Racing Rules of Sailing

Appendices J, K and L

A submission from the Chairman of the Racing Rules Committee

Proposal

Appendix J

J1.2 The notice of race shall include any of the following that will apply and that would help competitors decide whether to attend the event or that conveys other information they will need before the sailing instructions become available:

(2) that competitor advertising will be restricted to Category A or that boats will be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority (see ISAF Regulation 20) and other information related to Regulation 20;

J2.2 The sailing instructions shall include those of the following that will apply:

(1) that competitor advertising will be restricted to Category A (see ISAF Regulation 20) and other information related to Regulation 20;

Appendix K

2 ADVERTISING

See ISAF Regulation 20. Include other applicable information related to Regulation 20.

2.1 Competitor advertising will be restricted to Category A as follows: ________.

See ISAF Regulation 20.4 and 20.

2.2 Boats may [shall] [may] be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

Appendix L

21 ADVERTISING

See ISAF Regulation 20.3(d) 20. Insert necessary information on the advertising material.

Boats [shall] [may] display advertising supplied by the organizing authority as follows: ________.
Notes:

(1) The Racing Rules Committee be authorized to make such further changes to the above as may be consequent on any further revision to Regulation 20 in November 2009.

(2) The changes are of clear necessity (Regulation 31.1.2), as they are solely a consequence of the changes to Regulation 20, and it is recommended they take effect from 1 January 2010.

Current Position

As above.

Reason

Current Appendices J, K and L were finalized and published before Regulation 20 was extensively revised in November 2008. They are now in need of revision because they refer to parts of Regulation 20, including categories and regulations numbers, that were changed or eliminated in November 2008.

It is likely that Regulation 20 will undergo further revision in November 2009. However, without knowing the details of the proposed 2009 revisions to Regulation 20 it is not possible, prior to 1 August 2009, to propose explicit wording to bring those appendices into accord with what will be the 2010 version of Regulation 20.

The proposed procedure will enable the Racing Rules Committee and the Council, during the November 2009 meetings in Korea, to make the housekeeping changes necessary to make Appendices J, K and L consistent with Regulation 20.

To avoid continued conflict between Appendices J, K and L and the Advertising Code, these housekeeping changes should take effect on 1 January 2010.