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C.6 BOAT

C.6.1 MODIFICATIONS

Amend to implement the changes voted at the EGM during the 2019 Europeans to read:

- a) Shockcord with a maximum diameter of 5mm, rings, ropes of any length and diameter, plastic balls, and blocks with a maximum sheave diameter of 20mm may be added for the following functions:
 - i. lift the cunningham block system and/or trapezes and/or pull out the jib sheet car.
 - ii. indicate the rake position of the daggerboards and/or the mainsheet.
 - iii. lead the jib sheets, trapezes, trapeze take up, tack line, righting line, rotation of the mast spanner, spinnaker sheets, jib halyard, spinnaker halyard, mainsheet, cunningham line, worm wheel.
 - iv. take up within the beams.
 - v. dampen the tiller bar and
 - vi. create mast rotation marks.
 - vii. Schockcord and ropes may also be used to secure items, to prevent catching of any part and in the place of washers.
- b) Adhesive tape may be applied above the waterline.
- c) Fasteners may be replaced or added and, where required to facilitate a repair, the fitting may be modified to accommodate slightly larger fixings with the following exception: Beam bolts, may only be replaced by Nacra supplied bolts.
- d) To facilitate advertising, the application of vinyl, mylar or other plastic film over the surfaces of the hull, sails and spars is permitted provided that the film shall not be specially textured or otherwise manufactured in a way that could improve the character of the flow of water or air inside the boundary layer.
- e) The righting line may be changed to a minimum diameter of 5 mm and a minimum length of 4500 mm.
- f) Any cleat including integrated fairlead may be replaced with a cleat of similar size and design of any material.
- g) Blocks and block systems and associated fittings may be replaced with blocks or block systems that must comply with the number of sheaves, dimensions, tolerances and remarks as stated in PART III- Appendices, with the following exceptions:
 - i. The mainsheet system number of sheaves may be altered to achieve a maximum purchase of 12:1 and a minimum purchase of 10:1, only one

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ratchet block is allowed in the mainsheet system.

- ii. The block on the jib track car may have a double sheave block or single sheave block to create a 2:1 purchase, as listed in appendix section I.
- iii. The four supplied blocks for the Gennaker sheets, may be changed to any type of block with a minimum sheave diameter of 38mm and a maximum of 60mm
- h) The attachment fittings of the mainsheet blocks and mainsheet block system, from the strap on the sail and to the traveler car eye, may be replaced by attachment fittings of any length of ropes, shackles or other items and their combinations. Both ends of blocks and block systems including all attachment fittings, must remain in the straight line from the traveler car eye to the strap on the sail. Any other attachment of blocks may be replaced by attachments of substantially the same size and design.
- i) The bolts securing the lower daggerboard bearing to the hull may be replaced by longer bolts. The daggerboard hold down system lines may be connected to eye bolts or eye nuts fastened to the longer bolts.

Amendment Three

C.8 HULL APPEDNAGES

C.8.1 MODIFICATIONS:

Amend to implement the changes voted at the EGM during the 2019 Europeans to add:

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(h) The aft 10mm of the elevator along the trailing edge may be sanded. The distance between the leading edge and the trailing edge shall not be reduced. At 1mm from the trailing edge the thickness shall be no less than 0.6mm.

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