

PROPOSAL FOR IGC PLENARY 2015

by Poland

Subject: Changing Team Cup calculation formula

It is proposed to change para 8.5 of Annex A to SC3 as follows :

8.5.3 The competitor's Relative Score = competitor's day score + (1000 – the day score of the winner in the same class).

(The difference between competitors within one class remain exactly the same for any competition day.)

8.5.4 The Competitor will receive a daily score if he takes a launch that day and if his class has a valid Championship Day (8.2.1).

8.5.5 The Team's daily Total Score is the average of the Relative Score for the Team pilots

Reasons supporting proposal:

This proposal addresses several drawbacks of current Team Cup formulation which appeared during 2014 WGCs. First, intermediate calculation of Class Daily score is removed as this score is largely influenced by distribution of pilots among classes thus distorting the real potential of the team. Second, Relative Score is equalizing every competition day to 1000 points thus increasing the value of weak days contrary to what our scoring system does for individual results. Proposed formula is keeping competitors relative score at appropriate level emphasizing absolute gap between his result and the winner's rather than relative difference.