

# INTERPRETATIONS

## WORLD ARCHERY CONSTITUTION AND RULES

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### **Book 4, Chapter 22, Article 22.4.1**

*The Swiss Archery Federation has requested an interpretation as to whether (i) the side of the bow window must be slanted over the full length of the window and rounded off at the point where the window intersects with the top bow limb and (ii) the side of the bow window can be straight and end with a right angle and if the window can end in a right angle, does it have a minimum length?*

The Constitution and Rules Committee (“C&R”) finds the question presented to be within the terms of reference of the Technical Committee.

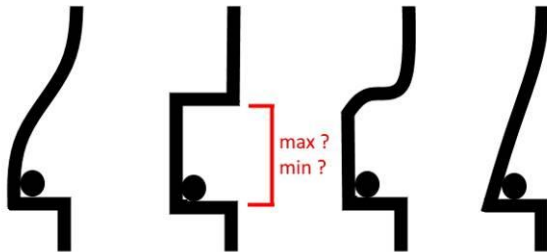
C&R has determined that the following interpretation is not contrary to the existing rules or Congress decisions.

#### **Response from the Technical Committee:**

The bow window designs and shown in the diagrams below are legal except that the bow shown in the photo with the 90 degree angle at the top of the sight window and the second example in the diagram are not legal in any division where bow sights are not permitted. The flat section at the top of the sight window is too easily used for aiming and ranging. For divisions which do not permit bow sights, the top of the sight window must incorporate a radius so not to provide any “flat” horizontal section that could be an advantage in aiming and or ranging. The Technical Committee does not see any need at this time to restrict the length of the sight window or the need to have only angled sight windows. Straight sided sight windows are legal.

**World Archery Technical Committee, 15 August 2019**

**Approved by the World Archery C&R Committee, 15 August 2019**



Wich Windows Area are legal for Instinctiv and Longbow ?

