## Proposal for an Amendment to the IJCA Constitution.

Rule 8.9.2.

## **Current Rule:**

8.9.2. Substantive motions that affect the IJCA Constitution ( other than amendments thereto ) to be voted upon at a Council Meeting must be received by the Executive Director to allow for distribution to the Executive Committee and the World Council at least four (4) weeks before the date of the meeting.

## **Proposed Change:**

8.9.2 Substantive motions that affect the IJCA Constitution ( other than amendments thereto ), or to the Class Rules, to be voted upon at a Council Meeting must be received by the Executive Director in time to allow for distribution to the Executive Committee and the World Council at least six ( 6 ) weeks before the date of the meeting.

## Reason for change :

Experience has shown that a lead time of four weeks is not sufficient to allow for the adequate consideration of proposals for change, prior to a World Council Meeting. This has caused some difficulties and friction in the past, and the extension of the period to six weeks should aid the avoidance of future difficulties.

Proposed changes to the Class Rules have been included in this amendment as, at the moment, neither the Constitution nor the existing Class Rules cover this point.