

Reporting Committee – Events

Other Committee – Windsurfing, Women's Sailing, Sailing

Olympic Regatta, Selection of Windsurfing Equipment

A submission from the Chairman of the Windsurfing Committee

PROPOSAL:

The Windsurfing Committee of the ISAF requests that ISAF hold trials in the late Spring/early Summer of 2003 to choose the Olympic Windsurfing equipment for the 2008 and 2012 Olympic regattas. Manufacturers of production one-design boards, Formula boards and board prototypes may participate.

The Trials should be held in an area that will provide a range of conditions that will allow the selected equipment to be sailed by the widest range of sailors, both men and women in all conditions. The Trials should be sailed using the same rigs and fin sizes on all boards to accurately test the performance of the board. The ISAF Technical Delegate and a Windsurfing Committee member present at these Trials should monitor changes to the fins and sails.

The Criteria for selection should be finalized at the November 2002 ISAF meeting by the Windsurfing Committee and approved by the Events Committee and Council.

Rig selection (mast, boom and sail) will be made by the Windsurfing Committee at the ISAF 2004 November meeting and approved by Council at the same meeting.

CURRENT POSITION:

There is no current position

REASON: