



# CZECH ANGLERS UNION

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## Subject: Change and supplement of rules of ICSF

Dear board members,

Czech anglers union requires change and supplement of rules of ICSF as follows:

1) Change of length tolerance of fly line for girls and ladies category in discipline no. 2:

Now valid: Minimum length 13,50 meters, maximum weight 34 grams.

Amendment: Minimum length 12,00 meters, maximum weight 34 grams.

Proposal of Czech anglers union is based on the problems, which are caused by different weight of fly lines. Very often they don't meet requested limit or they meet this limit very tightly and in case of shortening of lines they do not allow to meet current valid rules. Similar change was approved in 2014 for boys and veterans – length of fly line was changed from 15 to 13,5 meters.

Reduction of minimal length would make reserve, thanks which competitors can use fly line for longer time, second reason is health aspect – in case of shortening of fly line ladies and girls would not overload their wrists.

2) Fly color range extension.

Proposal of Czech anglers union is to extend color range of flies made of reflective colors. This is based on better visibility and controllability during accuracy and distance casts and facilitate referees work.

3) Proposal to appoint new cadet category

Czech anglers union proposes to appoint new girls and boys cadet category for competitors in age 19 – 23 years of age. They would compete in disciplines no. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, pentathlon, heptathlon and team competition.

Reasons which leads Czech anglers union to this are sustainability and motivation of competitors who go from youth to adult category. In 18 years of age they can't be equal to competitors in adult category, so thanks to the frustration they finish competing prematurely. Appointing of this new category can slow down decreasing of competitors and make their transfer to adult category easier. Second reason is financial – Czech anglers union suggest to organize World championship of cadets together with World youth championship. We noticed decrease of competitors in past couple years and organizing of World championship is financially demanding due to low number of competitors. Extending of championship of cadets category would make organizing more attractive and less financial difficult.

Best Regards

  
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