**ISAF Events**

Include Kiteboarding in ISAF events

A submission from the International Kiteboarding Association

**Purpose or Objective**

To include kiteboarding in ISAF events

**Proposal**

To action council decision from May 2012 and amend the regulations accordingly.

**Current Position**

Kiteboarding is currently not included in ISAF events.

**Reasons**

In May 2012 council has decided to include kiteboarding in ISAF events, namely the Sailing World Cup and the ISAF Sailing World Championships.

This decision is minuted in Nr. 11 (b)(i) and (iv) of the Council minutes.

The Windsurfing and Kiteboarding Committee has made recommendations in November 2012 on when (“immediate”) and how (“Short Track Format using Formula Kite Equipment”) to implement the decisions. This recommendation has been approved by events committee and council in November 2012.

It is now time to action the decision and to change the regulations accordingly.

Including Kiteboarding already now in ISAF major events would be also a supporting argument in ISAF’s task to request additional medals for kiteboarding from the IOC, showcasing to the IOC that everything that can be done on ISAF’s side has been done and implemented.