

RC Soaring Technical Meeting Minutes

April 3, 2022

Report by: Tomas Bartovsky, SC Chairman

Present:

Name	Country	Title
Antonis Papadopoulos	GRE	CIAM President
Tomas Bartovsky	CZE	Subcommittee Chairman, CIAM Delegate
Robert Herzog	BEL	CIAM Delegate, Subcommittee Member
Erik Christensen	DEN	CIAM Delegate, Subcommittee Member
Ernest Mattiussi	LUX	CIAM Delegate, Subcommittee Member
Carles Aymat	ESP	CIAM Delegate, Subcommittee Member
Martin Hoff	AUT	CIAM Delegate
Peter Uhlig	GER	CIAM Delegate
Peter Keim	NED	CIAM Delegate
Faruk Yeginsoy	SUI	CIAM Delegate
Jakub Drmla	SVK	CIAM Delegate
Bengt Lindgren	SWE	Alternate CIAM Delegate
Andreas Fricke	FRA	Subcommittee Member
Peter Hoffmann	AUT	Subcommittee Member
Wout Heijne	NED	Subcommittee Member
Rudolf Schaub	SUI	Subcommittee Member
Terry Edmonds	USA	Subcommittee Member
Paulette Halleux	BEL	Observer
Jan Littva	SVK	Observer
Armin Hartzitz	GER	Observer
Jon Edison	GBR	Observer
Oscar Lopes	POR	Observer
Bob Skinner	RSA	Observer
Mariano	COL	Observer

AGENDA OF THE TECHNICAL MEETING, items to discuss

1. Information about the RC Soaring activities in 2021
2. Agenda of the CIAM Plenary Meeting
3. World and European Championships

MINUTES OF THE TECHNICAL MEETING,

1. Information about the activities in 2021 presented by the RC Soaring Subcommittee Chairman

World Cup Coordinators were in 2021: F3B Martin Weberschock (GER), F3J Sotir Lazarkov (BUL), F3F Erik Schuffmann (GER) and F3K Tomas Bartovsky (CZE). In 2022 Erik Dahl Christensen (DEN) will serve for F3K, and it's a vision that Lucas Gaubatz will do for F3F.

World Cups: No World Cup competitions were run in F3B and F3J classes. In F3K, only four competitions were realised. This number is not sufficient for evaluating the winner. Only in the F3F class did we get an adequate number of competitions to decide the winner.

All RC soaring World Championships planned for 2021 did not happen. F3J World Championships were postponed (from 2021 to 2022), F3F World Championship was cancelled, and F3B World Championship was postponed (2021 to 2023).

2. Agenda of the CIAM Plenary Meeting

In the RC Soaring part of the Plenary Meeting Agenda, there is a Dutch proposal for a new RC Soaring Class for beginners. During the last week, the RC Soaring Subcommittee voted about this item. There arrived nine votes, 1 in favour, seven against and 1 abstention.

Yesterday the CIAM Education Technical Meeting discussed this proposal too. They concluded that the presented rules are not ready for adoption. The CIAM Education Subcommittee should continue the discussion about an RC soaring class for the introduction of youth and keep the auspice of such a class.

3. World Championships

Jan Littva (SVK) referred to the FAI 2022 F3J World Championships preparation. There are nine senior teams and three junior teams registered. The budget for such a low number of teams will be challenging to keep in balance, but the organiser is ready to continue the preparation.

Jakub Drmla (SVK) referred to the preparation of the FAI 2022 F3K World Championships. There are ten senior teams and three junior teams registered. The organiser will proceed with the preparation too.

Erik Dahl Christensen (DEN) referred to the FAI 2022 F3F World Championship preparation. This championship will be in October. There are 14 senior teams and two juniors registered.

For 2023 the World Championships of classes F3B in Denmark and F3K in Romania are already awarded.

For 2024 the World Championship of the class F3F is awarded to France. There are offers invited for the F3J World Championships.