



WPAS Working Group. "Classification"

MEETING DATE. 2nd June 2020

Present :

Jessica Tidswell (USA)
Benjamin Ruer (FRA)(not able to attend)
Akio Kobayashi (JPN)
Mauritz Trautner (GER)
Kayla Dodson (CAN)
Sandra Titulaer (NED)

AGENDA :

- 1- Nations meeting May 2020 feedback
 - a. Calendar, classification opportunities
 - b. IPC Governance restructure
- 2- **Document for coaches to report "classification questions"**
- 3- Research VI
- 4- Research PI :
 - a. PPT of Akio
 - b. Proposal ,

MEETING MINUTES.

1. Feedback after the NM last week,
 - a. due to Covid is Calendar unsure , plan A= normal WC seasons, plan D = no races and in between we will have plan b or C with limited travels and peraps only CC races. Classification opportunities will follow the Calendar, Aim is to classify in at least 2 continents.
 - b. IPC will restructure, IPC sports need to move out. Parasnowsports is looking in which way they will move out of the IPC and into an IF. When ready will be send to manager WPAS
2. A document to help coaches to report doubts concerning classification matters to the WPAS is proposed.
3. Research VI is presented at the NM, next step is presenting to the IPC GB
4. Research PI :



- a. PPT about research needs and aims, literature, example of sitiskiresearch, EMG measuring. Akio will prepare a basic setup for (pilot)research plan , other teams can be asked to participate.
 - b. Balance board research (Jessica USA) : large literature review (99 pages), research stopped (lab stopped) but perhaps the videos can be used for a classifier-online-interrater test. (jess will make a proposal)
 - c. **A proposal for overall research needs to be written, Akio's first step can be used.**
 - d. All think of other research options, STI will also make a basic proposal
5. Next meeting: 7th July 2020 22.00