

Racing Rules of Sailing

Rule J1.2(3) and Appendix K, Paragraph 4

A submission from the Chairman of the Para World Sailing Committee

Purpose or Objective

To eliminate confusion between sailor classification under Regulation 22 and functional classification for Para World Sailing events.

Proposal 1

Amend rule J1.2(3) as follows:

(3) any sailor classification requirements, or functional classification requirements for Para World Sailing events, that some or all competitors must satisfy (for sailor classification, see rule 79 and World Sailing Regulation 22, Sailor Classification Code; for functional classification see Para World Sailing Functional Classification System & Procedures Manual);

Proposal 2

Amend Appendix K, paragraph 4 as follows:

4 CLASSIFICATION

The following sailor classification requirements will apply (see RRS 79); functional classification requirements will apply: ______.

Both proposals are matters of clear necessity and pressing importance pursuant to Regulation 28.1.2 and are intended to become effective on 1 January 2017.

Current Position

As above.

Reason

To make it clear that there are two types of classification that may be used at events – sailor classification under rule 79 and Regulation 22 and functional classification for Para World Sailing events.