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WFTF Resolution n° 10 / 2016

“Rowan Digital Side wheel”

Dear WFTF RGB members,
Dear EFTF President Kaidu Jalakas,

In sequence of the recent IC03/2016, several RGBs manifested their opinion and here are the conclusions.

Votes Received (by alphabetic order):

1. ARGENTINA	14. NEW ZEALAND
2. AUSTRALIA	15. NORWAY
3. AUSTRIA	16. PORTUGAL
4. BELGIUM	17. RUSSIA
5. CANADA	18. SCOTLAND
6. COLOMBIA	19. SLOVAKIA
7. CROATIA	20. SLOVENIA
8. ESTONIA	21. SOUTH AFRICA
9. FRANCE	22. SWEDEN
10. GERMANY	23. TURKEY
11. ITALY	24. USA
12. LATVIA	25. VENEZUELA
13. NETHERLANDS	26. WALES

No feedback received from:

1. BRASIL	7. MACEDONIA
2. BULGARIA	8. MALTA
3. CHILE	9. N.IRELAND
4. ENGLAND	10. SPAIN
5. HUNGARY	11. POLAND
6. LITHUANIA	

Based on the votes received we have the following scores:

- NO – 92,3%
- YES – 7,7%

In short the use of the DSW is not approved to be used.

Sincerely,

Sergio Rita
WFTF President

03th April 2016



Internal Communication n° 03 / 2016 "Rowan Digital Side-wheel"

Dear WFTF RGB members,

Two weeks ago Rowan officially launched in the market the "**DSW - Digital Side Wheel**".

At the same time a video about the device was published and suddenly I started receiving several emails from everywhere questioning if the WFTF was going to allow the device or not.

VIDEO PUBLISHED: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0zR5GPPiPPw>








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One of my team committee members (Wyan) initiated a contact with Rowan to try to understand more about the device.

Here the details:

Id	Functions	Replaces	Comments
1	Device can display electronically the target distance of a target (.	Paper marks on the Side-wheel.	<p>-Good for people with vision problems.</p> <p>-The device does not have the functionality to measure target distances;</p> <p>The shooter need to set and calibrate - the device for the particular scope / rifle combination</p>
2	<p>device has the functionality of Marking several marks simulating the "temp shift".</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Summer setting b. Winter Setting c. Linear Setting (between summer and winter) 	<p>Ex.</p> 	FUNCTIONALITY CAN BE TURN OFF
3	Elevation	<p>replaces Inclinator</p> 	FUNCTIONALITY CAN BE TURN OFF
4	CANT	<p>Replaces bubble OR electronic cant</p> 	FUNCTIONALITY CAN BE TURN OFF



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5	The device can be Programmed to have "approved competition MODES" with the authorized functions: a. WFTF mode (ex.function1, function2, function 4) b. BFTA mode (ex. Function 2, function 3, function 4)	Not applicable	So this means it is possible to approve functions
6	If a "Authorize MODE" is selected a symbol on the screen will be available so that marshals or competitors on the course can easily see that the DSW is in a legal mode during a competition	Not applicable	

Resuming all this matter is something too big and too important for me to decide so I ask you to help me clarify this specific matter by giving your opinion.

Bear in mind the following:

- a. If we decide to approve the use of this device then we clear need to have a "WFTF Mode" to control what are the functions approved or not.
- b. If we approve this device people will start spending money so this is something that we cannot "go back" just because we are in a different mood....we need to have a strong reasons to go back.
- c. The device is already being used inside BFTA so there are people that can provide us extra information. We can also try to get extra information from Rowan.
- d. If you have doubts then just say "don't know".
The result is the same as "NO" but with that answer we will be able to understand the difference between a definitely "NO – Not Approved" and "I haven't made my mind".

We will start with a month for discussion and voting but if necessary we can increase the period.

Sincerely,

Sérgio Rita
WFTF President
01th March 2016

Voting Rules:

- **Period of general discussion and Voting till:** 01th April.
- **Approval of each proposal:** based on majority of votes received.
- **Expected Answers (Yes/NO):**
 - **YES – To approve a rule proposal**
 - **NO – To reject a rule proposal**



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VOTING	YES/NO
Approve the use of the Rowan DSW? *if the answer is NO do not respond the rest of the questionnaire	
If the answer is YES than continue: Do you approve functionality of simulating several marks about "temp shift"	
Do you approve functionality of Elevation	
Do you approve functionality of CANT	