

Aircraft Manufacturers Championship W/G Report

At the 2016 plenary in Bucharest a President's Proposal suggested that an aircraft manufacturers championship should be instituted, with points awarded in the style of the motor racing Grands Prix system on the basis of positions in the final / overall ranking from each category-1 event, leading to the annual award of a manufacturer's trophy.

The view of plenary last year was that with so few manufacturers involved in the production of aerobatic aeroplanes and the current dominance of the EA330SC type in Advanced and Unlimited power events there was insufficient scope for this proposal to be realised.

Subsequent discussions with a small number of relevant manufacturers also did not receive the support I might have expected, and so at present my view is that this subject should be dropped.

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