

Proposal for CIVL Plenary February 2018

The US Hang Gliding and Paragliding Association proposes that the current delay in broadcasting live tracking of pilots in Category 1 events be reduced to 10 minutes.

Sporting Code S7A – Cross Country current reads:

4.1.3 Live Tracking

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4.1.3.1 Mandatory Delay: In Hang Gliding, any publicly available feed provided by the organization must have a delay equal to the start interval plus 5 minutes for tasks with multiple start gates. For any other type of task (e.g. single race start or an elapsed time start), the delay will be at least 15 minutes.

Proposed changes: (in bold print)

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