The following amendments to the Class Rules have been approved to be effective 1\textsuperscript{st} December 2008.

\textbf{Rule 3.1.1}  
\textbf{Amendment:} Add final sentence to read as follows:  
“Materials shall be as specified in these \textbf{class rules} except that titanium, carbon fibre or other exotic materials are prohibited.”

\textbf{Rules 3.2.6.1 (c), 3.2.6.2 and 3.2.7.3}  
\textbf{Amendment:} Delete “9mm +/- 1mm” and replace with “7mm +/- 3mm”

\textbf{Rule 3.2.7.3}  
\textbf{Amendment:} Add “and shall be regularly checked” to the final sentence so the rule now reads as follows:  
“Buoyancy units shall be securely fastened to the hull by three straps. Each strap shall be 45 mm +/- 6mm wide and shall be regularly checked.”

\textbf{Rule 3.5.5.4}  
\textbf{Amendment:} Delete the first sentence and replace with the following wording:  
“The outhaul shall be made of a rope not more that 1 m long”

\textbf{Rule 4.2 (a)}  
\textbf{Amendment:} Delete “adequate” and add “buoyancy to the minimum standard EN 393: 1995 (CE 50 Newtons), or USCG Type III, or AUS AS1512 or AUS AS1499” to the first sentence and delete the last sentence so the rule now reads as follows:  
“The helmsman shall wear personal buoyancy to the minimum standard EN 393: 1995 (CE 50 Newtons), or USCG Type III, or AUS AS1512 or AUS AS1499. All fastening devices supplied by the manufacturer shall be used in the manner intended. A whistle shall be carried securely attached to the personal buoyancy device.”

\textbf{Rule 4.3 (c)}  
\textbf{Amendment:} Add “with a blade surface of not less than 0.025m\(^2\)” to the first sentence so the rule now reads as follows:  
“A paddle with a blade surface of not less than 0.025m\(^2\) securely attached to the hull by a lanyard or elastic cord.”

\textbf{Plans – Wood and Wood/Epoxy Plans}  
\textbf{Amendment:} Delete “+/- 2.5” and replace with “+/-3” and delete “+/-5” and replace with “+/-6”

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