

## **International One Metre Class Rule Amendment 2024-1**

IOM ICA Exec voted following IOM Class Rule amendment which is valid from 12 February 2024:

F.2.4 (e) Kicking strap shall be capable of passing through a 20 mm ring gauge.

This amendment is considered as "Emergency decisions taken by the Executive Committee" according to the IOM ICA Constitution Article 8.9: "Emergency decisions taken by the Executive Committee shall be submitted as resolutions to the next meeting of the World Council for ratification."

Reasoning for the amendment:

- Two boats (CRO 30 and CRO 35) used "kicking straps (vangs)" of a new design on the European Championship 2023.
- Event measurers on the European Championship 2023 have no problems with such vang. Also, mentioned boats have not been protested by any participating skipper(s) for using such part of the equipment.
- However, IOM ICA Exec decided to restrict new development in direction of further increasing of kicking strap area. Unfortunately, it was not done in the past when limitation of the rotating part of the gooseneck have been restricted to max. 20mm.
- Since this is an emergency decision taken by the Executive Committee it should be submitted as resolutions to the next meeting of the World Council for ratification.
- current valid IOM Class Rules are Edition 2022 and this Amendment 2024-1.

Date: 12 February 2024

IOM ICA Executive Committee