

# **Job description for the IRC, International Rule Committee, of ACES 1/12 scale Air Combat**

1. The rule of the International Rule Committee, IRC, is to consolidate rules of International Air Combat competition.
2. Voting for new rules will take place every 2nd year starting with 2005.
3. A proposal for new rules must be backed up, and signed by, at least 3 NC.
4. All rules voted for, except rules inflicting on models performance, will be implemented the year after - starting with 2006.
5. New rules inflicting on the models performance will be implemented the 2nd year after the year of voting, starting with 2007.
6. Proposals for new rules must be the IRC at hand not later than September 30<sup>st</sup>, the year of voting. All proposals for new rules must be written in English and distributed to all members of the IRC not later than October 15<sup>th</sup>. Any contradictions recognized within the proposals of new rules, or as a result to existing rules, must be described and fully understandable to all members of the IRC.
7. Last day for voting is November 30, i.e. at hand of the IRC.
8. New rules shall be distributed to all members of the IRC and to all NC's not later than December 31<sup>st</sup>.
9. All nations have 1 vote per nation and additional 1 vote per 10 pilots participated in the respective national Air Combat Cup, or the Euro cup, the year prior of the year of voting, (i.e. 2004 for voting in 2005). A nation with 0 – 9 pilots will have total of 1 vote; a nation with 10 – 19 pilots will have 1+1 = 2 votes, a nation with 20 - 29 pilots will have 1+2 = 3 votes and so on. Maximum number of votes per nation is 5. Any pilot scoring in at least 3 heats documented in the Internet based "CORE" is considered a participant in this respect. Exception: A “new” nation flying for the first year, which also is the year of voting, will have 2 votes, maximum, if it has at least 10 pilots – otherwise it has 1 vote.
10. Any proposal to new rules must get at least 50,1% in favor of the total number of votes given within the voting period
11. The IRC has the right to judge and interpret the international rules when so called for.