Year-1

Proposal from Spain on behalf of the Scoring Software Working Group.

Rationale:

This year on a couple of CAT I Championships the chief scorer, changed the handicaps of the club class gliders and/or the scoring scripts without notifying the Chief Steward or the President of the Jury or in one case even the CD.

Proposal:

In order to improve the transparency on the scoring process, to mandate to the scoring program to print the checksum (aka message digest 5 – MD5) of the key elements of the computing process (Handicap list, configuration data, program itself, scoring script if exists, etc., ...).

Those MD5 values will be printed along with the results of the day, so any change can be detected by the jury, stewards, CD or team captains comparing with the values of the previous days.

If any change on the MD5 values from previous days needs to be explained to everyone.