



CIVL 2023 PLENARY – ANNEXE 23 G PROPOSAL BUREAU – MEETINGS

Background

Means of communication updated and simplification. Bureau underlines that Team Leaders meetings are not mandatory but at the Meet Directors' initiative.

Current text

Section 7 Common

7.1 Pilot's Briefing

The Meet Director shall hold a briefing for Team Leaders and/or competitors before each task, at which full meteorological and operational information concerning the tasks shall be given. Task, weather, airspace information, and any special requirements shall be in writing. If possible, a meteorologist prepared to answer questions from pilots shall give weather briefings.

Flight safety requirements given at briefing shall carry the status of regulations.

Briefings may be postponed from the set time in the event of bad weather and further briefings be given if necessary.

All briefings must be conducted in English.

7.2 Team Leaders' Meetings

In XC, communication between the organisers and competitors is normally through Team Leaders meeting, although pilots normally attend a daily task briefing also. In Aerobatics, all pilots must attend the morning briefing. In Accuracy, pilots may attend with Team Leaders at the morning briefing.

Typically, these meetings review the previous day's flying, report on any incidents or safety issues, and provide logistical and weather information for the day ahead. It is also the opportunity for Team Leaders to raise any issues.

Team Leaders Meetings are held at the Meet Director's initiative but shall also be held within 18 hours if five or more Team Leaders request a meeting with the Organisation.

New text

Section 7 Common

7.1 Communication

The organiser will set up a group on a messaging platform such as Telegram and ensure that all pilots and team leaders are in the group. All official information about required meeting or events transportation to launch, availability of results, day cancellations, etc. will be done via this group. The organizer must choose a messaging platform (such as Telegram, WhatsApp, email... Telegram is suggested but not required) that all competitors are able to use free of charge. The group must be established one week prior to the start of the event and used for messages about transportation and practice days.

The Meet Director shall hold a briefing for competitors before each task, at which full meteorological and operational information concerning the task shall be given. Task, weather, airspace information, and any special requirements shall be in writing. If possible, a meteorologist prepared to answer questions from pilots shall give weather briefings. Flight safety requirements given at briefing shall carry the status of regulations. Briefings may be postponed from the set time in the event of bad weather and further briefings be given if necessary. All briefings must be conducted in English.

This applies also to Accuracy and Aerobatic (read 'round' or 'run' iso 'task').

7.2 Meetings

Communication between the organisers and competitors is achieved through web/mobile applications (such as Telegram, WhatsApp, email...), Team Leaders' meetings and pilots' briefings.

A Team Leaders meeting is held at the Meet Director's initiative. It shall also be held within 18 hours if five or more Team Leaders request it..

In Aerobatics, all pilots must attend the morning briefing.

In Accuracy, pilots may attend the Team Leaders morning briefing.