

Regional Games

New Regulation

A submission from the Chairman of the Regional Games Committee

Proposal:

Add a new ISAF regulation:

‘Regional Games should send to ISAF the notice of races after the TD approval at least eight months before the date of the event. Events, classes and formats to be used cannot change after this notice is published in the ISAF website.’

Current Position:

None

Reason:

Some organizing authorities of Regional Games change events, formats and classes to their convenience even a month before the due date. Participating countries need at least six months to set up their teams, plan the travel arrangements and ask the NOC's for the budget required for the participation. Last minute changes are not fair for sailors. The event will be considered serious if there is a strict regulation because it will help to make it transparent and fair. Other sport federations, even with small regional games are terribly strict and have a standard set of requirements.