The following amendments to the Class Rules have been approved to be effective 1st December 2010 by the Class Rules Sub Committee.

**Rule A.6 - Class rule changes at events**

**Amendment:** Change the existing rules as follows:

A.6.1 At World, Continental or Regional Championships the notice of race and sailing instructions may vary only with the agreement of the ICA and the ISAF.

A.6.2 At National events the notice of race and sailing instructions may vary only with the agreement of the NCA and the MNA.

**Rule C.17.4 – Gold Mainsail Logo’s**

**Amendment:** add to the end of the existing:

C.17.4 MAINSAIL

(a) IDENTIFICATION

(3) The blue 470 mainsail insignia as per G.3.1 may be replaced by a gold version conforming to the same dimensions when at least one member of crew is an Olympic or World Champion.

**Rule C.12.4 - Jib Halyard HoistHeight**

**Amendment:** Replace Jib Haylard Height with:

The Distance between mast datum point and the intersection of the spar and the lower edge of the jib halyard, when at 90° to the spar, each extended as necessary 4870 mm min

**Rule C.12.6 (a) - Fore-aft mast control at deck level**

**Amendment:** Change the existing rules as follows:

C.12.6 (a) USE

(1) The fore and aft bend of the mast spar may be controlled at the mast partner by one of the following devices:

(i) Chocks between the mast spar and the mast partner (forward of the mast).

(ii) Optional system of ropes or wires which may include attachments, blocks, levers, grips and cleats, all located on top of the mast partner.

**Rule - G.3.3 Mainsail and Headsail Windows**

**Amendment:** Change the existing rules as follows:
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Change existing rules as follows:

G.3.3(e) The following are permitted: Stitching, glues, tapes, bolt ropes, corner eyes, headboard with fixings, Cunningham eye or pulley, batten pocket patches which may be made from a woven ply thinner than that of the body of the sail, batten pocket elastic, top batten pocket end cap at luff end and tensioning device at leech end, leech line with cleat on leech, not more than two single ply windows, one boom slide fixed at the clew, tell tales, sail shape indicator stripes, sail identification, sailmaker labels, sail button/sticker, certification mark.

G.4.2(e) The following are permitted: Stitching, glues, tapes, tabling, corner eyes, flutter patches, batten pocket patches which may be made from a woven ply thinner than that of the body of the sail, not more than two single ply windows, tell tales, sail shape indicator stripes, sail identification, sailmaker labels, sail button/sticker, certification mark.

In G.3.4 and G.4.3 Modify “Window area” to “Total area of Windows” (with same existing limits).....