

Report of the Working Group „Rules Chapter“ of the GMO TF at the ISTA OM 2005

April 26, 11:15 - 12:15



Agenda

1. Members of the WG:
 - M. Kruse (chair)
 - N. Leist (GMOTF chair)
 - S. Ednie (retired)
 - M. Sussman / D. Dixon
 - H. Huttinga (chair VAR)
 - M. Stahr (AOSA)
 - S. Ben Tahar (ISF)
 - S. Seeman / J. DaNell (ISST)
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- During ISTA Congress 2004 Drafts 8.0 and 8.1 were established
- Draft 8.2 was established by the chairman as a preparation of the ...
- Meeting of the WG together with representatives from the VAR in Hohenheim 23. – 25. September 2004 (Kruse, Leist, Huttinga, Knoblauch, Hwo, Dixon, Zang, DaNell, Muschick)
- Result: Draft 9.0, key points:
 - no conditions for performance approving any more in the draft, as they should be listed in the accreditation standard and the ECOM is responsible

The WG was not able to agree on precise recommendations to ECOM about the conditions for performance approving.

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- The draft was accepted as draft 9.1 by the working group, the GMOTF and the VAR and was submitted as a joint proposal from GMOTF and VAR to the OM 2005.
- Thanks to the working group for the intensive discussions, in particular during the meeting in Hohenheim.
- Although I enjoyed most of the discussions about the GMO discussion, in particular during the Budapest meeting, I cannot be available for the WG, if another working period should be required.