**ISAF Appointments**

ISAF Appointment of Chief Umpire, Jury Chair, Chief Measurer, Course Representative or Principal Race Officer

A submission from the Chairman of the Race Officials Committee

**Proposal**

Insert:

18.12.8 When ISAF exercises its right to appoint a Chief Umpire, Jury Chairman, Chief Measurer, Course Representative or Principal Race Officer (Race Officer when one course area will be used) the appointee shall respectively be an International Umpire, International Judge, Chief Measurer or International Race Officer.

and renumber current Regulation 18.12.8 and the following sections accordingly.

**Current Position**

The above is common ISAF practice but not stated in the Regulations.

**Reason**

When ISAF exercises its power of appointment, it is desirable that the Chief Umpire, Jury Chairman, Chief Measurer, Course Representative or Principal Race Officer (Race Officer when one course area will be used) be an IU, IJ, IM or IRO, respectively. This will achieve a number of objectives:

1. Assure consistent practices and procedures from event to event;
2. Provide skilled, well-trained officials;
3. Assure that ISAF policies and best-practices are followed;
4. Support the efforts of the ROC sub-committees; and
5. Support ISAF’s position in the event of a dispute is submitted to a tribunal (such as CAS).

This submission codifies ISAF’s practices.

This submission, if approved, would have no impact on events for which the relevant class association or the Organizing Authority appoints the race officials.