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The following amendments to the Class Rules have been approved by the Class Rules Sub committee to be effective 16th July 2010.

Rule C.3

Amendment: Replace the existing rule with:

C.3.1. The maximum **crew** weight in swimming apparel is 338.6kg with no limit on numbers of crew.

C.3.2. No **crew** member shall be substituted during an event of less than 6 consecutive days or that has pre race weigh in without the approval of the race committee.

Rule C.4.2.

New Rule:

C.4.2(b)(ix) Lashing, tape, and other preventative materials applied to the rigging, furler, and other fittings in order prevent the snagging of sails and sheets.

Rule C.5.1(a)

Amendment: add to the end "See Boat Weight Measurement Form Appendix H.6."

Rule C.6.1(d), C.6.1(e)

Amendment: Delete

(d) The mainsail shall be flaked or rolled on the boom between race days of a series except during an emergency or repair

(e) In non-class events (handicap races) boats may carry one large genoa of any material.

Rule

New Rule: Delete

C.8.1(b) Use

- (i) The mast chock shall not be adjusted while racing.
- (ii) <u>The mast shall remain chocked at the deck level for the duration of a</u> regatta, which is defined as a series of races held over six or fewer consecutive days including any lay day.
- C.8.4 STANDING RIGGING
- (b) The forestay shall not be adjusted whilst racing
- (c) The forestay shall not be adjusted during a regatta, which is defined as a series of races held over <u>six or fewer</u> consecutive days including any lay day.

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Rule C.8.2 Boom

Amendment: Dimensions (a)

Boom Weight

10.9 9.6 kg

Rule C.8.3(b)(iv)

New Rule:

A batten not to exceed 150mm may be added to the end of the C.8.3(b)(iv) bowsprit as a preventer for the gennaker sheet.

Rule C.8.4(c)

New Rule:

C.8.4(c) Lashing may be used to secure the upper backstay to the lower backstay legs or the lower legs to the backstay chainplates, provided the lashing does not exceed a span of 100mm.

Rule C.8.5(a)(vii)

New Rule:

C.8.5(a)(vii) Additional fairleads or blocks attached to the stanchion bases or chainplates may be used together with additional associated lines to: (1) create an additional jib sheet position outboard of the jib

sheet track provided the block remains within the sheerline (2) create a barberhauler for the jib sheet that allows the jib sheet to be positioned further outboard (3) create a barberhauler for the gennaker sheet (4) lead halyard tails aft to the cockpit"

Rule C.4.2(a)(iv)

Amendment: Reduce the minimum required battery weight from 8kg to 2kg:

(iv) Permanently mounted operable navigation lights, a 12 volt battery (82kg min, 25kg max)

(Note: changing battery types can have a significant effect on the boats weight which may require additional corrects weights to be carried.)

Amendment:

Move class rule C.9.1 to C.5.2.(d)