Minutes of the WSC meeting 12-13/05/2021

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Dana Garcia	DG		Manon Costard	MC
Larry Gisler	LG		Donal Connolly	DC
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Richard Carlson	RC			

1. Request of Pro Organiser to not mandatory use BPMS and relative reride rules:

As this is a completely new rule and is creating some controversy, WSC has decided to postpone the mandatory use of BPMS at Pro Events until the end of 2021. It is still recommended to use BPMS as an informational tool and report on it's use should be sent by the Chief Judge to WSC. CM will send a letter to all organiser informing of the changes.

Rule 8.15 will be changed accordingly:

8.15: Boat Path/End Course Video

Boat Path Measurement System

A Boat Path Measurement System, (BPMS) is required for Titled Events (World or Confederation) World Cup and Elite Events during which all passes at 14.25 and shorter must be monitored with applicable tolerances and rules applied.

BPMS is recommended for "R" and "L" events. If used officially in "R" or "L" events, all passes at 11.25 and shorter must be monitored with applicable tolerances and rules applied. If used unofficially (information only) all rules regarding End Course Video must be followed (see BPMS not in use).

When used for information only, the Chief Judge should submit a report to the WSC describing how it was used and what issues – if any – were seen during the event.

BPMS may be RTK-GPS or Video based. The use of RTK-GPS systems is strongly recommended.

2. Request to not mandatory use BPMS and relative reride rules for Titled events:

WSC believe it is premature to take a decision now and should wait one month to take a final decision, during which time additional feedback will be gathered and changes made to the rule if considered necessary.

3. Competition approval on EMS:

WSC believe that all events, apart from the Titled one which are controlled by the IWWF Office, are under the Jurisdictions of the relative Federation and therefore registration/controll is always up to them.

4. Homologation verification on EMS:

Each Confederation will control the events happening on their territory. A list of random checks will be made every year and the list will be posted.

For PANAM, it will be requested to Bob if he can assist.

5. Ranking verification on EMS:

Each Confederation will control that the correct competition scores, for the event organised on their territory, will be uploaded to EMS.

For PANAM, it will be requested to Bob if he can assist.

5. The requiring of a Level 1 Scorer at Cash Prize and Elite Events.

In the US, we have run many Elite and Cash Prize Events with a Senior US Scorer. This added level is not feasible and not necessary. I do agree, however, with the Level 1 Requirement to Score World title events

WSC agrees on the request the rule will be changed accordingly:

3.06: Harmonisation of Officials Grades

As there is generally only one Scorer and one Homologator at a competition, standards need to be stringent. Homologators at Cash Prize, Elite and Titled Events must be Level 1. Scorers must be Level 1 at Titled Events and minimum Level 2 at Cash Prize and Elite events. Only Level 1 Scorers and Homologators will be permitted to work at Cash Prize, Elite or Titled events.