RENTAL BOAT SAFETY CHECKLIST

A safety briefing checklist from Transport Canada and this Rental Company. Check each box to confirm you understand each item the rental agent explained or demonstrated.

PERSONAL WATERCRAFT





I know what to do if anyone falls overboard, if the engine breaks down, or if the PWC runs aground or capsizes.

I know that I must stop and offer assistance in case of an accident or distress call.

IN AN EMERGENCY



I know how to get help for a mechanical breakdown or other emergency.

- mix and may affect my judgement and ability to operate this PWC safely. I will not operate this PWC or allow anyone
 - else to operate this PWC while under the influence of alcohol and/or other drugs.
- I will operate this PWC at speeds that are safe

PERSONAL WATERCRAFT (PWC)

VESSEL SPECIFIC



- I know how to start and stop the engine, operate the throttle/gear shift, and safely steer this PWC.
- □ I have been shown how to safely fuel this PWC.



- □ I will not operate this PWC unless the shut-off cord is securely attached to my wrist, lifejacket, or clothing so that if I fall overboard, the engine will stop.
- I will avoid making sharp turns and other manoeuvres that make it difficult for others to avoid colliding with me or to understand where I am going.



□ I will not ride at night, as I understand that my PWC does not have navigation lights.



- This PWC's unique handling characteristics have been explained to me.
- □ I understand that stopping the engine will not stop the forward motion of the PWC and that I will lose steering control when I release the throttle, or when the engine is turned off.



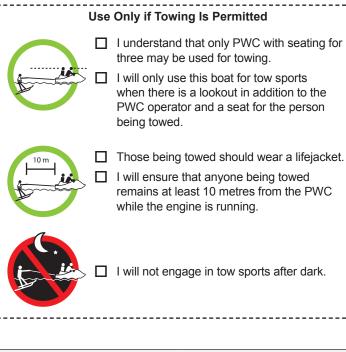
□ I understand that the suction from the PWC jet drive intake can pull loose items into the engine, so I will keep loose objects away from the intake grate.



□ I will respect the maximum load for this PWC, which is: _____ People ____ kg/lb People + Equipment.



□ If I capsize in open water, I understand I should swim to the rear of the PWC and turn in upright by rolling it in the direction shown on the decal located on the underside of the PWC.



A completed Rental Boat Safety Checklist is a valid proof of competency under the *Competency of Operators of Pleasure Craft Regulations* when signed (by the customer and rental agent) AND carried on board for the duration of the rental.

- I agree to follow all applicable boating laws and regulations and will operate this boat in a safe manner.
- I will not allow anyone else to operate this boat unless they have a valid proof of competency (such as a Pleasure Craft Operator Card), AND meet the age and horsepower restrictions.

I have been made aware of any additional requirements specific to this rental agency and I agree to follow these requirements.

Boat/Motor Type and Description:	Vessel Licence #:		
Departure (date & time):	Return (date & time):		1
Area of Operation:		Total People Onboard:	1
Emergency contact for my area of operation:		Phone:	1
Customer Name (print):		Cell:	-
Customer Signature:		Date:	-
Rental Company Name:	Location:	Phone:	(Revised)
Signature of Rental Agency Representative:		Date:	April 2017

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