

We want to amend **proposal 1** by replacing the term “snuffer ring” with “snuffer mouth”. This alternative term is more generic and may include more options for snuffers that are used on F18s.

For those NCAs that have already voted on this proposal, your vote is deemed to apply to this amendment as well unless you decide to re-cast your vote.

Deadline for voting remains 26 June 2017.

Regards
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The proposal reads as follows:

Proposal is to change class rules F.1.1(d), and to add new class rule F.1.1(e), as follows:

Existing

Section F - Rig

F.1 PARTS

F.1.1 MANDATORY

...

(d) **Bowsprit.**

New

Section F - Rig

F.1 PARTS

F.1.1 MANDATORY

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(d) **Bowsprit including snuffer mouth**

(e) **Gennaker snuffer bag.**

Rationale

With this proposal we want to minimize the risk of disputes or the need for rule interpretations during the upcoming regattas, including the 2018 Europeans and Worlds, while the class evaluates the desirability of the deck snuffer and makes an informed decision. The new, temporary rules fit with the commonly used equipment in the class. For those cases where a F18 is not compliant with the new, temporary rules, it should not be expensive to make the boat rule-compliant. The term “bag” determines that this part has been made of soft material; the same term “bag” is used in the Nacra17 class rules.

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