The Equipment Rules of Sailing

Introduction - Applicability

A submission from the Chairman of the Equipment Committee

Proposal

Amend the ‘Applicability’ section as shown below:

**Applicability**

The ERS may be made applicable by:

(a) **Class Rules.**

(b) Adoption by a rating authority for racing under its jurisdiction.

(b) Adoption in the notice of race and sailing instructions for an event.

(c) Prescriptions of an MNA for **racing races** under its jurisdiction.

(d) **Other ISAF Regulations, Codes and rules adopted by Council.**

(e) **Other documents that govern races.**

Current Position

As above.

Reason

To clarify all the ways in which the ERS may be made applicable and to make the list consistent with the definition *Rule* in the racing rules. To make it clear that it is for races and not “racing” as this term may be confused with “while racing”.

Current (b) to be deleted as “rating rules” are covered by the defined term **class rules** and so dealt with by (a). See also Submission 009-10.