

ICF STATUTES PROPOSAL OF NEW WORDING / CHANGE OF EXISTING WORDING								
NF / BoD / Committee	ART. / BYLAW / GR / TR	ART	POINT / BULLET POINT	POINT / BULLET POINT	EXISTING WORDING	PROPOSED WORDING	Committee Comment	BOARD STAND
DEN, FIN,SLO, SWE	ART	16	2		2. A National Federation may be represented at the Congress by another Member association.	2. A National Federation may be represented at the Congress by another Member association.		not in favour
DEN, FIN,SLO, SWE,SVK	BYLAW	16	1		1. At least thirty (30) days before the opening of the Congress, each National Federation shall forward to the ICF Headquarters the names of its delegates and any proxy they hold , indicating the delegate exercising the voting right.	1. At least thirty (30) days before the opening of the Congress, each National Federation shall forward to the ICF Headquarters the names of its delegates and any proxy they hold , indicating the delegate exercising the voting right.		Not Approved
DEN, FIN,SWE,SVK		16	1		1. Each National Federation has the right to appoint up to three (3) delegates from its National Federation to the Congress one of whom has the right to vote. If there are three (3) delegates, at least one (1) should be from the other gender. Delegates must be official members of that particular National Federation (Eg. Staff, Board Member, official).	1. Each National Federation has the right to appoint up to three (3) delegates from its National Federation to the Congress one of whom has the right to vote. If there are three (3) delegates, at least one (1) should be from the other gender. Delegates must be official members of that particular National Federation (Eg. Staff, Board Member, official). <i>ICF will cover the travel and accommodation expenses for two subsequent Congresses of one delegate from the National Federation which has never participated at the Congress.</i>	Danger of people attending Congress and voting on matters that they have no knowledge of or are not at any ICF competitions.	not in favour
ICF Board	ART	17				<i>The ICF Board of Directors may change the date, venue of the Congress or hold the Congress electronically if no other suitable option is available.</i>	In case not possible to hold face to face Congress	In Favour
STP	ART	30			to be added	<i>Chair of Paracanoe</i>		In Favour
STP	ART	31			The Role of the Olympic Disciplins Technical Chairs The ICF Canoe Sprint, Canoe Slalom Chairs will hold a place on the ICF Executive Committee to ensure that discussions in respect of the Olympic disciplines are well informed and that liaison with future Games organisers and the IOC is maintained and are prioritised. To co-ordinate and oversee the technical work of the Olympic Disciplines; To chair the Olympic Disciplines Technical Committees; Work closely and advise the ICF Headquarters technical work for Olympic Disciplines;	The Role of the Olympic Disciplines Technical Chairs The ICF Canoe Sprint, Canoe Slalom <i>and Paracanoe</i> Chairs will hold a place on the ICF Executive Committee to ensure that discussions in respect of the Olympic <i>and Paralympic</i> disciplines are well informed and that liaison with future Games organisers and the IOC/ <i>IPC</i> is maintained and are prioritised. To co-ordinate and oversee the technical work of the Olympic and <i>Paralympic</i> Disciplines; To chair the Olympic <i>and Paralympic</i> Disciplines Technical Committees; Work closely and advise the ICF Headquarters technical work for Olympic <i>and Paralympic</i> Disciplines;	Paracanoe, if we have the President of Sprint and Slalom in the executive who are the two Olympic disciplines, Paracanoe also has to be in the Executive, now there is discrimination between the IOC and IPC.	In favour

DJI	ART	26	2	<p>The ICF Board of Directors is composed of the following persons: -Elected persons ICF President Three ICF Vice Presidents, represented by both genders, ICF Treasurer, Up to four (4) Members of the European Continent represented by at least one female, Up to three (3) Members of the American and Asian Continents represented by at least one female, Up to two (2) Members of each of the Oceanic and African Continents represented by at least one female, Chairs of the ICF Standing Committees (See Art 32.1). Appointed Member ICF Secretary General</p>	<p>The ICF Board of Directors is composed of the following persons: -Elected persons ICF President Three ICF Vice Presidents, represented by both genders, ICF Treasurer, Up to four (4) Members of the European Continent represented by at least one female, Up to three (3) Members of the African,American and Asian Continents represented by at least one female, Up to two (2) Members of each of the Oceanic and African Continents represented by at least one female, Chairs of the ICF Standing Committees (See Art 32.1). Appointed Member ICF Secretary General</p>	<p>Increase the representation of the African Continent</p>	<p>In favour</p>
ICF Board	ART	12		<p>National Federations whose Membership Fee and all other outstanding fees/debts are unpaid by the latest 30 days prior to the Congress shall be able to attend the Congress but will not be eligible to vote or take part in discussions at the Congress or give a proxy vote to another National Federation</p>	<p>National Federations whose Membership Fee and all other outstanding fees/debts are unpaid by the latest 90 days prior to the Congress shall be able to attend the Congress but will not be eligible to vote or take part in discussions at the Congress or give a proxy vote to another National Federation</p>	<p>NFs to pay for membership fees to be eligible for Congress 90 days which is same date as the nominations for candidates for ICF Elections. Improves ICF governance in elections and removes potential manipulation issues over voting.</p>	<p>In favour</p>