

## Category R Vessels > 15 hp

No	Description & Remarks	Illustration
1	<p align="center"><b>Certification</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Valid CoC or Temporary CoC.</li> <li>Valid Certificate of Fitness (CoF) or LGSC (Commercial).</li> </ol>	
2	<p align="center"><b>Approved Buoyancy Aid</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Comply with quality standard SANS 12402 (SAMSA Marine Notice 37 of 2016); and</li> <li>Appropriate size for <b>each person</b> on board.</li> </ol>	
3	<p align="center"><b>Waterproof Torch</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Including set of spare batteries and spare bulb.</li> <li>Required <b>only</b> for vessels operating at night.</li> </ol>	
4	<p align="center"><b>Suitable Fire Extinguisher</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One per engine and 1.5 kg capacity.</li> <li>Not expired; serviced annually by SANS accredited service station.</li> </ol>	
5	<p align="center"><b>Set of Oars or Paddles</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Required <b>only</b> for power-driven vessels fitted with a single outboard motor.</li> </ol>	
6	<p align="center"><b>Capsize Rope</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Required <b>only</b> for Inflatable Vessels.</li> <li>Approximately 3 x vessellength or 20 m long.</li> </ol>	
7	<p align="center"><b>Full set of Sails</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Including storm sails where appropriate.</li> <li>Required <b>only</b> on sailing vessels.</li> </ol>	
8	<p align="center"><b>Proper Patent Anchor, Chain &amp; Rope</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vessel ≥ 6 m.; Chain length at least 5 m. long</li> <li>Vessel &lt; 6 m.; Chain length at least 3 m. long</li> <li>Anchor Rope at least 50 m long.</li> </ol>	
9	<p align="center"><b>First Aid Kit</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Including elementary first-aid manual.</li> <li>Required only for power-driven vessels &gt;15 Hp.</li> </ol>	
10	<p align="center"><b>Suitable Air Bellows</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Required <b>only</b> on Inflatable Vessels.</li> <li>Including Repair Kit.</li> </ol>	

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11	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Spares</b></p> <p>1. Adequate for the purpose of carrying out emergency repairs to machinery and essential equipment on board.</p>	
12	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Tools</b></p> <p>1. Adequate for the purpose of carrying out emergency repairs to machinery and essential equipment on board.</p>	
13	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Emergency Steering</b></p> <p>1. Must be able to operate at all angles. 2. The emergency steering may be portable.</p>	
14	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Bilge Pump</b></p> <p>1. Compulsory for vessels &gt; 7 m. long; 2. But <b>not</b> applicable to vessels with self-draining decks. (wet-deck)</p>	
15	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Self Bailing Device</b></p> <p>1. If impracticable for vessels ≤ 7 m. long with no self-draining arrangement; a sufficient bailing device will be used; 2. But <b>not</b> applicable to wet-deck vessels.</p>	
16	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Red Flag (500 x 500 mm)</b></p> <p>1. To be used when water skiing or with towable inflatable water toys (tubes, water worms, etc.)</p>	
17	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Spare Fuel</b></p> <p>1. Ensure that the vessel carries sufficient fuel for intended voyage + 25 % Reserve</p>	
18	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Outboard Motor Kill-Switch</b></p> <p>1. Kill-Switch fitted; including Kill-Switch Lanyard; 2. Test before leaving the shore.</p>	

**IMPORTANT NOTES**

- All appliances and equipment (lifejackets, oars, first-aid kit, etc.) belonging to a vessel must be permanently marked with the vessel's name or vessel's number.**
- Where any vessel is launched from a trailer, other than a dolly used at a private launching site, the trailer bearing the vessel must be marked in a conspicuous position with the vessel's name or vessel's number (where applicable) and with the owner's name and telephone number.**

## Hand Operated Vessels & Vessels ≤ 15 hp

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1	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Approved Buoyancy Aid</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Comply with quality standard SANS 12402 (SAMSA Marine Notice 37 of 2016); and</li> <li>2. Appropriate size for <b>each person</b> on board.</li> </ol>	
2	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Towing Rope</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. For Emergency Towing or Tying Down Vessel.</li> <li>2. Approximately 10 m long.</li> </ol>	
3	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Self Bailing Device</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>NOT</b> applicable to wet-deck vessels.</li> </ol>	

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