



CIVL 2017 PLENARY – ANNEX 7 V5 BUREAU ACTIVITY REPORT APPROVAL OF BUREAU DECISIONS

** Require Plenary approval.*

February 2016

*** Updated Common Section 7.**

2.5.2 – Defined when the composition of a national team must be declared.

2.5.3 – Defined results published in competition with non-Continental pilots.

6.4.1 – Modified agreement process when local regulations are changed during a competition.

*** Updated Section 7B Aerobatic.**

1.1.1 – Definition of the flight box and of the no-fly area.

2.2 – Eligibility to compete. Inclusion of criteria for Synchro team.

8.3 – Lowered the deadline for complaints from 2 to 1 hour after the publication of provisional results.

*** Decided that Common Section 3.1 Sanction fees/Amount of fees would not apply for 2016 World and Continental Championships as it may have consequences on budgets voted earlier with little time to adapt.**

*** Updated WPRS formula to implement the new number of minimum tasks needed to validate a Cat. 2 event in XC and Accuracy.**

*** Decided to modify WPRS formula so Ta, which is used to devalue the number of points awarded to a competition depending on the number of tasks/rounds, is the same in Accuracy and XC (3 tasks for maximum validity).**

—Implemented a 'Women Dynamic' Working Group.

—Published 11 News on our website.

March 2016

*** Agreed to suspend Note 2 of Point 6 of the CCC requirements document: the weight range for paraglider models will be the same in 2016 than in 2015.**

*** Published the local regulations for the 2nd FAI World Paragliding Aerobatic championship in Lac d'Annecy, France.**

*** Approved change of Chief Judge for the 3rd FAI Asian Paragliding Accuracy Championship in Taldykorgan, Kazakhstan.**

*** Agreed on CIVL transgender policy. The pilot is of the gender shown on his/her identification papers.**

—Worked on software strategy.

—Asked our Safety Officers to review Safe Pro Delta and Para.

—Discussed conditions in which the IPPI Card can be issued by NACs and other entities.

—Approved and published minutes of the Plenary.

—Discussed with the competition organizers the selection criteria for the test event of the 2017 World Paragliding Championship in Pedavena, Italy.

—Worked on CIVL 'Vision' of our software in the close and not so close future.

—Published 5 News on our website.

April 2016

*** Reviewed again Common Section 7 and specific Section 7A-B-C and D. Made cosmetic changes in agreement with the concerned Committees.**

- * Reviewed Section 7B with the Aerobatic Committee and made suggested changes as allowed by the 2016 Plenary.
- * Updated the Local Regulations of all 2016 championships so they would be in line with the decisions of the 2016 Plenary, including the restructured Section 7.
- * Suspended the implementation of two decisions from the 2015 Plenary concerning WPRS: yearly winners and classification per age group. The first one because it is analysed that we have first to better promote current WPRS winners before inventing new ones; the second because we know the date of birth of too few pilots.
- Took part in a Workshop ‘FAI World Air Games lesson learned’.
- Published 6 News on our website.

May 2016

- Published Section 7.
- Suspended Hary Utama for all Judge or Jury duty for improper behaviour.
- Nominated Katja Virshki i.s.o. Hary Utama as juror for the Asian PG Accuracy.
- Implemented a Temporary Working Group to revise SafePro Para.
- To partially solve the financial consequences of having not enough pilots in the Asian Paragliding Accuracy Championship in Kazakhstan, allowed the local NAC to have a ‘Junior’ team in addition to the official one.
- Following the ‘FAI World Air Games lesson learned’ Workshop, discussed in our Committees our future ‘Special Events’.
- Published 2 News on our website.

June 2016

- * Agreed to extend the deadline for the second allocation round of the European PG XC from June 9 to June 14.
- Nominated Dalia Vainiene i.s.o. Tone Tursic as juror for the European PG Accuracy.
- Participated in the FAI Commission Presidents meeting with the Executive Board in Greece.
- Denied a request to create a WPRS for tandem competitions. A significant number of such events should take part before a ranking is implemented.
- Allowed late preregistration in the World Paragliding Aerobatic Championship.
- Worked with FAI on what the new FAI website could be (it should open in the summer or autumn 2017).
- Discussed FAI Sporting Licences and the issues we have with it.
- Published 1 News on our website.

July 2016

- Nominated Oliver Cvetkovski i.s.o. Giovanni Vitola as juror for the European Paragliding Championships in Krushevo.
- Nominated Truddy Craddock i.s.o. Giovanni Vitola as juror for the European Hang Gliding Championships in Krushevo.
- Allowed a budget for a ‘Survey Monkey’ subscription on Women’s flying.
- Met the pilots and Team leaders during the European Hang Gliding Championships in Krushevo.
- Updated the list of approved IGC recorders in 1st Category events.
- Allowed the PWCA formula in combination with CompCheck for scoring the European Paragliding Championships in Krushevo.
- Published 7 News on our website.

August 2016

- * Allowed change of dates for the 2017 Albanian World Accuracy Championships.
- Met the pilots and Team leaders during the European Hang Gliding Championships in Krushevo.
- Published the new version of FS.

—Published 4 News on our website.

September 2016

- * Agreed to approve the bid from Portugal for the 2018 European Paragliding Championships in Montalegre.
- Autumn Bureau Meeting in Ferney-Voltaire, France.
- Chose Jurors and Stewards for 2017 Championships and Test Events.
- Traveled to Albuquerque, New Mexico, USA, with a FAI Delegation to check a potential site for the 2020 World Air Games.
- Published 2 News on our website.

October 2016

- * Decided that the 2017 World Women Hang Gliding Championship in Brasilia would be integrated in the overall Championship and not run as a separate Championship (8 Women from 4 countries required to validate the Championship).
- * Allowed the Canungra Cup's and the Corryong Open's pilots to be scored in the WPRS although the events were not formally on the FAI Calendar.
- Participated in the FAI General Conference in Indonesia. Will work in 2 Working Groups for CASI (the body writing the Sporting Code and related documents): Sporting Licences and Jury Handbook.
- Following the FAI General Conference, discussed in our Committees our future 'Special Events'.
- Published 4 News on our website.

November 2016

- Published the Autumn Bureau Minutes.
- Replaced Violeta Masteikiene by Riikka Vilkuna as Chair of the Paragliding Accuracy Committee.
- Complained to FAI about the Mexican NAC FAMEDA: CIVL believe that the Mexican NAC is not fulfilling its obligation 'to pursue, continuously, the aim and objectives of FAI', nor does bring 'people closer in mutual understanding and friendship', nor 'bring together the air sports men and women of the world international competition'. Hence CIVL formally requests that the Executive Board look into the matter as provided by FAI Statutes in its chapter 2.8.2.2.
- Sent Brian Harris to the FAI IT Workshop in Lausanne, updated software strategy, prepared the meeting and followed it up.
- Agreed to participate in the coming European Hang gliding and Paragliding Union (EHPU) plenary (January 21, 2017, in Romania).
- Published 2 News on our website.

December 2016

- * Published the Local Regulations for the 9th FAI World PG Accuracy championships.
- * Allowed the Association of Paragliding Pilots and Instructors (APPI) to issue the IPPI Card in Mexico and in Bosnia & Hergovina.
- * Allowed Aero Club d'Italia and FIVL Associazione Nazionale Italiana Volo Libero to issue the IPPI Card in Italy.
- Reviewed the different bids and proposals to the 2017 Plenary.
- Reviewed very closely a strange case of strange tracklog downloaded in a XC test event. The pilot was cleared of wrongdoing. We will have to revise the requirements and procedures to approve flight instruments and downloads.
- Worked on the Plenary Agenda and finalized it: 39 items, 50+ Annexes.
- Tested and published the new 'CIVL Competition Timeline' calendar.
- Published 2 News on our website.

January 2017

- * Published the local regulations for the 20th FAI World Hang Gliding Class 2 championship in Serres, France.
- * Appointed Dennis Pagen as Jury President for the World Hang Gliding Class 1 in Brasil and Stéphane Malbos as Jury President for the World Hang Gliding Class 2 in France.
- Implemented a Working Group to revise the requirements and procedures to approve flight instruments and downloads.
- Discussed short and long term software strategy.
- Visited FAI Head Office and met the staff to discuss all pending issues.
- Worked on the future FAI website.
- Worked in FAI Sporting Licence and Jury Handbook Working Groups.
- Discussed with the FAI and with the European Hang gliding and Paragliding Union (EHPU) CIVL IPPI Card policy.
- Published 3 News on our website.

February 2017

- * Published the local regulations for the 15th FAI World Paragliding championship in Monte Avena, Italy.