# **International Measurers Sub-committee**

Submission: **007-13** 

Terms of Reference –Regulation 6.9.8.3

A submission from the Chairman of Race Officials Committee

## Purpose or Objective

To clarify an existing clause of the International Measurers Sub-committee's terms of reference and specify the responsibility for recommending equipment inspection policies at major events.

## **Proposal**

6.9.8.3 The International Measurers Sub-committee shall:

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(c) with the help of the Chief Measurer / Chief Executive Officer, disseminate information to and communicate with International Measurers and Member National Authorities;

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(k) consider and recommend equipment inspection policies for the Olympic Sailing Competition and ISAF Events, in consultation with the Equipment Committee;

Renumber current items (k)-(l) as (l)-(m)

### **Current Position**

As above.

### Reasons

- 1. Existing 6.9.8.3(c): There is no appointed ISAF Chief Measurer since the late 1980's, and the ISAF CEO is not mentioned in the terms of reference of the other Race Officials Subcommittees.
- 2. New 6.9.8.3(k): The International Measurers Sub-committee is the body within ISAF appointed because of their measurement and equipment inspection skills and expertise. Also, the International Measurers are the most experienced equipment inspectors of the ISAF Classes and thus, in a good position to recommend equipment inspection policies based on their experience and best practices. There is a need for greater consistency between all ISAF events and these should show the way forward for other events. It is appropriate therefore to include the items listed in the terms of reference for the IMSC.