Policy Decisions of Council

A Regulation to ensure policy decisions of Council are made public, published and accessible.

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Purpose or Objective

To ensure Policy Decisions passed by Council as per Constitution Article 68(a) are published and codified for easy access by Members.

Proposal

New Regulation: tentatively #14 which should be transferred to Administration (or as decided by the Constitution Committee)

World Sailing shall publish and make accessible on its website, in a conspicuous place, as it does for the Constitution and Regulations, the policy decisions of Council.

Current Position

There is no current Regulation

Reasons

1. Council is entitled by Article 68(a) of the Constitution, to make Policy Decisions that the Board is responsible to implement. However, it is not clear to members what these policies are or where they are kept.

2. This new regulation will ensure that policy decisions are kept in an accessible place and can be accessed by all members.

3. There should be no significant cost as these policies should already be kept by the Board in order to fulfil their existing responsibilities. Having them available to all members will ensure that members can see how the Board is fulfilling its responsibilities.