

## Guidance Note No: 5/94

## Revision No: 5

**This Guidance Notice only applies to vessels that were operating commercially on 30 June 2013**

### Class 3D & 3E fishing vessels between 5 and 8 metres measured length operating in declared sheltered waters

Section 75(2)(f) of the Northern Territory Marine Act exempts fishing vessels up to 8 metres in measured length from survey requirements.

However, under Section 99 they are required to carry safety equipment and under Section 25 are required to be safety manned as given below.

	<b>AREA OF OPERATION 3D</b>	<b>AREA OF OPERATION 3E</b>
<b>Safety Equipment Required</b>	<b>Partially smooth waters</b> Refer to Guidance Note: 33/98.	<b>Smooth waters</b> Refer to Guidance Note 33/98.
Lifebuoys	One for every two persons on board and at least one with light.	One for every two persons on board and at least one with light.
Lifejackets	Coastal lifejackets for each person onboard.	PFD's Grade 1 for each person onboard.
Distress Signal	3 parachute rockets 2 red hand held flares 1 orange smoke signal	2 red hand held flares 1 orange smoke signal
Emergency waterproof torch	One	One
Portable Fire Extinguishers Suitable for oil fires	One of 30B fire rating.	One of 30B fire rating.
Bailer with lanyard	One	One
Bilge pump 4000 litres/hour	One	One
Magnetic compass	One	-
Anchors and Cables	As calculated for the vessel per USL Code	As calculated for the vessel per USL Code
Boat Hook	One	One
Navigational lights	Port, Starboard and one all round white. Refer to Guidance Note No. 31/97	Port, Starboard and one all round white. Refer to Guidance Note No. 31/97
Medical Kit Scale G (see appendix)	One	One
Portable Horn	One	One
Manning	One (1) x Coxswain	One (1) x Coxswain

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It should be clearly understood that this Department does **not** specify **or** approve the maximum number of persons and/or cargo that can be safely carried onboard as **no** stability tests have been witnessed. Owners are advised to use the boat manufacturers' recommendations as guidance.

All enquiries should be directed to a Marine Surveyor.

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## Appendix

### Medicines and medical stores - Scale G

Description	Quantity	Expiry dated	Comments
Bandage, conforming 5 cm	1		secure dressing and support
Bandage, conforming 10 cm	1		secure dressing and support
Bandage, heavy crepe 7.5 cm	2		support bandage
Bandage, triangular	4		sling
Dressing, combine 10 x 10 cm, sterile	3	Yes	bleeding control
Dressing, combine 10 x 20 cm, sterile	2	Yes	bleeding control, large
Dressing, non-adherent (10 x 10 cm or similar)	5	Yes	wound cover
Dressing, hydroactive (10 x 10 cm or similar)	1	Yes	blisters, burns and minor
Wound dressing, combination, large	2		Major wounds
Wound dressing, combination, small	2		Major wounds
Adhesive roll non-woven fabric 5 cm x 10 m	1		securing dressings
Dressings, elastic fabric strips	50		minor wound cover
Gauze swabs, sterile (single use pkt of 3)	3	Yes	cleansing/dressing wound
Eye pad, sterile	2	Yes	eye cover
Wound closure strips, wide, 6 x 38 mm	1	Yes	securing wound sides
Tape surgical waterproof 2.5 cm x 5 m	1		Secure dressing
Tape surgical waterproof 5 cm x 5 m	1		Secure dressing
Towels, disposable, pkt of 2	2		
Plastic bag set (3 asst L, M and S)	1		Amputated parts
Plastic bag	2		disposal of soiled dressings
Gloves, disposable, large	10		
Safety pins, stainless, assorted pkt of 12	1		
Blanket, emergency thermal	1		Hypothermia and shock
Ice pack, instant	1		
Resuscitation mask, disposable	1		
Splinter probes, sterile, disposable	5		
Splinter forceps, 12.5 cm	1		
Shears, stainless, 19 cm minimum	1		
Splint malleable, universal	1		
Normal saline, sterile 30 ml polyamp	6	Yes	eye irrigation / wound cleaning
Povidone iodine swabs (single use)	10	Yes	Antiseptic
Anaesthetic + antiseptic cream 30 g	1	Yes	
Paracetamol 500 mg tabs or caps	24	Yes	mild pain relief
Hyoscine hydrobromide 0.3mg tablets	10	Yes	Seasickness
Loperimide 2mg tablets	16	Yes	diarrhoea
Antacid tablets	12	Yes	
CPR instruction chart or card	1		
Australian First Aid Book	1		