Equipment Rules of Sailing

ERS Definitions, ERS F.1.5 – Spreader

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Purpose or Objective

Add “Jumper/Diamonds” to the definition of spreader.

Proposal

Reword F 1.5. as follows:

**SPREADER (JUMPER/DIAMOND)**

Equipment used to brace a spar, attached at one end to the spar and the other end to rigging and working in compression when in use.

Current Position

As above.

Reason

Jumpers and Diamonds are not covered in the present definition of spreaders.