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Temporary rule change vote to permit the modified RS700 Performance Compensation Trial to be used during the 2021 season.

The RS700 International Committee proposes that the membership vote on whether the modified Performance Compensation Trial settings should be used during the full 2021 RS700 International and UK Class Association calendar including the Garda RS700 European Championship.

In order to permit the RS700 performance compensation trial to run for 2021 it is necessary to implement a one year long temporary RS700 class rule change.

The RS700 Class Association Rules are here:

<https://www.rs700.org/documents/p1c72esu1m11up1kgjg9u1ciq1bld3.pdf>

A temporary rule change would be required at para 3 "Performance Compensation".

The following would need to be inserted in event NORs at para 3.2:

3. Eligibility and Entry

3.1 RS Class Association rules for membership to be eligible to compete in this event shall apply.

3.2 The RS700 International Committee has agreed following membership vote that the 2021 Performance Compensation Trial settings are to be used for the full 2021 RS700 International and UK Class Association calendar including the Garda RS700 European Championship.

Read all the information about the trial here:

<https://www.rs700.org/documents/p1etmk29q815f019um1hco1odq5v83.pdf>

If the trial is approved, it is requested that sailors gather as much information possible about their own performance under the trial and that of their fellow club sailors and share it with the RS700 committee.

The trial data will be analysed at the end of the 2021 calendar and presented to the fleet by the RS700 International Committee. The fleet will then need to decide by vote whether to adopt the trial settings as the new normal or whether to revert to the original settings.

So please vote:

YES to a temporary rule change to permit the 2021 Performance Compensation Trial settings to be used for all events in the 2021 RS700 calendar including the European Championship in Garda

Or NO to the trial and continue with the standard RS700 Performance Compensation System during the 2021 season.

Please email your answer to me clare@rs-association.com

Vote deadline as per RS Class Association rules is four weeks from now which is 0900hrs Fri 5 March 21. See RS Class Association Rules on rule amendment at para 8 here:

https://www.rs700.org/documents/Class%20Rules%20V%202%207_11.pdf

I look forward to receiving your vote!

Keep safe and well

Clare Sargent, RS700 Class Association Secretary