

## **Motion to the 2026 AGM to alter rule 5.3.3 of the Constitution**

**The revised rule will allow the Sailing Committee to have a maximum number of ten Members instead of the current eight.**

### **Change from...**

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### **To....**

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### **Rationale**

With the wider range of water based activities at the club, we need the option of having additional members of the **Sailing Committee** to represent all aspects of the club activities. This includes rowers, cadets, adults, dinghy and cruiser sailors etc. and ensures that all of those groups can have a voice in the SC.

Note...

That as a change to the constitution, this motion requires a 2/3 majority to enact change.

**Proposed by** Kevin Hosking, Chair of Lifting Group

**Seconded by** Eric Strudwick, Vice Commodore