2024 Olympic Sailing Competition

Mixed Two Person Keelboat Offshore – Regulation 23.1.9

A submission from the Chairs of the Equipment Committee and Oceanic and Offshore Committee

Purpose or Objective

With respect to the Mixed Two Person Keelboat Offshore Event, to clarify the process to select equipment usable for qualification, and for the Olympic Event.

Proposal

Amend Regulation 23.1.9 as follows:

23.1.9 Notwithstanding any other Regulation, for the Mixed Two Person Keelboat Offshore Event at the 2024 Olympic Sailing Competition:

(a) no later than 31 December 2020, Council shall select a list of different equipment and approve the criteria that Equipment usable for qualification shall meet. A list with examples of equipment which meet the key criteria will be provided at that time, for the Event and may therefore be approved by Council at later dates as equipment to be used for qualification for the Olympic Event;

(b) no later than 31 December 2020, Council shall approve an additional set of criteria that Equipment for the Olympic Event shall meet;

(c) no later than 31 December 2023, Council shall select the Equipment for the Event from the list using the criteria approved under Regulation 23.1.9(ab).

Current Position

As above.

Reasons

1. By using criteria instead of “the list” for the Olympic equipment selection, Council could consider Equipment that may have been recently introduced, or missed in the formulation of the list.

2. By having two sets of criteria, one for qualification and one for the Olympic equipment, World Sailing can consider a more inclusive set of equipment for qualification.

3. The list of example equipment can be continually updated and used for guidance to MNA’s for qualification events or training.