Proposed changes to the HMAC constitution

The HMAC committee recommends that we change section 2 of the Objects in our constitution to emphasise the sporting and competitive nature of aero modelling and to make explicit the recently attained National Sporting Organisation (NSO) status of the MAAA. This means that the National Sporting Commission recognises aero modelling as a sport. The proposed changes are designed to facilitate our applications for funding from bodies that fund sport.

Existing section 2

2. OBJECTS

- 2.1 To coordinate and foster activities involving model aircraft construction and operation.
- 2.2 To affiliate with Model Aerosport South Australia Inc. (MASA), and other bodies with similar objects or interests.
- 2.3 To hold and manage real and personal property in any way consistent with the above objects.

Proposed section 2

2. OBJECTS

- 2.1 To promote, host and advocate for the recreational and sporting activities associated with aero modelling in South Australia.
- 2.2 To provide a safe and enjoyable environment in which people of all ages can participate in the construction and competitive and recreational flying of model aircraft.
- 2.3 To affiliate and otherwise liaise with the state sporting organisation for aero modelling, Model Aero Sport South Australia Inc (MASA) and, in turn, the National Sporting Organisation for aero modelling, the Model Aeronautical Association of Australia (MAAA) to further these objects.
- 2.4 To hold and manage real and personal property in any way consistent with the above objects.