World Championships

Virtual World Championships

A submission from the Board

Purpose or Objective

To provide that virtual (or e-gaming) world championships are awarded by World Sailing only.

Proposal

Amend Regulation 25.6 as follows:

25.6 World Sailing may approve other events as World Championships upon written application by a National Authority, Class Association or an organizing authority (as defined in RRS). Only World Sailing may approve any virtual or e-gaming World Championship and any other world championship rights granted under Regulation 25 shall not be used for such an event.

Current Position

None.

Reasons

With the growth and rapid development of the e-gaming industry, it is vital that World Sailing is able to control and benefit from the commercial opportunities associated with this new area.