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## **HEADSAIL FURLER CREDIT**

## **PROPOSAL**

Review how the VPP applies the headsail furler credit.

## **RATIONALE**

The aerodynamic effect of headsail furling influences the certificate at all wind speeds, sometimes more in light winds than in strong ones. In practice, however, it is only in stronger winds that a boat will switch to a smaller sail instead of rolling its genoa. Accordingly, the credit should apply primarily in stronger wind conditions.