Changes to the Class Constitution

A submission from the Ocean Racing Multihull Class

PROPOSAL:
Amendments to the Class constitution approved at the General Assembly meeting

1. Add:

Preamble
The origin of the 60ft Multihull Championship was created in 1991 at the initiative of the company ROYALE PRODUCTION.
The events of the championship are entered in the calendar of events of ISAF and the Federations of organising countries.
To conform to the regulations of the sporting authorities, the founding members of the championship, founded in 1993 at the initiative of Philippe Facque, the association of the ORMA class with the object of assuring the development, organisation and the promotion of the Championship and guaranteeing sporting conditions.

2. Objects
Delete: "1. promote races or other sporting events which are open to ocean-racing multihulls and which meet the standards drawn up by the Association and, in particular, to promote the 60-foot ocean-racing multihull championship, the rules of which are attached as an appendix hereto,
Insert: "1. the development, organisation and the promotion of the Championship open to ocean-racing multihulls of 60 feet conforming to the standards detailed by the association."
Delete: "2. protect and develop of a fleet of ocean-racing multihull boats which satisfy the criteria provided under the rules and the Association,"
Insert: "2. the development of a fleet of ocean-racing multihull boats, conceived, designed and constructed to conform to the measurement rules and technical regulations defined by the association.

3. Term
Delete: "The Association has been established to last for a period of fifty years starting from the date upon which the statement was made according to the statute of 1901. It may be deferred by a decision made in an Extraordinary General Meeting."
Insert: "The term of the association is unlimited."
Insert new Item 6.

4. Affiliation
The association is affiliated to the International Sailing Federation (ISAF) and the Federation Francaise de Voile (FFV).
Renumbered from 6 to 7. Membership

7.1 delete: “who are having built”

Insert: "The status of a member is associated with a multihull conforming to the measurement rules and the technical rules defined by the association, regularly controlled by the competent authorities and with a valid measurement certificate. The status of a member ceases immediately when the criteria on which the application was accepted has disappeared. Nevertheless the skipper of a boat classed in the multihull championship of the year is considered to maintain the right to be a member of the association for the following year, even if he does not fulfil all of the conditions listed in this article. He does not have the right to vote except only as prescribed in article 14.1.1 of these statutes."

Renumber from 7 to 8 - Honorary members -

Delete present rule and

Insert: "Subject to ratification at the next meeting, the Council of Administration has the ability to nominate members of honour or founding members and"

*New Items up to Item 39 to follow.*

**CURRENT POSITION:**

See above

**REASON:**

To be confirmed