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The following amendments to the Class Rules have been approved to be effective 1st March 2003.

Rule 4.5.3 WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION AND CENTRE OF GRAVITY: PRACTICE

Amendment: Delete sixth sentence "The oscillations shall be small but should not become damped in less than about 100 periods." and insert the following: "The peak to peak movements of the bow shall remain between 200mm and 160mm during the time when the period of oscillation is measured."

Rule 4.9.1.4.

Amendment: Delete current rule 4.9.1.4.

Rule 5.7.1

Amendment: Delete current rule and replace with the following words: "Except on a beat to windward, when surfing (rapidly accelerating down the leeward side of a wave) or planing is possible, the helmsman may pull the sheet in order to promote surfing or planing, but not more than three times for each wave or gust of wind. Three pulls are allowed, whether or not the boat starts to surf or plane during this procedure (Alters RRS 42.3(b).)"
