Equipment Rules of Sailing

Rule G.5.9

A submission from the Chairman of the Equipment Committee

Purpose or Objective

To add a new luff measurement point.

Proposal

G.5.9 Seven-Eighths Luff Point

The point on the luff equidistant from the head point and the three-quarter luff point.

Remainder of G.5 to be re-numbered accordingly.

Current Position

As above

Reason

1. To provide defined measurement points and measurements for an increasing number of classes that would like to control this area of the sail.

2. It is also very helpful to classes where the sail dimensions are not fixed and using upper width and upper luff point does not work due to affixed position being different on each sail.