

International Race Officers

A submission from the Koninklijk Nederlands Watersport Verbond

Proposal:

At Grade 1 events at each race course an International Race Officer not coming from the country the event is being held shall officiate in addition to the course (national) Race Officer. The IRO shall have the same powers as at the Olympic Regatta.

Current Position:

None

Reasons:

Athletes' demands on Race Management are ever increasing. Race Officers take many influential decisions indeed probably more than an International Jury. Both for quality and perception an International Race Officer should ensure the Grade 1 standards and fairness.