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Proposal	<p>Add a second paragraph to point 6.3. of the European By-law:</p> <p>The allocations for the Laser 4.7 Youth, Laser Radial Youth, Laser Radial Men and Laser Standard Youth European Championships/Trophies shall be determined in such a way that all European sailors considered competent to participate at a European Championship/European Trophy by their Districts have the possibility to participate.</p>
Current Situation	<p>The European By-law says:</p> <p>6.3 The European Executive Committee shall annually set the number of Non-European places, the allocation system and qualification rules with priority given to European Districts.</p>
Reason for Proposal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – While the quality of the European Championships is important, in the “non-olympic” classes/categories as many young Laser sailors as possible should have the opportunity to race together and have at the same time a lot of fun. – This is the way to keep them sailing for a long time. – One of the main attractions of the Laser Class – compared to other classes – is the big participation at regattas.