

### **Race Officials Committee**

#### Regulation 15.19

A submission from the Chairman of the Racing Rules Committee

#### Proposal:

#### **15.19 RACE OFFICIALS COMMITTEE**

##### **Constituting the Committee; Other Appointments**

**15.19.4 The Chairman of the Race Officials Committee shall appoint two members of the Racing Rules Q&A Panel and, together with the Chairman of the Racing Rules Committee, appoint the chairman of the panel.**

15.19.54 The Chairman of the Race Officials Committee may, for the purposes of **communication and cooperation** ~~liaison~~, appoint himself/herself or another member of the Committee as an ex-officio, non-voting member of the Racing Rules Committee.

15.19.65-15.19.7 - Reserved for future use.

#### **Terms of Reference**

15.19.8 The Race Officials Committee shall:

- (d) **(working together with the Racing Rules Committee) approve and publish on the ISAF website the ISAF Racing Rules Questions and Answers;** ~~implement a system to provide answers to questions concerning the application of rules and to provide an annual report summarizing them to the Racing Rules Committee, Equipment Control Sub-committee and appropriate Technical committees;~~

#### Current Position:

As above.

#### Reason:

In November 2004 Council decided that the Q&A Service should continue under the joint responsibility of the Chairman of the Racing Rules Committee and the Chairman of the Race Officials Committee. New Regulation 15.19.4 and the changes in Regulations 15.19.8 are proposed to implement this decision.

The changes in Regulation 15.19.5 are proposed to simplify and improve its wording and to make its wording consistent with other parts of the Regulations.

Note: This is a companion submission to the submission from the Chairman of the Racing Rules Committee proposing revisions in Regulation 15.21.