Proposal from the IGC Bureau to the 2008 IGC Plenum

Election of IGC Bureau members

Proposal:

The IGC Bureau proposes that the members of the Bureau (President, Vice-Presidents and Secretary) be elected for terms of two-years. The first Bureau which this apply to is the Bureau elected at the Plenary meeting in 2009.

The election shall be staggered so that the President plus 2 VPs are elected the same year and 1st VP plus 3 VPs in the alternate year

Reason:

The FAI general Conference has approved (2007) the change to the FAI By-Laws Commissions to allow Bureau members to be elected for terms of two-years.

Historically the Presidents, Vice-Presidents and Secretaries ("the Bureau") of the Air Sport General Commission, Air Sport Commissions and Technical Commissions were only permitted to serve for terms of one-year. By comparison, the position of FAI President and Executive Board positions are only contested every two years.

This change aligns the privileges of the Air Sport General Commission and Air Sport and Technical Commissions with the election protocols for the FAI officers.

This would provide a degree of stability for Commission Bureaus, which may assist with the development of major projects within the Commission.