flotation devices) on board unless RRS 40 applies, in which case the personal flotation devices shall be worn. If used, the personal flotation device shall conform to the minimum standard of ISO 12402-5. Alternative or additional standards may be prescribed in the Notice of Race.

- b) Each competitor shall carry at all times a SOLAS approved whistle.
- c) A towrope of minimum length 5m and a recommended thickness of 4mm may be carried by the **crew**. The towrope may be specified as compulsory in an events Notice of Race.

Current Rule:

C.3.2 a) ii) Personal buoyancy which may be described as mandatory in the Sailing Instructions. If prescribed, the personal buoyancy shall conform to the minimum standard of ISO 12402-5 (Level 50N). Additional standards may be prescribed in the Notice of Race or Sailing Instructions.

Amended Rule:

Delete Rule

Current Rule:

C.4.2(a)(i) A towrope of minimum length 5m and a recommended thickness of 4mm may be carried by the **crew**. The towrope may be specified as compulsory in an events Notice of Race or Sailing Instructions.

Amended Rule:

Delete Rule.

Typo Correction:

C.9.1(e)

From 1st December 2011, only sails with the serial number #200505025 **or later** shall be used by A and B divisions and may be used by the C division at World or European Championships. (See C.2.3).