Olympic Sailing Competition 2016

Regional Olympic Qualifier


Proposal

The 2nd Olympic Games Qualifier for the quadrennium 2012-2016 will be a Continental Qualifier event and will be held in 2015 by respective International Class Associations in each continent (Continent defined as per IOC) unless ruled otherwise by ISAF. Classes will liaison with SWC or other continental events when possible to conduct the qualifiers. Quotas for Continents will be defined by ISAF in consultation with the Classes before May 2011.

Current Position

International Class Associations World Championships are the second qualifier for the Olympic Games

Reason

1. Currently International Class Associations conduct the 2nd Qualifier for the Olympic Games which is their respective World Championships.

2. International Class Associations have knowledge of where the sailors are in different continents and would be able to continue to conduct the 2nd Qualifier as before but in each of the continents.

3. International Class Associations do conduct continental events and hence do not have to create new events where not necessary.

4. International Class Association have a contract with ISAF and hence will be obliged to follow all criteria as per ISAF guidelines for these qualifiers.

5. This will the best way to conduct the regional Qualifiers as per IOC guidelines and Olympic Commission report.