

Form for Proposal for Rule Change

1. Proposals for Rule Changes must be submitted by the relevant Committee / Advisory Group to the Rules Advisory Group by email (RulesAdvisoryGroup@gmail.com) in 'Word' (.doc or .docx) form.
2. Deleted text must be entered in the "Existing Rule" box with strikethroughs as appropriate i.e. ~~deleted text~~.
3. New text must be entered in the "Proposed Rule" box in bold lettering and underlined i.e. **new text**.
4. New rules or rule changes become effective in accordance with GCR 180.

Committee: Nav sub-Comm	
Rule Number: App 34, Rule 2.1	
Detail Reasons for Proposed Rule Change: a) allowance for situations such as this year, where "natural" date for 1 st event is 30 Sept/1 Oct b) rules re cancelled rounds proved inadequate this year when two events were cancelled - one due weather, one due Insurance	
Effective Date: 29 September 2017 (1 st Event 30 Sept/1 Oct)	
<p>Existing Rule:</p> <p>2. EVENTS TO COUNT.</p> <p>2.1. The Championship will be held over 6 months, from October to March and will include a total of eight events. A competitor counts points on their best performance in six events from the eight rounds towards his/her final score for the Championship. There will be a reserve event which, subject to Art 2.3 below, will be considered as a Championship event in the event that one of the 8 designated qualifying rounds is cancelled or excluded.</p>	<p>Proposed Rule:</p> <p>2. EVENTS TO COUNT.</p> <p>2.1. The Championship will <u>normally</u> be held over 6 months, from October to March and will include a total of eight events. <u>Subject to Art 10.7 below, Total final Points for a competitor will be calculated from</u> points on their best performance in six events from the eight rounds, <u>but in the event that the number of counting rounds is reduced for any reason, then the number of rounds to count towards their final score (including towards bonus points as per 4.4 & 10.7 below) will be similarly reduced.</u> There will be a reserve event which, will be <u>designated</u> as a Championship event in the event that one of the 8 <u>originally</u> designated qualifying rounds is cancelled or excluded, <u>provided that the cancellation or exclusion of one of the designated events is announced more than 14 days before the reserve event is to take place.</u></p>

Signed:



Chairman

Date: 30th May 2017/23 Sept 2017

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Approved by RAG

Date: 27/09/2017

Confirmed by MSC

Date: