

Comments regarding the rules for Flycasting, to be presented at the Team Captains meeting, for the World Championship in Flycasting at Gaustablikk, Norway.

There are some rules which gives some different misinterpretation. That's why we send out this info not to get any misunderstanding, rather clarification. All in red are clarifications compared to the rules given out. There are not any new rules.

I. TOURNAMENTS FOR FLYCASTING

Any Veteran or Junior caster can, if they wish, cast in senior class.

V. COMPETITION RULES

Event 1 Trout Accuracy

Leader: *All colours, not transparent*

Distance

events: If two or more participants achieve the same distance, the second longest casts will decide their rankings, *then the third cast. If still equal, there will be a reverse.*

Event 5: Spey 15'1

Court: The stand is in front of a V-shaped sector with an angle of 40 degrees, *both to left and right.* The participants stand in water with minimum depth of 50 cm, and maximum 60 cm. Starting a cast, the whole line must be placed outside of a sector buoy. *Delivering the cast, the fly must land on the outside of the first measuring rope.* The fly must anchor in front of the line formed by the front edge of the stand. The sector has a minimum length of 70 meters.

Event 6: Spey 16'/18'

Court: The stand is in front of a V-shaped sector with an angle of 30 degrees, *both to the left and right.* The participants stand on a platform. The high of the stand is a maximum of 50 cm above the water. Starting a cast, the whole line must be placed outside of a sector buoy. *Delivering the cast, the fly must land on the outside of the first measuring rope.* The fly must anchor in front of the line formed by the front edge of the stand. The sector has a minimum length of 80 meters.

3. Illegal cast (cast scoring 0 points):

d) The caster will get 10 minutes to repair or change damage equipment. *In final competitions, the time stop is eliminated. Goes out.*

VIII. TACKLE CONTROL

The control will be done, *immediately at the control post.*

Fly-events:

Length and colour of the line, and **mandatory** laser marking in Trout Accuracy and Trout Distance.

Weight **and dimensions, and if the fly line floats**, in event Seatrout and Salmon Distance. In **Spey events: dimension and if it floats**.

IX. OFFICIAL RECORD CASTS

3. In distance events, no records can be registered if the wind velocity exceeds 3 metres/second or the measuring instruments are not **available**.