2012 Games – Possible 11th Event

A submission from Yachting Australia

Proposal

1. That any submissions made to the 2009 Mid Year Meeting, or deferred from the 2008 Annual Meeting, relating to the choice of Event or Equipment for a possible 11th Event be deferred and

2. That Council note that the Executive Committee will make a decision, based on these deferred submissions, immediately the position on the IOC has been clarified.

Current Position

In November 2008 there was an understanding that if the IOC decision had not been clarified by May 2009, ISAF would make a decision on the Event and Equipment to be used for the 11th Event should it be retained.

Reason

The decision on the 11th Event is still to be made by the IOC. The outcome remains very unclear. Any decisions made by ISAF at this time are premature and may send the wrong signal to the IOC and the sailing community at large.

At the same time it is important that sailors know as soon as possible what Equipment and Event are to be used for the 11th Event at the Olympic Sailing Regatta in 2012 if it becomes available. The Executive Committee are in a position to act immediately the IOC position on the 11th Event is clarified.