

LOCAL MARINE NOTICE



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LIFE JACKETS MANDATORY IN TENDERS IN PORT WATERS

ISSUED PURSUANT TO SECTION 104 OF THE PORT AUTHORITIES ACT 1999

Date: 29 March 2023

Local Marine Notice 01-2022 cancelled and replaced with 01-2023

Due to the inherent risks of weather and current, and as a result of the Kimberley Port Authority Risk Assessment, it will be compulsory for all crew operating commercial tenders in Kimberley Port Waters to wear a Personal Floatation Device. PFD.

A PFD must be worn by any crew member of the mother ship, whilst in the tender, regardless of the purpose the crew are using the tender.

Kimberley Ports Authority would like to congratulate all operators that also have their passengers wear PFD's for professional safety in their operation.

As of the 2nd April 2023 this Local Marine Notice will take effect.

Under the *Port Authorities Act 1999* the *Port Authorities Regulations 2001* and *Amendments 2021* failure to comply with this Notice could result in an Individual or Corporate Fine up to \$2000.



David Duncan
REGIONAL HARBOUR MASTER

Marine and other port users are requested to notify the Kimberley Ports Authority on the discovery of new dangers or suspected dangers to navigation.

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