## **ISAF Youth Sailing World Championship**

**Submission:** 106-15

## Regulation 24.4

#### A submission from the Executive Committee

#### Purpose or Objective

This is a housekeeping submission reflecting the latest changes on the events and equipment and changing the order for an easier reading:

- 1. Dates
- 2. Eligibility
- 3. Events and Equipment
- 4. Decision process/timelines

#### Proposal

## ISAF Youth Sailing World Championships

- 24.4. The Name of the Championship shall be the ISAF Youth Sailing World Championships (the Championships). If there is a title sponsor, the title may be 'Sponsor' Youth Sailing ISAF World Championships, or 'Sponsor' may be inserted elsewhere in the Championships title, as approved by the ISAF Executive Committee.
- 24.4.1 The Championships will be held annually. <u>It shall start either on the second Saturday of</u> July or on 27 December of the year of the Championships, and shall finish eight days later.
- 24.4.2 To be eligible to participate in the Championships, all competitors shall be under the age of 19 years on 31 December of the year of the Championships.

# 24.4.3 The following events shall be included in the programme of the Championship: Events, Classes and Equipment

(a) Boy's One Person Dinghy - Laser Radial

Girl's One Person Dinghy - Laser Radial

Boy's Two Person Dinghy - 420

Girl's Two Person Dinghy - 420

Boy's Windsurfing - RS:X (with the 8.5 m rig)

Girl's Windsurfing - RS:X (with the 8.5 m rig)

Boy's Skiff - 29er

Girl's Skiff - 29er

Open High Performance Dinghy

Open Multihull - Sirena SL16

Note: The host organisers of the 2016 or 2017 Championships may require the 29er to be raced as a single open event.

- (b) Equipment shall be provided for the competitors, free of charge.
- (c) When an Event or Equipment of the Championships is changed
  - (i) The decision will be implemented as soon as practical; and
  - (ii) Pursuant to Regulation 24.1.2, no class shall remain on the approved list for more than four years without obtaining ISAF Class status.
- (d) Classes listed in this Regulation shall not hold a World or Youth Continental Championship that clashes with the dates of the Championships
- 24.4.4 The Ghampionship shall start either on the second Saturday of July or on 27 December of the year of the Championship, and shall finish eight days later.
- 24.4.5 4 The decision process and timelines for the Host Member National Authority for the Championships are:
- (a) Bids should be received from an ISAF Member National Authority by 1 August 5 years before the year of the event;
- (b) (a) The venue shall be decided by 31 December 4 years 28 February 3 years before the event Championships;
- (c) The equipment shall be decided by ISAF 3 years before the event;
- (d) (b) The contract between ISAF and the Organizers shall be signed not less than 2 years before the event Championships; and
- (c) The Notice of Race shall be approved by ISAF not less than 1 year before the event Championships.
- 24.4.6 Classes listed in Regulation 24.4.9 shall not hold a World or Youth Continental Championship that clashes with the dates of the Championship.
- 24.4.7 Only Classes listed in Regulation 24.4.9, may be selected for the ISAF Youth Sailing World Championship. Member National Authorities applying to host a Championship shall indicate their intended classes in their bid document.
- 24.4.8 Boats, sails and equipment shall be provided for the competitors, free of charge.
- 24.4.9 The Classes for the ISAF Youth Sailing World Championship are:

Boy's One Person Dinghy Laser Radial

Girl's One Person Dinghy Laser Radial

Boy's Two Person Dinghy - 420

Girl's Two Person Dinghy - 420

Boy's Windsurfer RS:X with the 8.5m rig

Girl's Windsurfer RS:X with the 8.5m rig

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Boys' Skiff - 29or"

Girls Skiff - 29er

Open Multihull - Sirena SL16

Note: With effect from 1 January 2015, the line "Open Skiff 29er" will be replaced with "Boys' Skiff 29er" and "Girls' Skiff 29er". This change will not apply to the 2015, 2016 or 2017 Championships unless the host organisers agree.

Pursuant to Regulation 24.1.2, no class shall remain on the approved list for more than four years without obtaining ISAF Class status.

#### **Current Position**

As above.

#### Reasons

- 1. Regulation 24.4.3 and 24.4.9 can be merged into one and this is consistent with Regulation 23.1.4 (Olympic Events and Equipment)
- 2. After the approval of submission 090-14, there is no choice of equipment for any of the events and MNAs do no longer have the option to select the equipment to be used at the Championships. Therefore Regulations 24.4.5 (c) and 24.4.7 may be deleted.
- 3. As this is a multiclass regatta, the world 'championship' in the name should be used in plural in the same way we use for the ISAF Sailing World Championships.
- 4. The word "event" should be used in this regulation to describe a fleet at the Championships, and not the Championships itself.