Year 1 Proposal 4

Annex A Committee
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Motorglider re-launch procedure (affects 7.3.2)

Proposal

To allow motorgliders to perform an inflight "re-launch" provided they return to the contest site before starting the MoP.

Discussion

At present, the re-launch procedures depend on the number of motorgliders registered in the class. This is a brute-force solution to a problem that could be addressed in a more enlightened way. Motorgliders should be allowed to glide back to the contest site, start the MoP, climb to release height, shutdown the MoP, wait for a few minutes, and then make a Start. This procedure does not put the non-motorized glider at a disadvantage.