

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2022**  
**Saturday, 19 November 2022**

**Melges 24 Class Rule Change Proposal**

**Name and Surname**

International Melges 24 Class Association

**Position in Nominating Body**

Technical Committee

**Email**

**Title of the motion,  
amendment, nomination**

C.7.2 FITTINGS (a) USE (11)

**Topics concerned**

	Constitution		Events
x	Class Rules		Technical Issues
	Regatta Regulations		General Policies
	Nomination		

**Current Rule:**

C.7.2 FITTINGS (a) USE (11) Non slip tape or similar non slip material may be added to the decks, cockpit floor and gunwale edge as necessary.

**Proposed New Rule:**

C.7.2 (11) Non-skid material of any kind may be added to the cockpit floor, upper deck, foot supports, hatch steps, **hull** edge and interior. Thickness shall not exceed 6mm. The deck may be abraded to smooth the gelcoat non-skid for better adhesion of the non-skid material only where it is covered by an additional non-skid product.

**Reason:**

This reworked version of the rule is intended to align the class rules with the newer soft decking currently being used and allowing worn out non skid surfaces to be refreshed. It also clarifying limits on where products can be used.