Meeting Report ISO TC 188, WG 24 London, England June 29, 2016

ISO Technical Committee 188 – Working Group 24 Highlights of the Working Group meeting.

ISO 11591, Field of vision from the steering position

- 1. In attendance were representatives from ICOMIA, Belgium, France, Finland, UK, Germany, Australia and USA. The CEN consultant was also in attendance.
- 2. ISO 11591 had a positive DIS vote with no comments. Two items were discussed by the WG: light transmission through glass and visibility for sailing vessels.
- 3. Changed "muscle driven craft" to "human power craft".
- 4. Light transmission through glass is currently listed not less than 60%. The transmission rating was changed to 70% to conform to other national regulations and ABYC. France will continue testing to potentially prove that lesser transmission is possible and acceptable to distance and color requirements when viewing navigation lights.
- 5. The WG continued to discuss the concept of clear vision and good all-around visibility for a sailing boat operator. More clearly defined steering areas for sailing craft.
- 6. Glazing may be tested to EN 410, Glass in Buildings, determination of luminous and solar characteristics of buildings. Convener to check the viability of this standard to our craft standard.
- 7. Next Actions: Submit to ISO secretariat for a second DIS vote. Next meeting planned for boot Dusseldorf 2017.

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