RRS/ERS-Working Party

Working Party Report 2018

The RRS/ERS-Working Party consists of four members, Helmut Czasny (AUT), Bas Edmonds (GBR), Pilar Lopez (ESP) and Nathan Titcomb (USA).

As the main objective for the working party is streamline mainly equipment related rules in the RRS with definitions provided by the ERS and vice versa and a number of rules in part 4 and Appendix G of the RRS had been identified as the main target, the working party's focus was to produce a submission which reflects the needs of both RRS and ERS.

After in-depth consultation and discussions with members of Racing Rules Committee, Equipment Rules SC and Equipment Committee, the working party produced submission 179-18 with the proposed new part 8.

For 2019, if 179-18 is approved, proposal 2 of the submission would require the working party to update the new part 8 with wording that is consistent with ERS.

In addition, members of the working party took part in meetings of the ERS working party, the Equipment committee and provided guidance for the World Sailing Technical department on RRS related questions.

Helmut Czasny
chairman