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PROPOSAL to The Agenda of 65th IPC Plenary Meeting from Aeroclub of Czech Republic

Proposal To Revise Rule 6.3.2 of the Vertical Formation Skydiving Rules

For the 2014 World Championships of Vertical Formation Skydiving, it is proposed that the rule establishing the number of Vertical Formation Skydiving teams eligible to compete at a World Championships or Continental Championships be revised to allow two VFS teams per National Aero Club.

The Rule as used since the adoption of VFS in 2009 is:

6.3. Composition of Delegations:

6.3.1. Each delegation may be comprised of:

- One (1) Head of Delegation,
- One (1) Team Manager,
- Freefall videographers as in 6.3.4

6.3.2. At a World/Continental Championship:

· One 4-Way team consisting of up to:

- Five (5) 4-Way Competitors

6.3.3. At a World Cup:

- 4-Way team consisting of up to:
- Five (5) 4-Way Competitors
- Any number (to a maximum of 4) teams per event to be decided by the Organizer and announced in the bulletins.

Proposal

With regard to participation, VFS is much more like Artistic Events than FS. Allowing two teams per NAC to compete at World Parachuting Championships would increase the opportunities for individual competitors to gain competition experience at the world level. It would also make events more cost-effective for event hosts by drawing more participants to share the fixed costs. At most three to five more teams might compete, so the increased judging load would be very small.

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(The Proposal is based on the work done by Mr. Bryan Burke)