SMALL VESSEL BUOYANCY CERTIFICATE

CERTIFICATE TYPE - BUILT-IN BUOYANCY (DECKED VESSEL) - Cat R

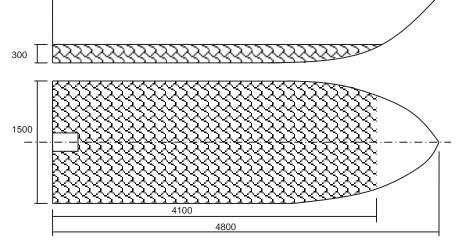
<u>Vessel Name:</u>	########	Vessel No.	DTC 1234R
Description: 4.8m Monohull GRP small fishing vessel.			
Build Details		Principal Dimension	1 <u>S</u>
Builder:	##### Marine	Length Overall:	4.80 [m]
Date of Build:	2005/6	Breadth Overall:	2.10 [m]
Model:	16' ####### Ski		

Propulsion

- 1. The recommended propulsion for the vessel is 2 x 40 hp outboard engines
- 2. The maximum allowable weight of the outboard motors fitted may not exceed 160kg.

Built-in Buoyancy

1. The underdeck of the vessel is filled with 480 x 750 ml PET bottles as is indicated on the sketch below. Volume $\approx 0.360 \text{ m}^3$





Design Weight

Light weight: 650 kg <u>Deadweight</u>

2 x Outboard Engines (2 x 70 kg) 140 kg

Deadweight 290 kg Crew Effects/Equipment 150 kg

Maximum Weight 940 kg

→ Volume Bottles = $0.360 \text{ m}^3 \approx 360 \text{ kg}$ → Maximum vessel weight = 940 kg

Conclusion and Comments

- 1. Percentage of Built-in Buoyancy provided (excluding crew) $\approx 38\%$.
- 2. The built-in buoyancy provisions are sufficient to ensure that the vessel will remain positively buoyant when fully flooded, swamped or capsized. The provisions will not support the weight of the crew who should be able to hold on / cling to the vessel in the water.
- 3. The vessel buoyancy provisions suitable for Category R operations.
- 4. This buoyancy certificate should be retained on board with the vessels Local General Safety Certificate or Certificate of Fitness.
- 5. Partial inspection of the buoyancy installation should be carried out every 5 years provided that the hull is not damaged.

Boat Builders Representative Date

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