Rules of Sailing

New Rule X64.3(b)

A submission from the International Kiteboarding Association

Purpose or Objective

Include necessary changes to the new kiteboarding Appendix X that are currently not part of it.

Proposal

Amend the new kiteboarding course racing rules Appendix (Appendix X) as follows:

64.3 Decisions on Measurement Protests

(b) When the protest committee is in doubt relating to any matter concerning the measurement of a board, the interpretation of the class rule, or damage of a board about the meaning of a measurement rule, it shall refer its questions, together with the relevant facts, to an authority responsible for interpreting the rule. In making its decision, the committee shall be bound by the reply of the authority.

Current Position

As above

Reasons

The above changes refer to the structure of the new kiteboarding Appendix X (or letter as found appropriate by the Racing Rules Working party).

The existing rule 64.3(b) does not cover questions relating to the interpretation of the class rules and damages.