Regulation 10.5(f)(iii)

Requirements to Maintain World Sailing Class Designation

A submission from the International 420 Class Association, International 470 Class Association, International Lightning Class Association, International Platu 25 Class Association, and the Chairman of the World Sailing Classes Committee

Purpose or Objective
Housekeeping

Proposal

Amend Regulation 10.5(f)(iii) as follows:

- have at least one World Sailing recognized class International Measurer (see Regulation 31.1(d)). This Regulation 10.5(f)(iii) applies

  (a) For new World Sailing Classes, 24 months after designation as World Sailing Class Association

  (b) For existing World Sailing Classes, not before 31 December 2022. Regulation 10.5.(f)(iii)(b) ceases on 1 January 2023;

Current Position
As above

Reasons

1. The requirement to have an International Class Measurer was added during the 2019 Annual Conference

2. There have been virtually no international events in 2020.

3. To be appointed IM for a class, an applicant must attend a minimum of 2 major class events.

4. For new classes and existing classes without a class IM, it is not possible to comply without interim period. If a class is holding one World Championship per year, it takes a minimum of 2 years for an IM applicant to be appointed as IM for that class.

5. The timelines set out above take into account that the current pandemic might continue into 2021 and may require further adjustments in the future.