

# Nautilus Marine Boat Dealers & Builders

Policy Wording



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Throughout this document, words appearing capitalised will have special meanings. These meanings are set out in the Policy section below headed "Definitions".

# 1. Our Agreement

This Boat Dealers & Builders Insurance Policy is a contract between You and Us:

### **Insuring Agreement**

In consideration of **You** paying **Us** the **Premium** and in reliance upon the information **You** provided to **Us** in **Your** application for insurance and its attachments, **We** shall cover **You** for the liabilities, costs and expenses that are covered by this **Policy**.

## **About Your Policy**

This **Policy** is made up of this document, the **Certificate** and any **Endorsements** and they should all be read as one document.

If **You** think that any details contained in these documents are not correct or if **You** need to change anything, **You** should tell **Us** or ask **Your** insurance intermediary to tell **Us**.

Unless expressly stated to the contrary, words that are emphasised by the use of capitalisation and bold print have the meaning given to them in Section 5 'Definitions' of this **Policy**.

This Policy is a legal contract between You and Us.

Based on the information provided by **You** when **You** applied for this insurance and subject to **You** having paid the required **Premium**, **We** agree to insure **You** during the **Period of Insurance** 

# Your Duty of Disclosure

Before **You** enter into an insurance contract, **You** have a duty to tell **Us** anything that **You** know, or could reasonably be expected to know, may affect **Our** decision to insure **You** and on what terms.

You have this duty until We agree to insure You.

**You** have the same duty before **You** renew, extend, vary or reinstate an insurance contract.

You do not need to tell Us anything that:

- reduces the risk **We** insure **You** for; or
- is common knowledge; or
- We know or should know as an insurer; or
- We waive Your duty to tell Us about.

# If You Do Not Tell Us Something

If You do not tell Us anything You are required to, We may cancel Your contract or reduce the amount We will pay You

if You make a claim under this Policy, or both.

If **Your** failure to tell **Us** is fraudulent, **We** may refuse to pay **Your** claim under this **Policy** and treat the contract as if it never existed.

## Cooling Off Period

Once cover has commenced **You** have 21 (twenty one) calendar days to decide whether this **Policy** meets **Your** needs. This is called the "cooling off period".

If during this time, **You** decide **You** are not completely satisfied with this **Policy**, and provided **You** have not made a claim under this **Policy**, **You** can cancel this **Policy** by notifying **Us** in writing. **We** will refund in full any **Premium You** have paid.

### Privacy Statement

NM Insurance Agency Pty Ltd, ABN 34 100 633 038, trading as Nautilus Marine are committed to protecting your privacy in accordance with the **Privacy Act** 1988 (Cth) (**Privacy Act**) and the Australian **Privacy** Principles (APPs). This **Privacy** Statement outlines how **We** collect, disclose and handle your personal information (including sensitive information) as defined in the **Act**.

# Why We Collect Your Personal Information

**We** collect your personal information (including sensitive information) so **We** can:

- identify You and conduct necessary checks;
- determine what service or products We can provide to You e.g. offer Our insurance products;
- issue, manage and administer services and products provided to **You** or others, including claims investigation, handling and settlement;
- improve Our services and products e.g. training and development of Our representatives, product and service research and data analysis and business strategy development, and
- make special offers of other services and products provided by Us or those We have an association with, that might be of interest to You.

# What Happens If You Don't Give Us Your Personal Information?

If **You** choose not to provide **Us** with the information **We** have requested, **We** may not be able to provide **You** with **Our** services or products or properly manage and administer services and products provided to **You** or others.

# How We Collect Your Personal Information

Collection can take place by telephone email, or in writing and through websites (from data **You** input directly or through cookies and other web analytic tools).

**We** collect it directly from **You** unless **You** have consented to collection from someone other than **You**, it is unreasonable or impracticable for **Us** to do so or the law permits **Us** to.

If You provide Us with personal information about another

person **You** must only do so with their consent and agree to make them aware of this privacy notice.

# Who We Disclose Your Personal Information To

**We** share **Your** personal information with third parties for the collection purposes noted above.

The third parties include: **Our** related companies and **Our** representatives who provide services for **Us**, the **Insurer**, other insurers and reinsurers, **Your** agents, **Our** legal, accounting and other professional advisers, data warehouses and consultants, social media and other similar sites and networks, membership, loyalty and rewards programs or partners, providers of medical and non-medical assistance and services, investigators, loss assessors and adjusters, other parties **We** may be able to claim or recover against, and anyone either of **Us** appoint to review and handle complaints or disputes and any other parties where permitted or required by law.

We may need to disclose information to persons located overseas. Who they are may change from time to time. You can contact Us for details or refer to Our Privacy Policy available at Our website www.nautilusinsurance. com.au. In some cases We may not be able to take reasonable steps to ensure they do not breach the Privacy Act and they may not be subject to the same level of protection or obligations that are offered by the Act. By proceeding to acquire Our services and products You agree that You cannot seek redress under the Act or against Us (to the extent permitted by law) and may not be able to seek redress overseas.

# More Information, Access, Correction or Complaints

For more information about **Our** privacy practices including how **We** collect, use or disclose information, how to access or seek correction to **Your** information or how to complain in relation to a breach of the Australian **Privacy** Principles and how such a complaint will be handled, please refer to **Our Privacy Policy** available at **Our** website www.nautilusinsurance.com.au or by contacting **Us** (**Our** contact details are below).

# Contact Us & Opting Out

By proceeding with **Your** application or submitting **Your** claim under this **Policy**, **You** and any other person included on this **Policy**, consent to this use and these disclosures unless **You** tell **Us** otherwise. If **You** wish to withdraw your consent, including for things such as receiving information on products and offers by **Us** or persons **We** have an association with, please contact **Us** 

By phone: 1300 780 533

By email: customerservice@nautilusinsurance.com.au In writing: 28-32 George Street, Sandringham VIC3191

# Dispute & Complaints Process

Both **We** and the **Insurer** are committed to handling any complaints about **Our** products or services efficiently and fairly.

Any enquiry or complaint relating to this insurance should be referred to **Us** in the first instance. Please contact **Us** 

By phone: 1300 780533

By email: customerservice@nautilusinsurance.com.au In writing: 28-32 George Street, Sandringham VIC3191

If this does not resolve the matter or **You** are not satisfied with the way a complaint has been dealt with, **You** can contact the **Insurer** on their dedicated complaints line – 1800 339 669 and/or in writing to:

Head of Compliance AIG Australia Limited ("AIG") Level 12, 717 Bourke Street, Docklands VIC 3008

As soon as AIG receives **Your** complaint they will take all possible steps to resolve it. **You** will receive a written response to **Your** complaint within 15 working days, unless they agree a longer timeframe with **You**.

If **You** are still unhappy, there are certain circumstances in which **You** may request that the matter be reviewed by the AIG Internal Dispute Resolution Committee ("Committee").

The Committee is comprised of either a Senior Management or three Senior Managers of AIG with the experience and authority to decide on matters brought before it.

The circumstances in which **You** may request the matter to be reviewed by the Committee are where the external dispute resolution body referenced below has jurisdiction to hear **Your** complaint under their terms of reference ("eligible complaint").

At the time of **You** making the initial complaint, AIG will advise **You** if **Your** complaint can or cannot be referred to the Committee.

If **You** wish to have **Your** complaint reviewed by the Committee and provided the complaint is an eligible complaint, please telephone or write to the person who has signed the response letter to **Your** complaint and provide them with detailed reasons for requesting the review. **You** may also make a request for a review by the Committee by contacting:

The Chairperson IDRC
AIG Australia Limited
Level 12, 717 Bourke Street
Docklands VIC 3008

For eligible complaints which can be heard by the Committee a written response setting out the final decision of the IDRC Committee and the reasons for this decision will be provided to **You** within 15 working days of the date **You** advise AIG **You** wish to take **Your** eligible complaint to IDRC.

If AIG are unable to provide such written response setting out the final decision AIG will keep **You** informed of progress at least every 10 days.

If **You** are not satisfied that the Committee has no jurisdiction to hear **Your** complaint, the finding of the Committee in relation to the eligible complaint or if AIG have been unable to resolve the eligible complaint within 45 calendar days, **You** may be able to take **Your** matter to an independent dispute resolution body, the Australian Financial Complaints Authority ("AFCA").

Please note that in relation to this policy there are circumstances in which AFCA may not have jurisdiction under their terms of reference. Their jurisdiction or terms of reference of AFCA are set out in the AFCA Rules available on the AFCA website (http://www.afca.org.au).

If the eligible complaint falls within AFCA jurisdiction or their terms of reference, this external dispute resolution body can make decisions with which AIG are obliged to comply. Contact details of AFCA are:

Australian Financial Complaints Authority GPO Box 3 Melbourne, VIC 3001 Tel: 1800 931 678 (local call fee applies) Email: info@afca.org.au. Internet: http://www.afca.org.au

Please note if Your complaint cannot be heard by the

Committee or does not fall within AFCA's jurisdiction or terms of reference, **You** may consider seeking independent legal advice or taking the complaint to another external dispute resolution forum (if any) that may be available to **You**.

# General Insurance Code of Practice

The **Insurer** is a signatory to the General Insurance Code of Practice. This aims to raise the standards of practice and service in the insurance industry, improve the way that claims and complaints are handled and help people better understand how general insurance works. Information brochures on the General Insurance Code of Practice are available upon request.

#### The Insurer

This insurance is issued/insured by:

AIG Australia Limited (AIG) ABN 93 004 727 753 AFSL 381686 Level 12, 717 Bourke Street Docklands, VIC 3008

AIG issues/insures this product pursuant to an Australian Financial Services Licence granted to them by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission.

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# 2. Material Damage

You are only covered for Damage to Watercraft when this is stated on the Certificate.

If the **Certificate** states that this 'Material **Damage**' Section does not apply then **You** are not covered for **Damage** to **Watercraft**.

# 2.1 What We Cover You For - Standard Benefits

This 'Material Damage' Section of this Policy covers You for:

# Loss of or Damage to Watercraft

Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for **Damage** to **Watercraft** that is

- either owned by You or Consigned to You, or
- neither owned by You nor Consigned to You but for which You have accepted responsibility to arrange material damage insurance

occurring either in the ordinary course of **Your Business** or during private pleasure use by **You** or **Your** principals or

Employees, and provided that such Damage

- is caused by or arises from an Occurrence, and
- happens during the **Period of Insurance**.

# Loss of or Damage to Chandlery & Equipment

Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for **Damage** to chandlery and equipment owned

by You provided that such Damage

- is caused by or arises from an Occurrence;
- in the ordinary course of Your Business, and
- happens during the Period of Insurance.

# 2.2 What We Cover You For - Additional Benefits

This 'Material Damage' Section of this Policy also covers You for:

# Inspection Following Grounding Extension

In the event of the grounding of a **Watercraft You** are, subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, covered for reasonable expenses incurred by **You** in having the grounded **Watercraft** inspected for the sole purpose of establishing whether the **Watercraft** sustained **Damaged** during grounding.

You are only covered for such expenses if

- the grounding occurs in the ordinary course of Your Business;
- 2. the grounding occurs during the **Period of Insurance**;
- 3. the grounding is caused by or arises from an **Occurrence** covered by this **Policy**, and
- there is a reasonable expectation that **Damage** to the **Watercraft** may have been sustained during grounding.

If covered by this **Policy**, the expenses **You** incur shall be payable by **Us** whether **Damage** is established or not.

Unless stated to the contrary on the Certificate

- no Excess shall apply to any amount that We become liable to pay under the provisions of this 'Inspection Following Grounding Extension' clause, and
- 6. the Limit of Liability applicable to this 'Inspection Following Grounding Extension' clause is the lesser of the insured value of the Watercraft or AUD50,000 (fifty thousand Australian Dollars) for all amounts

payable in respect of any claim or a series of claims caused by or arising from one **Occurrence**.

The amount payable by **Us** under this 'Inspection Following Grounding **Extension**' clause shall be in addition to any amount payable by **Us** under the provisions of Section 2.3 'How Much **We** Will Pay **You**' of this **Policy**.

# Precautionary Measures Extension

Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for expenses that **You** reasonably and properly incur in the ordinary course of **Your Business** for the sole purpose of moving **Watercraft** that are under threat of being **Damaged** by a

- Named Cyclone;
- Flood:
- windstorm;
- tidal surge or wave, or
- fire

to a place of safety.

You are only covered for such expenses where such movement of Watercraft happens during the Period of Insurance

Unless stated to the contrary on the Certificate

- no Excess shall apply to any amount that We becomes liable to pay under the provisions of this 'Precautionary Measures Extension' clause, and
- the Limit of Liability applicable to this 'Precautionary Measures Extension' clause is the lesser of the insured value of the Watercraft or AUD50,000 (fifty thousand Australian Dollars) for all amounts payable in respect of each claim or a series of claims caused by or arising from one Occurrence.

The amount payable by **Us** under this 'Precautionary Measures **Extension**' clause shall be in addition to any amount payable by **Us** under the provisions of Section 2.3 'How Much **We** Will Pay **You**' of this **Policy**.

#### Removal of Wreck Extension

Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for expenses that **You** reasonably and properly incur in raising and/or removing and/or disposing of a **Damaged Watercraft** provided that

- the Damage to the Watercraft is caused by or arises from an Occurrence covered by this Policy, and
- You are ordered to raise and/or remove and/or dispose of the Damaged Watercraft by a recognised Road, Maritime, Port or Harbour Authority, or as otherwise may be agreed to by Us.

The amount payable by **Us** under this 'Removal of Wreck **Extension**' clause shall be in addition to any amount payable by **Us** under the provisions of Section 2.3 'How Much **We** Will Pay **You**' of this **Policy**.

# Safeguarding Damaged Watercraft Extension

Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for expenses that **You** reasonably and properly incurred in taking measures to prevent a **Damaged Watercraft** from sustaining further **Damage** such as, but without limitation, expenses incurred

- 1. in effecting temporary repairs, or
- for salvage and towage services provided to You under a written contract fixing the amount of compensation for such services.

You are only covered for such expenses where the Damage to the Watercraft is caused by or arises from an Occurrence covered by this Policy.

Unless stated to the contrary on the Certificate

- no Excess shall apply to any amount that We become liable to pay under the provisions of this 'Safeguarding Damaged Watercraft Extension' clause, and
- the Limit of Liability applicable to this 'Safeguarding Damaged Watercraft Extension' clause is the lesser of the insured value of the Watercraft or AUD50,000 (fifty thousand Australian Dollars) for all amounts

payable in respect of each claim or a series of claims caused by or arising from one **Occurrence**.

The amount payable by **Us** under this 'Safeguarding **Damaged Watercraft Extension**' clause shall be in addition to any amount payable by **Us** under the provisions of Section 2.3 'How Much **We** Will Pay **You**' of this **Policy**.

### Voluntary Salvage

If **Damage** to a **Watercraft** happens and such **Damage** is caused by or arises from an **Occurrence** covered by this **Policy**, then subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for

- 1. all sums awarded by a Court of competent jurisdiction to voluntary salvors, or
- 2. salvors acting under a salvage agreement providing for a salvage award on a no cure, no pay basis.

Any amount that **We** pay under the provisions of this 'Voluntary Salvage' clause shall be deducted from the amount payable by **Us** under the provisions of Section 2.3 'How Much **We** Will Pay **You**' of this **Policy**.

# 2.3 How Much We Will Pay You

Under this 'Material Damage' Section of this Policy, **We** will Pay You:

#### **Boat Dealer**

In respect of Your Business as a Boat Dealer:

- Where Watercraft owned by You is Damaged and in Our opinion cannot be economically repaired, We will pay You
  - the actual purchase price that You paid for the Watercraft, plus
  - ii. the actual invoice cost of amounts You paid to third party vendors in the ordinary course of preparing the Watercraft for sale up to a maximum of 10% (ten per cent) of the actual invoice cost that You paid for the Watercraft.

- Where Watercraft Consigned to You is Damaged and in **Our** opinion cannot be economically repaired, We will pay the Market Value of the Watercraft immediately before the **Damage** happened.
- Notwithstanding the foregoing, if You satisfactorily prove to **Us** that the **Watercraft** had been sold by **You** before the **Damage** happened but delivery to the new owner had not yet occurred, then We will pay You either
  - the actual invoice selling price of the Watercraft,
  - 110% (one hundred and ten percent) of the amount payable under (1) above whichever amount is the lower amount.
- Where Watercraft owned by You is Damaged and in Our opinion can be economically repaired, We will pay You either
  - the cost of repairing or reinstating the Watercraft to a condition equal to but no better or more extensive than its condition immediately before the **Damage** happened;
  - the cost of replacing the Watercraft with a similar item of the same age and condition or as near as possible to the age and condition immediately before the **Damage** happened, or
  - iii. the Market Value of the Watercraft immediately before the **Damage** happened

whichever amount is the lower amount.

We will not pay for any improvement or betterment to Watercraft.

Where chandlery and equipment is **Damaged**, **We** will pay You the actual purchase price that You paid for the chandlery and equipment.

#### **Boat Builder**

In respect of Your Business as a Boat Builder:

Where Watercraft is Damaged and in Our opinion cannot be economically repaired, We will pay You the actual cost of the Watercraft immediately before the Damage happened.

If **You** are an "owner builder" then the actual cost of the Watercraft shall not include the cost of Your own labour but shall include amounts paid by You to third party vendors in the ordinary course of building Watercraft.

If You are a commercial Boat Builder then the actual cost of the Watercraft shall include the cost of Your own labour, other business costs and amounts paid by You to third party vendors in the ordinary course of building Watercraft. Where as a direct consequence of the **Damage** the contract to build the **Watercraft** is cancelled then We shall also pay You the original margin of profit.

Where Watercraft is Damaged and in Our opinion can be economically repaired, We will pay You the cost of repairing or reinstating the **Watercraft** to a condition equal to but no better or more extensive than its condition immediately before the **Damage** happened.

If You are an "owner builder" then the cost of repairing or reinstating the Watercraft shall not include the cost of Your own labour but shall include amounts paid by **You** to third party vendors in the ordinary course of repairing or reinstating the Watercraft. We will not pay for any improvement or betterment to Watercraft.

If You are a commercial Boat Builder then the cost of repairing or reinstating the Watercraft shall include the cost of Your own labour, other business costs and amounts paid by You to third party vendors in the ordinary course of building Watercraft. We will not pay for any improvement or betterment to Watercraft.

## **Unrepaired Damage**

We will not pay for any Damage not repaired if Your Watercraft is subsequently lost, destroyed or declared a constructive total loss, whether or not such unrepaired Damage is caused by or arises from an Occurrence covered by this **Policy** or any prior insurance policy issued by Us.

## Limit of Liability

In no case shall We pay an amount exceeding the Limit of Liability stated on the Certificate.

# 2.4 Exclusions Specific to this Material Damage Section

This 'Material Damage' Section of this Policy does not cover You for:

# Computer Software

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from computer software, programs or data unless forming part of the **Watercraft**'s marine electronics.

#### Confiscation

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from confiscation, nationalisation, requisition or embargo by order of any government, public or local authority.

# Cyber Attack

We do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from the use or operation, as a means of inflicting harm, of any computer, computer system, computer software programme, malicious code, computer virus or process or any other electronic system.

This exclusion is paramount and shall override anything contained in this **Policy** inconsistent therewith.

### **Electrical Derangement**

**We** do not cover any electrical or electronic or mechanical breakdown or derangement of electrical or electronic equipment of **Watercraft** unless resulting from an **Occurrence** covered by this **Policy**.

# Embargo & Sanctions

**We** are not liable to make any payments for liability under any coverage sections of this **Policy** or make any payments under any extension for any loss or claim arising in, or where the insured person or any beneficiary under this **Policy** is a citizen or instrumental in the government of, any country(ies) against which any laws and/or regulations governing this **Policy** and/or **Us**, **Our** parent company or its ultimate controlling entity have established an embargo or other form of economic sanction which have the effect of prohibiting the insurer to provide insurance coverage transacting business with or otherwise offering economic benefits to the insured person or any other beneficiary under this **Policy**.

### **Engine Power**

We do not cover any Damage to Watercraft caused by arising from Watercraft being fitted with a motor that exceeds the manufacturer's power and/or weight specifications.

#### Hot Work

Unless You have told Us that You undertake Hot Work and this is stated in the 'Your Business' section of the Certificate, We do not cover any Damage to Watercraft caused by or arising from Hot Work whatsoever.

Notwithstanding that **You** may have told to **Us** that **You** undertake **Hot Work**, in no case do **We** cover **Damage** to

Watercraft caused by or arising from Hot Work

- performed on or in Watercraft previously engaged in carrying explosives or flammable liquids or gases;
- 2. performed on or near any fuel tank, pipeline or fuel bunker space, and/or
- not performed in accordance with the provisions of Australian Standard 1674.1-1997 – Safety in Welding and Allied Process – Fire Precautions.

## Faulty Workmanship

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from **Your** faulty workmanship.

# Inherent Vice & Ordinary Loss

 $\ensuremath{\mathbf{We}}$  do not cover any  $\ensuremath{\mathbf{Damage}}$  to  $\ensuremath{\mathbf{Watercraft}}$  caused by or arising from

- inherent vice, osmosis, blistering, fiberglass or surface coat blistering, electrolysis, delamination, rust, corrosion or oxidation, warping or shrinkage, change of temperature or humidity;
- 2. ordinary wear and tear or gradual deterioration, or
- 3. marine life, marine borers, moths, insects, rats or other or vermin, rot, fungi, mould or infestation.

#### Intentional Acts

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from any intentional, reckless or willful act or omission, or any fraudulent or dishonest acts committed by **You** or any person acting with **Your** knowledge, consent or connivance.

## Inventory Shrinkage

We do not cover any loss of chandlery and equipment directly or indirectly caused by or attributable to any inventory shrinkage or unexplained loss or mysterious disappearance, such as, but not limited to, any unexplained discrepancy between any records made or kept by You and any produced by a warehouse keeper, or any loss subsisting only in a profit and loss comparison, or shortage discovered upon taking inventory or preparing chandlery and equipment for transit which is not traceable to an identifiable event.

#### Latent Defect

**We** do not cover any expenses incurred in the repair or replacement of any **Latent Defect** in **Watercraft**.

## Loss of Use & Pecuniary Loss

- In respect of Your Business as a Boat Dealer, except to the extent provided for in Section 2.3 'How Much We Will Pay You' of this Policy, We do not cover any loss caused by or arising from the loss of use of Watercraft or any loss of profit, loss of market, or any other pecuniary damages of any kind.
- In respect of Your Business as a Boat Builder, We do not cover any loss caused by or arising from the

loss of use of **Watercraft** or any loss of profit, loss of market, or any other pecuniary damages of any kind.

# Manufacturing & Design Defects

We do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from defect in design or defect in manufacture of

**Watercraft** or any additional or replacement part, component or system.

#### Mechanical Parts

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from any mechanical part that is not in accordance with the manufacturer's original specifications.

# Modification or Alteration of Watercraft

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from modification or alterations made to **Watercraft**.

This exclusion shall not apply if such modifications or alterations are

- made by You if You are authorised by the Watercraft manufacturer to make such modifications or alterations;
- made by a party appointed by You and You have taken reasonable steps to establish that such party is authorised by the Watercraft manufacturer to make such modifications or alterations, and
- in respect of Your Business as a Boat Dealer, this
  exclusion shall not apply if such modifications
  or alterations are made prior to You owning the
  Watercraft, or the Watercraft being Consigned to
  You and You have notified Us of such modifications
  or alterations and We have issued an Endorsement
  noting Our acceptancethereof.

**We** shall not rely on this sub-clause (3) to reduce or decline liability under this **Policy** if **You** were not aware, and in the ordinary course of **Your Business**  as a **Boat Dealer** could reasonably not have known of the existence of such modifications or alterations.

#### Motors Secured to Watercraft

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from motors being secured to **Watercraft** in a manner contrary to the manner specified by the manufacturer of the motors or of the **Watercraft**.

## Overheating

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** or motors of **Watercraft** caused by or arising from the overheating and/or seizure of a **Watercraft**'s motors unless such overheating and/or seizure is caused by an **Occurrence** covered by this **Policy**.

# Radioactive Contamination, Chemical, Biological, Bio-Chemical & Electromagnetic Weapons

We do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from

- ionising radiations from or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from the combustion of nuclear fuel;
- the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous or contaminating properties of any nuclear installation, reactor, or other nuclear assembly or nuclear component thereof;
- any weapon or device employing atomic or nuclear fission and/or fusion or other like reaction or radioactive force or matter;
- 4. the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous or contaminating properties of any radioactive matter. The exclusion in this sub-clause (4) does not extend to radioactive isotopes, other than nuclear fuel, when such isotopes are being prepared, carried, stored, or used for commercial, agricultural, medical, scientific

- or other similar peaceful purposes, or
- 5. any chemical, biological, bio-chemical, or electromagnetic weapon.

This exclusion is paramount and shall override anything contained in this **Policy** inconsistent therewith.

#### Sails

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to sails of a **Watercraft** caused by or arising from the action of wind or water. This exclusion shall not apply where water damage arises from a **Flood** covered by this **Policy**.

#### Seaworthiness

We do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** that is in an unseaworthy or defective condition.

This exclusion shall not apply if **You** were not aware, and in the ordinary course of **Your Business** as a **Boat Dealer** could reasonably not have known that the **Watercraft** was not seaworthy.

# Speed

We do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** that happens when **Watercraft** exceeds a speed of 60 (sixty) knots.

#### **Territorial Limits**

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from an **Occurrence** that happens more than 250 (two hundred a fifty) nautical miles off mainland Australia or Tasmania.

# Towing of Other Vessels

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from the towing of another vessel or watercraft.

This exclusion shall not apply to the towing of a **Watercraft**'s own tender or when providing emergency assistance to a distressed vessel or watercraft.

# Transport of Watercraft

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** happening whilst being transported or during loading or unloading operations incidental to transport.

This exclusion shall not apply to

- trailered Watercraft being towed by You on its own trailer, or
- trailered or non-trailered Watercraft being transported by a third party carrier of good repute and specialising in the transportation of Watercraft.

# Unsuitable Mooring

We do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from it being secured to a mooring that is not

- 1. of a suitable design and weighting for the Watercraft;
- 2. appropriately sited, and
- in good order and regularly maintained on at least an annual basis.

# War, Strikes & Terrorism

**We** do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** caused by or arising from any

- strike, lockout, labour disturbance, riot, civil commotion or act of any person taking part in any such event:
- 2. person acting from a political, ideological or religious motive;
- 3. act of Terrorism;
- action in controlling, preventing, suppressing, retaliating against or responding to or in way relating to **Terrorism**:
- act of war, civil war, revolution, rebellion, insurrection, or civil strife arising therefrom, or any hostile act by or against a belligerent power;
- 6. capture, seizure, arrest, restraint or detainment, and the consequences thereof or any attempt thereat, or
- 7. derelict mines, torpedoes, bombs or other derelict weapons of war.

# Water Ingress - Personal Watercraft

We do not cover **Damage** to motors of a **Personal**Watercraft caused by or arising from water ingress unless the water ingress results directly from an **Occurrence** that results in **Damage** the hull of the **Personal Watercraft** and such **Damage** to the hull is the cause of the water ingress.

# Watercraft Owned by Others

We do not cover any **Damage** to **Watercraft** that are neither owned by **You** nor **Consigned** to **You**.

This exclusion shall not apply if **You** have accepted responsibility to arrange material damage insurance for **Watercraft** that are neither owned by **You** nor **Consigned** to **You** and **You** have told **Us** of this.

# 2.5 Conditions Specific to this Material Damage Section

This 'Material Damage' Section of this Policy is subject to the following conditions:

#### Abandonment

No action which either **You** or **We** take to save, protect or recover **Watercraft** will be regarded as a waiver or acceptance of abandonment nor will it prejudice the rights of either **You** or **Us**.

#### Claims Procedure

You will

- give Us immediate notice in writing with full particulars of every Occurrence, circumstance, claim, writ, summons, proceedings, impending prosecution, inquest and the like which may give rise to a claim recoverable under this Policy;
- 2. use **Your** best endeavours to preserve **Watercraft** or any parts thereof which may be necessary or useful

- by way of evidence in connection with any claim and, so far as may be reasonably practicable, no alteration or repair shall be made to a Watercraft until We have had an opportunity to inspect it and given Our prior written consent;
- not make any admission, offer, promise or payment in connection with any Occurrence or claim without Our prior written consent, and
- give Us all information and assistance as We may reasonably require in the prosecution, defence or settlement of any claim.

#### We will

- be entitled to take over and conduct in Your name the defence or settlement of any claim, and
- have full discretion in the conduct of any negotiations or proceedings in connection with any claim.

# Prevention of Damage

You must take reasonable precautions to prevent Damage to Watercraft as if You were not covered by this Policy. Such precautions include but are not limited to ensuring that

- the carrying capacity of a trailer, as rated by its manufacturer, is sufficient to carry the Watercraft;
- the towing capacity of a tow vehicle, as rated by its manufacturer, is sufficient to tow the Watercraft and its trailer;
- the load capacity of the tow hitch of a tow vehicle, as rated by its manufacturer, is sufficient for the weight of the Watercraft and its trailer;
- trailers are fitted with the legally required braking system
- 5. trailers and tow vehicles are roadworthy;
- 6. oversize signage, flags and lighting are used in accordance with any road regulations that may apply;
- adequate security measures are in force to reasonably prevent theft of Watercraft, such as but not limited to a commercially available trailer wheel lock or tow hitch locking device, or unauthorised access to Watercraft;

- adequate protective measures are in force to reasonably prevent Damage to Watercraft, and
- any person in command and control of Watercraft
  - is accompanied by You in so far as is practicable;
  - holds the appropriate license to operate the Watercraft;
  - has adequate experience to reasonably control the Watercraft;
  - is not under the influence of alcohol or drugs,
  - has not been refused boating insurance within the last 5 (five) calendar years,
- 10. all hazardous materials are used and stored as required by law.

If You do not take reasonable precautions We may decline to pay part or all of a claim.

### Salvage

Where the amount **We** pay in the event of a claim is based on

- a total loss or constructive total loss of a Watercraft (or parts thereof), We shall be entitled, but not obligated, to take legal ownership of such Watercraft (or parts thereof) and/or keep the proceeds of sale, for which We have paid the claim, irrespective of their condition.
  - When **We** elect to take legal ownership of the of such Watercraft (or parts thereof) You agree to provide to Us all legal rights and title in such Watercraft (or parts thereof) if requested by Us.
- a partial loss of a Watercraft (or parts thereof), We shall be entitled, but not obligated, to take legal ownership of any **Damaged** parts of the **Watercraft** (or parts thereof) and/or keep the proceeds of sale, for which We have paid the claim, irrespective of their condition.

# Subrogation & Allocation of the Proceeds of Recoveries

Any corporation, organisation or person claiming under this insurance shall, at **Our** request and at **Our** expense, do and concur in doing and permit to be done all such acts and things that may be necessary or may reasonably be required by **Us** for the purpose of enforcing any rights and remedies, or for obtaining relief or indemnity from any other organisations or persons, to which **We** shall be or would become entitled upon **Us** paying for or indemnifying **You** in respect of claim under this **Policy**.

Should **You** incur any **Damage** which is not covered by this **Policy** 

- 1. due to the application of an Excess, and/or
- 2. where the amount of any loss exceeds the applicable Limit of liability

You will be entitled to the first call on the proceeds of all recoveries made, by either You or Us, on account of such Damage until fully reimbursed for such uninsured amount (less the actual costs of making such recoveries where those costs are incurred by Us) and any remaining amounts will be applied to reimburse Us.

# 3. Legal Liability

You are only covered for legal liabilities arising from Your Business when this is stated on the Certificate.

If the **Certificate** states that this 'Legal Liability' Section does not apply then **You** are not covered for legal liabilities arising from **Your Business**.

# 3.1 What We Cover You For - Standard Benefits

This 'Legal Liability' Section of this **Policy** covers **You** for:

## General Liability

Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for **General Liability** 

- caused by or arising from an Occurrence;
- either in the ordinary course of Your Business or during private pleasure use by You or Your principals or Employees, and
- happening during the Period of Insurance.

## **Product Liability**

Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for **Product Liability** 

- caused by or arising from an Occurrence;
- in the ordinary course of Your Business, and
- happening during the Period of Insurance.

#### Costs & Expenses

Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for **Costs & Expenses** relating directly to a **General Liability** or **Product Liability** covered under this **Policy**.

If to dispose of or settle a **Claim**, **Compensation** is payable in excess of the **Limit of Liability**, then **Our** liability for **Costs & Expenses** will be limited to the same proportion of the **Costs & Expenses** as the **Limit of Liability** bears to the total **Compensation** payable to dispose of or settle the **Claim**.

Our liability to pay Costs & Expenses is in addition to the Limit of Liability but in no case to exceed an amount equivalent to the Limit of Liability.

## Removal of Wreck Expenses

Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for **Removal of Wreck Expenses** incurred

- in the ordinary course of Your Business, and
- where the removal order is first served on You during the Period of Insurance.

If the Occurrence causing or giving rise to Removal of Wreck Expenses also gives rise to General Liability and/ or Product Liability then Our liability to pay for Removal of Wreck Expenses is in addition to the Limit of Liability but in no case to exceed an amount equivalent to the Limit of Liability.

# 3.2 What We Cover You For - Additional Benefits

This 'Legal Liability' Section of this Policy also covers You for:

# Physical or Legal Control Extension

The 'Physical or Legal Control' exclusion clause contained in Section 3.4 'Exclusions Specific to this Legal Liability Section' of this **Policy** shall not apply to **Property Damage** to

- Watercraft provided that (a) such Watercraft is in Your physical or legal control for reward in the ordinary course of Your Business and (b) that You have accepted or assumed legal liability for such Watercraft;
- any of the items specified in sub-clauses (i) (v) below, provided that such items are (a) in Your physical or legal control in the ordinary course of Your Business, and(b)that You have accepted or assumed legal liability for them:
  - Watercraft other than that specifically provided for in sub-clause (1)above;
  - the personal tools, clothing or effects of Your directors, partners, proprietors, officers, executives or Employees, or the clothing and personal effects of any of Your visitors;
  - iii. a premises (including its contents) leased or rented to or temporarily occupied by **You**;
  - a Vehicle (including its contents, spare parts and accessories while they are in or on such Vehicle)

provided that such Vehicle is

- not hired, leased by or loaned to You, and
- is in a car park that is owned or operated by You, and
- that You do not operate such car park for reward as a principal part of Your Business,
- v. any **Property** not more specifically provided for in sub-clauses (i) to (iv)above.

Unless stated to the contrary on the **Certificate**, the **Limit of Liability** applicable to the cover provided by the provisions of sub-clause (2) of this 'Physical or Legal Control **Extension**' clause is AUD500,000 (five hundred thousand Australian Dollars) for all amounts payable in respect of each claim or a series of claims under this **Policy** caused by or arising from one **Occurrence** and in the aggregate during the **Period of Insurance**.

# Pollution Liability Extension

The 'Pollution' exclusion clause contained in Section 3.4 'Exclusions Specific to this Legal Liability Section' of this

**Policy**, shall not apply to the extent of the provisions of this '**Pollution Liability Extension**' clause.

Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, **You** are covered for **Pollution Liability** 

- caused by or arising from an **Occurrence**;
- in the ordinary course of Your Business, and
- happening during the Period of Insurance.

Unless stated to the contrary on the Certificate

- the Excess applicable to this 'Pollution Liability Extension' clause is AUD5,000 (five thousand Australian Dollars), and
- the Limit of Liability applicable to this 'Pollution Liability Extension' clause is the 'Pollution Liability' amount stated in the 'Limits of Liability' section of the Certificate.

# Professional Services Liability Extension

The 'Professional Services' exclusion clause contained in Section 3.4 'Exclusions Specific to this Legal Liability Section' of this **Policy**, shall not apply to the extent of the provisions of this 'Professional Services Liability Extension' clause.

Subject to the terms and conditions of this Policy, You are covered for Professional Services Liability

- caused by or arising from an Occurrence;
- in the ordinary course of Your Business;
- where the Property Damage and/or Personal Injury happens after the relevant Retrospective Inception
- the Claim is first made against You during the Period of Insurance.

Notwithstanding the above, You are not covered for **Professional Services Liability** unless

- Watercraft inspections and/or issuing of reports are undertaken by suitably qualified and experienced Employees;
- reports are only released after being reviewed and approved by suitably qualified and experienced Employees, and
- a disclaimer of any liability arising out of the undertaking of Watercraft inspections and issuing of reports is included in all reports issued. Such disclaimer must have been provided to and agreed by Us prior to the commencement of this Policy.

Unless stated to the contrary on the Certificate

- the **Excess** applicable to any claim under this 'Professional Services Liability Extension' clause is AUD5,000 (five thousand Australian Dollars), and
- the Limit of Liability applicable to this 'Professional **Services Liability Extension**' clause is AUD500,000 (five hundred thousand Australian Dollars) for all amounts payable in respect of each claim or a series of claims under this **Policy** caused by or arising from one **Occurrence** and in the aggregate during the Period of Insurance

# Statutory Liability Extension

The 'Fines & Penalties' exclusion clause contained in Section 3.4 'Exclusions Specific to this Legal Liability Section' of this **Policy**, shall not apply to the extent of the provisions of this 'Statutory Liability Extension' clause.

Subject to the terms and conditions of this Policy, You are covered for Statutory Liability

- caused by or arising from an Occurrence;
- in the ordinary course of Your Business;
- that happens after the relevant Retrospective Inception Date;
- the Claim is first made against You during the Period of Insurance, and
- We are not legally prohibited from disposing of or settling the Claim.

We do not cover any liability caused by or arising from any breach, contravention or violation of sections 182, 183, 601FD, 601FE or 601JD of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) and any amendment, consolidation or re-enactment of any of those sections.

Unless stated to the contrary on the Certificate

- the Excess applicable to any claim under this 'Statutory Liability Extension' clause is AUD5,000 (five thousand Australian Dollars), and
- the **Limit of Liability** applicable to this 'Statutory Liability Extension' clause is AUD1,000,000 (one million Australian Dollars) for all amounts payable in respect of each claim or a series of claims under this Policy caused by or arising from one Occurrence and in the aggregate during the Period of Insurance.

# 3.3 What We Cover You For - Optional Benefits

Provided a corresponding Limit of Liability and an additional Premium are stated on the Certificate, then You are also covered for:

# **Environmental Impairment** Liability Extension

Provided a Limit of Liability and an additional Premium for Environmental Impairment Liability are shown on the Certificate then the 'Pollution' exclusion clause contained in Section 3.4 'Exclusions Specific to this Legal Liability Section' of this Policy shall not apply to the extent of the provisions of this 'Environmental Impairment Liability Extension' clause.

- Subject to the terms and conditions of this **Policy**, You are covered for Environmental Impairment Liability
  - caused by or arising from an Occurrence;
  - in the ordinary course of Your Business;
  - where the discharge, dispersal, release or escape of Pollutants into or upon land, the atmosphere or any watercourse or body of water take place after the relevant Retrospective Inception Date, and
  - the Claim is first made against You during the Period of Insurance.
- Notwithstanding the above, We do not cover any liability
  - (2.1) caused by or arising from any voluntary environmental investigation that is not required by **Environmental Laws** including, but not limited to, intrusive investigations or the taking or testing of soil and/or water samples from any of Your premises or the purposes of establishing the presence of Pollutants:
  - (2.2) caused by or arising from any Underground Storage Tank unless such tank
    - (2.2.1) caused by or arising from any voluntary environmental investigation that is not required by Environmental Laws including, but not limited to, intrusive investigations or the taking or testing of soil and/or water samples from any of Your premises or the purposes of establishing the presence of **Pollutants**;
    - (2.2.2) complies with any relevant local, state and federal legislation;
    - (2.2.3) has monthly monitoring by way of

- automatic tank gauging and/or monitoring wells and/or interstatial monitoring and/or statistical inventory analysis; and
- (2.2.4) has been specifically declared to and accepted by **Us** and such acceptance is stated on the Certificate:
- (2.3) caused by or arising from the excavation or movement of any ground material, including but not limited to surface soils and subsurface soils, from any construction, redevelopment, or refurbishment on or at any of Your premises;
- (2.4) caused by or arising from the voluntary or forced reconstruction, repair, replacement, removal, decommissioning, upgrading or rebuilding of any Underground Storage Tank or for any other improvements, site enhancements or routine maintenance on, within or under the site at which Underground Storage Tank is located, and/or
- (2.5) that is the subject of indemnity under any other section of this Policy, or would be but for the Limit of **Liability** applicable thereto.
- If to dispose of or settle a Claim, the amount payable in excess of the Limit of Liability applicable to Environmental Impairment Liability, then Our liability for Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses will be limited to the same proportion of the Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses as the **Limit of Liability** applicable to **Environmental Impairment Liability** bears to the total amount payable to dispose of or settle the Claim.
- Our liability to pay applicable to Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses is included within the Limit of Liability applicable to Environmental Impairment Liability and in no case shall be in addition to such Limit of liability.
- Unless stated to the contrary on the Certificate
  - (5.1) the **Excess** applicable to this 'Environmental Impairment Liability Extension' clause is AUD5,000 (five thousand Australian Dollars), and
  - (5.2) the **Limit of Liability** applicable to this 'Environmental Impairment Liability Extension' clause is AUD1.000.000 (one million Australian Dollars) for all amounts payable in respect of each claim or a series of claims under this Policy caused

by or arising from one **Occurrence** and in the aggregate during the **Period of Insurance**.

# 3.4 Exclusions Specific to this Legal Liability Section

This 'Legal Liability' Section of this Policy does not cover You for:

#### Aircraft & Hovercraft

We do not cover any liability caused by or arising from

- the use or ownership or operation by You of any Aircraft or Hovercraft;
- the construction, maintenance or servicing by You of any Aircraft or Hovercraft, or
- the use of any Watercraft or Property or structure owned, occupied or controlled by You as a landing area for Aircraft. The term "landing area" includes any area on which Aircraft taxi, land, take-off, are housed, maintained or operated.

#### Asbestos

**We** do not cover any liability caused by or arising from exposure to asbestos or materials containing asbestos.

## Assault & Battery

Except to the extent provided for in sub-clause (5) of the **Personal Injury** definition contained in Section 5 'Definitions' of this **Policy**, **We** do not cover any liability caused by or arising from assault and battery committed by **You** or at **Your** direction.

#### Confiscation

**We** do not cover any liability caused by or arising from confiscation, nationalisation, requisition, embargo or

destruction of or damage to **Watercraft** by order of any government, public or local authority.

#### Contractors

Unless You have informed Us that You engage Contractors and this is stated in the 'Your Business' section of the

**Certificate**, **We** do not cover any liability caused by or arising from the acts or omissions of **Contractors**.

## Contractual Liability

**We** do not cover any liability which has been assumed by **You** under any contract or agreement that requires **You** to

- effect insurance over Watercraft with the exception of Watercraft Consigned to You, and/or
- assume liability for Personal Injury and/or Property
   Damage regardless of fault.

This sub-clause (2) shall not apply with regard to liabilities

- i. which would have been implied by law in the absence of such contract or agreement;
- ii. assumed under Incidental Contracts;
- iii. assumed with regard to the merchantability, quality, fitness or care of **Product**s which are implied by law or statute, or
- iv. assumed under contracts shown to and accepted by Us and which are specifically stated in the 'Contractual Liability' section of the Certificate or in any Endorsement to this Policy.

### Cyber Attack

We do not cover any liability caused by or arising from the use or operation, as a means of inflicting harm, of any computer, computer system, computer software programme, malicious code, computer virus or process or any other electronic system.

This exclusion is paramount and shall override anything contained in this **Policy** inconsistent therewith.

# Default Judgment

**We** do not cover any liability under or arising from a judgment against **You** by reason of **Your** failure to defend a **Claim**. This exclusion shall not apply if **We** give **You** prior written consent to this course of action.

#### Electronic Data

**We** do not cover any liability caused by or arising from loss of or damage to **Electronic Data**.

This exclusion shall not apply if such loss or damage arises from

- the theft of any computer or computer hardware, firmware or any device containing a microchip or integrated circuit containing Electronic Data;
- water and/or other liquids or any other substances being discharged from or leaking or overflowing from any apparatus or appliance or pipes;
- the breakage of glass;
- 4. impact;
- 5. storm, tempest, rainwater, wind, hail, fire, lightning, earthquake, explosion, implosion, sonic boom or volcanic eruption, or
- Aircraft or other aerial devices or articles dropped from them, and happens in the ordinary course of Your Business.

### **Embargo & Sanctions**

We are not liable to make any payments for liability under any coverage sections of this Policy or make any payments under any extension for any loss or claim arising in, or where the insured person or any beneficiary under this Policy is a citizen or instrumental in the government of, any country(ies) against which any laws and/or regulations governing this Policy and/or Us, Our parent company or its ultimate controlling entity have established an embargo or other form of economic sanction which have the effect of prohibiting the insurer to provide insurance coverage transacting business with or otherwise offering economic benefits to the insured person or any other beneficiary under this Policy.

# Employer's Liability

We do not cover any liability for bodily injury to any
worker in respect of which You are or would be
entitled to indemnity under any policy of insurance,
fund, scheme or self insurance pursuant to or
required by any legislation relating to workers
compensation or accident compensation whether or
not such policy, fund, scheme or self insurance has
been effected.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, this **Policy** will respond to the extent that **Your** liability would not be covered under any such policy, fund, scheme or self insurance arrangement had **You** complied with its obligations pursuant to such law.

For the purpose of this sub-clause (1)

- i. the term 'worker' means any person deemed to be employed by **You** pursuant to any workers compensation Law. Voluntary workers, secondees and work experience students (if any) shall not be deemed to be **Your** employees.
- the term 'bodily injury' means bodily injury, death, sickness, disease, illness, disability, shock, fright, mental anguish and/or mental injury, including loss of consortium or services resulting therefrom.
- 2. We do not cover any liability imposed by
  - the provisions of any industrial award or agreement or determination or any contract of employment or workplace agreement where such liability would not have been imposed in the absence of such industrial award or agreement or determination or contract of employment or workplace agreement.
  - ii. any law relating to Employment Practices.

### **Exceeding Capacity**

**We** do not cover any liability caused by or arising from **You** exceeding the registered or rated capacity of any trailer, lift device, marine railway or dry-dock.

# Faulty Design

**We** do not cover any liability for expenses incurred in repairing, modifying or replacing any part by reason of faulty design.

# Faulty Workmanship

**We** do not cover any liability for expenses incurred in performing, completing, correcting or improving any work undertaken by **You**.

#### Fines & Penalties

Except to the extent provided for in the 'Statutory Liability Extension' clause contained in Section 3.2 'What We Cover You For - Additional Benefits' of this Policy, We do not cover any liability for any fines, penalties, punitive, exemplary, aggravated damages, and additional damages resulting from the multiplication of compensatory damages.

#### Hot Work

Unless **You** have told **Us** that **You** undertake **Hot Work** and this is stated in the **Your Business'** section of the **Certificate**, **We** do not cover any liability caused by or arising from **Hot Work** whatsoever.

Notwithstanding that **You** may have told to **Us** that **You** undertake **Hot Work**, in no case do **We** cover liabilities caused by or arising from **Hot Work** 

- performed on or in Watercraft previously engaged in carrying explosives or flammable liquids or gases;
- 2. performed on or near any fuel tank, pipeline or fuel bunker space, and/or
- not performed in accordance with the provisions of Australian Standard 1674.1-1997 – Safety in Welding and Allied Process – Fire Precautions.

#### Intentional Acts

**We** do not cover any liability caused by or arising from any intentional, reckless or willful act or omission, or any fraudulent or dishonest acts committed by **You** 

or any person acting with **Your** knowledge, consent or connivance.

#### Libel & Slander

**We** do not cover any liability for libel and slander resulting from statements made or published

- prior to the commencement of the Period of Insurance, and/or
- at Your direction with knowledge that such statements are false.

# Liquidated Damages

**We** do not cover any liability arising out of liquidated damages clauses, penalty clauses or performance warranties except to the extent that such liability would have attached in the absence of such clauses or warranties.

#### Loss of Use

We do not cover any liability for loss of use of **Property** or Watercraft which has not been physically lost, destroyed or damaged when such loss of use arises directly from

- a delay in or lack of performance by You or on Your behalf of any contract or agreement, or
- failure of any **Product** or work performed by **You** or on **Your** behalf to meet the level of performance, quality, fitness or durability expressly or impliedly warranted or represented by **You**.

This sub-clause (2) shall not apply to **Your** liability for loss of use of other **Property** or **Watercraft** resulting from sudden and accidental physical loss, destruction of or damage to any **Product** or work performed by **You** or on **Your** behalf after such **Product** or work have been put to use by any person or organisation other than **You**.

## Movement of Watercraft

**We** do not cover any liability caused by or arising from the shifting, movement or operation of **Watercraft** in **Your** physical or legal control. This exclusion shall not apply to the shifting, movement or operation of **Watercraft** for the purpose of demonstration or trial trips or other movements incidental to **Your Business**.

# Personal Injury to Contractors

We do not cover any liability for **Personal Injury** to **Contractors**.

## Physical or Legal Control

Except to the extent provided for in the 'Physical or Legal Control **Extension**' clause contained in Section 3.2 'What **We** Cover **You** For – Additional Benefits' of this **Policy**, **We** do not cover any liability for **Property Damage** to any **Property** or **Watercraft** in **Your** physical or legal control.

#### Pollution

Except to the extent provided for in the 'Pollution Liability Extension' clause contained in Section 3.2 'What We Cover You For – Additional Benefits' and, where applicable, the 'Environmental Impairment Liability Extension' contained in Section 3.3 'What We Cover You For – Optional Benefits', of this Policy, We do not cover any liability caused by or arising from the discharge, dispersal, release or escape of Pollutants into or upon land, the atmosphere or any watercourse or body of water, and/or for the cost of testing and monitoring for, removing, nullifying, or cleaning up of Pollutants.

#### **Product Guarantee**

**We** do not cover any liability for any **Product** warranty or guarantee given by **You** or on **Your** behalf, but this exclusion shall not apply to the requirements of any Federal, State or Territory legislation as to **Product** safety and information.

#### **Product Recall**

**We** do not cover any liability for damages, costs or expenses arising out of the withdrawal, recall, inspection, repair, reconditioning, modification, reinstallation, replacement or loss of use of any **Product** where such

**Product** is withdrawn or recalled from the market or from use by any person or organisation because of any known, alleged or suspected defect or deficiency in such **Product**.

#### **Professional Services**

- We do not cover any liability caused by or arising from the provision of or failure to provide professional advice or service by You, or any error or omission connected therewith.
- This exclusion shall not apply to liability caused by or arising from
  - Medical Persons providing, or failing to provide, first aid, medical advice or other medical services, or
  - You providing professional advice or service (expect those specifically provided for in (3) below) without fee or charge and whether within the overall cost of services or as a separate amount.
- 3. To the extent provided under the 'Professional Services Extension' clause contained in Section 3.2 'What We Cover You For Additional Benefits' of this Policy, this exclusion shall not apply to liability caused by or arising from You performing an inspection of a Watercraft and/or issuing a report relating to such inspection in the ordinary course of Your Business and regardless of whether a fee is charged.

# Radioactive Contamination, Chemical, Biological, Bio-Chemical & Electromagnetic Weapons

We do not cover any liability caused by or arising from

- ionising radiations from or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from the combustion of nuclear fuel;
- the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous or contaminating properties of any nuclear installation, reactor, or other nuclear assembly or nuclear component thereof;

- any weapon or device employing atomic or nuclear fission and/or fusion or other like reaction or radioactive force or matter:
- the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous or contaminating properties of any radioactive matter. The exclusion in this sub-clause (4) does not extend to radioactive isotopes, other than nuclear fuel, when such isotopes are being prepared, carried, stored, or used for commercial, agricultural, medical, scientific or other similar peaceful purposes, or
- any chemical, biological, bio-chemical, or electromagnetic weapon.

This exclusion is paramount and shall override anything contained in this **Policy** inconsistent therewith.

#### Territorial Limits

- Except as provided for in (2) below, We do not cover any liability, costs or expenses relating to any Claim
  - brought against You in any country, state or jurisdiction other than the Commonwealth of Australia and its external territories;
  - ii. arising as a consequence of You entering into contractual obligations submitting to the iurisdiction of a court other than a court of a State or Territory of the Commonwealth of Australia, or
  - iii. arising as a consequence of any agreement by You to indemnify any other party in respect of awards, judgments or settlements made under the jurisdiction of a court other than a court of a State or Territory of the Commonwealth of Australia.
- The exclusion contained in (1)(i) above shall not apply to any liability, costs or expenses relating to any Claim brought against You in any country, state or jurisdiction other than the Commonwealth of Australia and its external territories provided that the Occurrence giving rise to the Claim
  - happens in the ordinary course of overseas business travel by You but not if You perform manual work in North America;
  - relates to **Product**s supplied from the Commonwealth of Australia to anywhere in the

- world except North America, or
- relates to **Product**s supplied from the Commonwealth of Australia to North America but not if such **Product**s were supplied to **North** America with Your knowledge.

#### **Vehicles**

We do not cover any liability arising from the ownership, possession or use by You of any Vehicle (which includes but is not limited to a **Watercraft** trailer)

- which is registered or which is required under any legislation to be registered, or
- in respect of which compulsory liability insurance or statutory indemnity is required by virtue of legislation (whether or not that insurance is effected).

These sub-clauses (1) and (2) above shall not apply to

- Personal Injury where
  - that compulsory liability insurance or statutory indemnity does not provide indemnity, and
  - the reason why that compulsory liability or statutory indemnity does not provide indemnity do not involve a breach by You of any legislation relating to Vehicles;
- any Vehicle (including any tool or plant forming part of or attached to or used in connection with such **Vehicle**) whilst being operated or used by **You** or on Your behalf as a tool of trade at Your premises or on any work site;
- the delivery or collection of goods to or from any Vehicle:
- the loading or unloading of any Vehicle;
- any Vehicle temporarily in Your custody or control for the purpose of parking, or
- Property Damage caused by or arising from the movement of any Vehicle (which is required to be conditionally registered in accordance with the law of any state or territory in the Commonwealth of Australia) in the event of Your inadvertent and unintentional failure to effect conditional registration

and happening in the ordinary course of Your Business.

# War, Strikes, Riots, Civil Commotions & Terrorism

We do not cover any liability caused by or arising from any

- strike, lockout, labour disturbance, riot, civil commotion or act of any person taking part in any such event;
- person acting from a political, ideological or religious motive;
- act of Terrorism;
- action in controlling, preventing, suppressing, retaliating against or responding to or in way relating to Terrorism;
- act of war, civil war, revolution, rebellion, insurrection, or civil strife arising therefrom, or any hostile act by or against a belligerent power;
- capture, seizure, arrest, restraint or detainment, and the consequences thereof or any attempt thereat, or
- 7. derelict mines, torpedoes, bombs or other derelict weapons of war.

# Your Own Property & Watercraft

We do not cover any Property Damage to any

- Property or Product or Watercraft or Vehicle that is either owned by You or for which You have accepted responsibility to arrange material damage insurance,
- Watercraft that is Consigned to You.

# 3.5 Conditions Specific to this Liability Section

This 'Legal Liability' Section of this Policy is subject to the following conditions:

#### Claims Procedure

#### You will

- give Us immediate notice in writing with full particulars of every Occurrence, circumstance, Claim, writ, summons, proceedings, impending prosecution, inquest and the like which may give rise to a loss recoverable under this **Policy**;
- use Your best endeavours to preserve any damaged or defective Property, Products or Watercraft which may be necessary or useful by way of evidence in connection with any Claim and, so far as may be reasonably practicable, no alteration or repair shall be made to any Property, Product or Watercraft until We have had an opportunity to inspect it and given Our prior written consent;
- not make any admission, offer, promise or payment in connection with any Occurrence or Claim without Our prior written consent, and
- give Us all information and assistance as We may reasonably require in the prosecution, defence or settlement of any Claim.

#### We will

- be entitled to take over and conduct in Your name the defence or settlement of any Claim, and
- have full discretion in the conduct of any negotiations or proceedings in connection with any Claim.

# "Claims Made" Coverage

The cover provided under

- the 'Professional Services Liability Extension' and 'Statutory Liability Extension' clauses contained in Section 3.2 'What **We** Cover **Your** For – Additional Benefits' of this Policy, and
- the 'Environmental Impairment Liability Extension' clause contained in Section 3.3 'What We Cover You For - Optional Benefits' of this Policy

is only provided if

You notify Us in writing immediately You first receive a Claim and in no case notify Us later than 30 (thirty) calendar days after the termination of the **Period of Insurance**, and

- 4. at the commencement of this **Policy** 
  - i. You were not aware of, or in the ordinary course of Your Business could not have been aware of, any Occurrence that happened after the relevant Retrospective Inception Date which may give rise to a Claim, and
  - ii. **You** had not received any **Claim** from any party or person.

If during the **Period of Insurance You** become aware of an **Occurrence** which may give rise to a **Claim** being made against **You**, and **You** give immediate written notice of such **Occurrence** to **Us** before the termination date of the **Period of Insurance**, then if a **Claim** is subsequently made against **You** within the 3 (three) calendar months immediately following the end of the **Period of Insurance** then such **Claim** shall be deemed to have first been made against **You** during the **Period of Insurance**.

# Cross Liability

Where "You" is comprised of more than one party, each party shall be considered as a separate legal entity and the words "You" and "Your" shall be considered as applying to each party in the same manner as if this Policy had been issued separately to each party except in respect of Limits of Liability.

Nothing herein shall serve to increase any **Limit of Liability**.

# Discharge of Liabilities

We may at any time pay to You in respect of Compensation payable as a result of any Occurrence the amount of the Limit of Liability or such limit stated in this Policy in respect thereof (after deduction of any amount or amounts already paid) or any lesser amount for which the Claim can be settled.

Upon such payment **We** shall relinquish conduct or control of and be under no further liability under this **Policy** in connection with such **Claim** except for costs or expenses incurred by **Us** or by **You** with **Our** written consent prior to the date of such payment.

#### Prevention of Accidents

You must take reasonable precautions to prevent **Personal** Injury or **Property Damage** as if You were not covered by this **Policy**. Such precautions include but are not limited to

- if You discover Products may be defective and such defect may give rise to a Claim, at Your expense You must take reasonable steps to restrict, trace, recall, modify, replace or repair the Products;
- maintaining and looking after other person's or organisation's **Property** used or occupied by **You**, in accordance with **Your** agreement with them;
- comply and ensure that You and any Contractors comply with all statutory obligations, by-laws or regulations imposed by any public authority for the safety of persons or Property or Watercraft or Products
- ensure that You and any Contractors do not exceed the registered or rated capacity of any lift device, marine railway or dry-dock;
- if You intend digging below ground or water level, the location of underground or underwater services must be obtained from the owners of the services by You before the work is commenced, and
- using and storing all hazardous materials as required bylaw.

If **You** do not take reasonable precautions **We** may decline to pay part or all of a claim made under this **Policy**.

#### Reconstruction or Conversion

You must notify Us prior to commencing work on a Watercraft that will result in any change in the dimension, tonnage or type of Watercraft and pay an additional Premium if requested by Us.

# Release of Liability

Where **You** are required by contractual agreement to release any government authority or any landlord or any other person or parties from liability for loss, destruction or damage or legal liability covered by this **Policy**, such release is allowed without prejudice to this insurance.

**We** agree to waive all **Our** rights of subrogation against any such authority or persons or parties in the event of any **Occurrence** for which a claim may be made under this **Policy**.

# Subrogation & Allocation of the Proceeds of Recoveries

Subject to the provisions of the 'Subrogation Waiver' and 'Release of Liability' clauses contained in this Section 3.5 'Conditions Specific to this Legal Liability Section' of this **Policy**, any corporation, organisation or person claiming under this **Policy** shall, at **Our** request and at **Our** expense, do and concur in doing and permit to be done all such acts and things that may be necessary or may reasonably be required by **Us** for the purpose of enforcing any rights and remedies, or for obtaining relief or indemnity from any other organisations or persons, to which **We** shall be or would become entitled upon **Us** paying for or indemnifying **You** in respect of legal liability under this **Policy**.

Should **You** incur any legal liability which is not covered under this **Policy** 

- 1. due to the application of an Excess, and/or
- 2. where the amounts of any judgments or settlements exceed the applicable Limit of liability

You will be entitled to the first call on the proceeds of all recoveries made, by either You or Us, on account of such legal liability until fully reimbursed for such uninsured amount (less the actual costs of making such recoveries where those costs are incurred by Us) and any remaining amounts will be applied to reimburse Us.

# Subrogation Waiver

**We** waive all **Our** rights of subrogation under this **Policy** against

- 1. each of the parties described as an **Insured**, and
- any corporation, organisation or person which or who owns or controls the majority of the capital stock of any corporation or organisation to which or to whom protection is afforded under this **Policy**.

If such corporation, organisation or person is protected from liability covered under this **Policy** by another policy of indemnity or insurance, then **Our** right of subrogation is not waived to the extent and up to the amount of such other policy.

# 4. General Conditions

This insurance is subject to the following General Conditions which apply to all Sections of this Policy:

# Alteration of Risk

If **You** become aware of any changes to the facts or circumstances which existed at the commencement of this **Policy**, **You** 

must notify **Us** in writing within 30 (thirty) calendar days.

If **We** agree to the change **We** will do so in writing and **You** must pay **Us** any additional **Premium We** require.

Examples of changes You should tell Us about include but are not limited to

- 1. a change in the type of or nature of **Your Business**;
- 2. of damage or losses; or
- Your Business is wound up or carried on by an insolvency practitioner or permanently discontinued.

**Your** failure to notify **Us** of the change could result in **Us** declining a claim made under this **Policy** and/or cancelling or avoiding this **Policy**.

## Assignment

This **Policy**, the proceeds under this **Policy** and any rights hereunder cannot be assigned without **Our** prior written consent.

#### Australian Law & Practice

All disputes arising out of or under this **Policy** shall be subject to determination by any court of competent jurisdiction within the Commonwealth of Australia according to the law which applies to that jurisdiction.

## Bankruptcy or Insolvency

In the event that **You** should become bankrupt or insolvent, **We** shall not be relieved thereby of the settlement of any

Claim because of such bankruptcy or insolvency.

In case of execution against **You** of any final judgment covered by this **Policy** being returned 'unsatisfied' by reason of such bankruptcy or insolvency, then an action may be maintained by the injured party or their representative against **Us** in the same manner, and to the same extent as **You** but not in excess of any **Limit of Liability**.

#### Cancellation

 You may cancel this Policy at any time by giving Us notice in writing.

If no claim is made under this **Policy**, **We** will refund to **You** the pro-rata **Premium** less 10% (ten percent) calculated for the unexpired **Period of Insurance** from the date of cancellation.

If a claim is made under this **Policy**, then **You** will be liable to **Us** for the **Premium**.

 We may cancel this Policy in any of the circumstances detailed in the Insurance Contracts Act 1984.

In the event that **We** cancel this **Policy**, **We** will refund to **You** the pro-rata **Premium** calculated for the unexpired **Period of Insurance** from the date of cancellation.

# Changes to this Policy

No change in this **Policy** will be valid unless agreed in writing by **Us** nor shall the requirements of this **Policy** be waived unless agreed in writing by **Us**.

#### **Excess**

The Excess applies to all amounts for which **We** shall be liable, including but not limited to **Costs & Expenses** and **Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses**.

If more than one **Excess** can be applied to an **Occurrence**, then **You** will only need to pay the highest **Excess**.

#### Gender

Words importing any gender includes all genders.

#### **GST**

All of the amounts insured by this Policy exclude GST.

Any settlement under this **Policy**, up to the total of all amounts insured, will exclude **GST**. However, if there is a shortfall between the **GST** component of the settlement and the amount of input tax credit **You** are entitled to, **We** will pay this shortfall in addition to the settlement.

**We** will not be liable to pay any **GST**, or any fine, penalty or charge that **You** are liable for arising out of **Your** misrepresentation of, or failure to disclose, **Your** proper input tax credit entitlement in the settlement of any claim under this **Policy** or **Premium** relating to this **Policy**.

## Headings

Descriptions in the headings and titles of this **Policy** are solely for reference and convenience and do not lend any meaning to this **Policy** or form any part of the terms and conditions of coverage.

# Inspection & Audit

**We** shall be permitted, but are not obligated, to inspect **Your** premises and operations at any reasonable time.

Neither **Our** right to make inspections, nor **Our** failure to make inspections, nor the making of any inspections, nor any report of an inspection shall constitute an undertaking, on behalf of or for the benefit of **You** or others, to determine or warrant that such premises or operations are safe or healthful or are in compliance with any law, rule or regulation.

We may examine and audit Your books and records at any time during the currency of this Policy and within 3 (three) years after the termination of this Policy but only with regard to matters which in Our opinion are relevant to this Policy.

#### Joint Insureds

Where 'You' is comprised of more than one party

- 1. all information provided to Us, and
- any failure to provide information to Us or misrepresentation made to Us

shall be deemed to have been by or on behalf of all the parties.

#### Other Insurance

**You** must give **Us** full particulars of any other insurance which provides indemnity, in full or in part, for any of the liabilities or costs or expenses covered under this **Policy** within 21 (twenty one) calendar days of entering into any such insurance or at the time of making a claim under this **Policy**, whichever date shall first occur.

#### Persons

Words importing persons shall include individuals, partnerships, corporations and associations. The word 'person' includes a corporation and vice versa.

A reference to a person or party includes a reference to that party or person and its successors, substitutes (including, but not limited to, any person or party taking by novation), executors, administrators and assigns.

## Premium Adjustment

Where the **Premium** paid by **You** at the inception of this **Policy** is calculated on **Your** estimated **Gross Revenue** or other estimated amount provided by **You** to **Us**, **You** must, within 30 (thirty) calendar days after the termination of the **Period of Insurance**, provide **Us** the actual amount realised during the **Period of Insurance** so that **We** may calculate any adjustment **Premium** that may be payable.

# Singular & Plural

Words and expressions in the singular shall include the plural and vice versa.

# 5. Definitions

Some words have special meaning wherever they appear in this Policy:

#### Aircraft

"Aircraft" means any craft or object designed to travel through air, atmosphere or space.

#### **Boat Builder**

"Boat Builder" means a person or company whose business activities and operations include

- the design, construction and modification of Watercraft for reward;
- the purchase, sale, supply, re-supply, distribution, import or export related chandlery and equipment, and
- 3. **Watercraft** inspections and the issuing of inspection reports.

#### **Boat Dealer**

"Boat Dealer" means a person or company whose business activities and operations include

- the purchase, sale, supply, distribution, delivery, import and export of Watercraft and other Products;
- the testing and/or demonstration of Watercraft in the ordinary course of marketing and/or selling of Watercraft.

Demonstration of **Watercraft** may include towing of water skiers or aquaplanes or other similar water tow sports but in no case para-sailing, kite surfing, kite boarding, teak surfing or other similarly dangerous activities

- the exhibiting of Watercraft at trade shows in the ordinary course of marketing and/or selling of Watercraft:
- the collection of Watercraft from sellers or consignors and/or the delivery of Watercraft to buyers;
- pre-delivery detailing, repairing and/or servicing of Watercraft in the ordinary course of preparing Watercraft for sale;
- pre-delivery sale, supply and/or installation of motors, sails and rigging, trailers, equipment, contents and accessories attaching to and/or forming part of Watercraft in the ordinary course of preparing Watercraft for sale;
- Watercraft inspections and the issuing of inspection reports, and
- the purchase, sale, supply, re-supply, distribution, import or export related to chandlery and equipment.

#### Business

"Business" means the activities and operations You have declared to Us and which are stated in the 'Your Business' section of the Certificate.

'Business' does not mean any activities or operations expressly excluded under this Policy.

#### Certificate

"Certificate" means the most current 'Certificate of Insurance' issued by **Us** which specifies details relating to this Policy.

#### Claim

"Claim" means a written demand received by You alleging liability or responsibility for an Occurrence and seeking a remedy from You.

#### Compensation

"Compensation" means monies paid or agreed to be paid by judgment, award, settlement for **Personal Injury** and/or

Property Damage which is the subject of a Claim that is covered under this Policy.

#### Consigned

"Consigned" means a Watercraft that

- is not owned by You; 1.
- You have accepted responsibility to arrange material damage insurance, and
- is in Your physical or legal control for marketing and sales purposes in the ordinary course of Your Business as a Boat Dealer.

#### Constructive Total Loss

"Constructive Total Loss" means that in Our opinion the Damage to Watercraft cannot be economically repaired.

#### Contractor

"Contractor" means an independent contractor with whom You enter into a service contract for the performance of work by them.

'Contractor' includes any sub-contractor engaged by the Contractor with whom You enter into such service contract for the performance of work.

'Contractor' does not mean You or Insured.

#### Costs & Expenses

"Costs & Expenses" means

- costs or expenses that **We** incur in the investigation, defence or settlement of a Claim for which cover is available or could be available under this **Policy**;
- costs awarded against You and all interest accruing after judgment until We have paid, tendered or deposited in court that part of any judgment which does not exceed the Limit of liability;
- reasonable costs or expenses incurred by You with prior Our written consent, and
- reasonable costs or expenses incurred by You for providing first aid to others at the time of Personal Injury.

'Costs & Expenses' does not include loss of earnings.

'Costs & Expenses' does not include any amounts incurred

after We have paid or agreed to pay an amount equal to the Limit of Liability.

'Costs & Expenses' does not mean Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses.

#### Damage

"Damage" means sudden and accidental physical loss, damage or destruction of Watercraft or permanent loss by theft caused by or arising from an Occurrence.

#### 'Damage' includes

- physical loss, damage or destruction of Watercraft caused by or arising from the actions of any government authority in an attempt to mitigate or prevent an actual or potential pollution hazard or otherwise acting within their authority for the public good.
- sudden and accidental physical loss, damage or destruction of Watercraft caused by or arising from Latent Defect.

#### **Electronic Data**

"Electronic Data" means facts, concepts and information converted to a form useable for communications, display, distribution, interpretation or processing by electronic and electromechanical data processing or electronically controlled equipment and includes programs, software and other coded instructions for the processing and manipulation of data or the direction and manipulation of such equipment.

#### **Employee**

"Employee" means any person while employed by You in Your Business who You compensate by salary, wages, or commission and have the right at all times to govern, control and direct in the performance of their work.

'Employee' includes volunteers and students on work experience. 'Employee' does not include

- any broker, factor, consignee or Contractor;
- any member of Your Family, unless that person is also an Employee, or
- any partner, director or trustee unless that person is also an Employee.

#### **Employment Practices**

"Employment Practices" means any wrongful or unfair dismissal, denial of natural justice, defamation, misleading representation or advertising, harassment or discrimination in respect of an Employee.

#### **Endorsement**

"Endorsement" means documentary evidence of an alteration to this **Policy** which forms part of this **Policy**.

#### **Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses**

"Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses" means

- costs or expenses that We incur in the investigation, defence of settlement of a Claim for which cover is available or could be available under the provisions of the 'Environmental Impairment Liability Extension' contained in Section 3.3 'What We Cover You For -Optional Benefits' of this Policy;
- 2. costs awarded against You and all interest accruing after judgment until We have paid, tendered or deposited in court that part of any judgment which does not exceed the Limit of Liability applicable to **Environmental Impairment Liability**;
- reasonable costs or expenses incurred
  - (3.1) by You with Our prior written consent and/or to the extent required by Environmental Laws;
  - (3.2) by a government, statutory body or agency, and/
  - (3.3) by a third party and forming part of a Claim made against You
  - for the investigation, removal, remediation, associated monitoring, disposal of soil, surface water, groundwater or other contamination;
- reasonable costs or expenses incurred by You for providing first aid to others at the time of Personal Injury.

'Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses' does not include loss of earnings.

'Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses' does not include any amounts incurred after We have paid or agreed to pay an amount equal to the Limit of Liability applicable to Environmental Impairment Liability.

'Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses' does not mean Costs & Expenses.

#### **Environmental Impairment Liability**

"Environmental Impairment Liability" means amounts that You become legally liable to pay for

- 1. Environmental Impairment Costs & Expenses;
- 2. Personal Injury, and/or
- **Property Damage**

directly or indirectly arising out of the discharge, dispersal, release or escape of Pollutants into or upon land, the atmosphere or any watercourse or body of water.

#### **Environmental Laws**

"Environmental Laws" means any federal, state, or local laws including, but not limited to, statutes, rules, regulations, ordinances, guidance documents, and governmental, judicial or administrative orders and directives, that are applicable to **Pollutants**.

#### **Equipment & Accessories**

"Equipment & Accessories" means marine electronics, boat covers and canopies, batteries, portable fuel tanks, safety equipment carried on Watercraft in accordance with statutory requirements, and any other items that are portable and not permanently attached to Watercraft that are manufactured and intended solely for use on Watercraft that are portable and not permanently attached to Watercraft.

#### **Excess**

"Excess" means the first amount of each claim or a series of claims under this Policy caused by or arising out of any one Occurrence which You must contribute.

The **Excess** applicable to each claim under this **Policy** is stated in the "Excess" section of the Certificate.

#### **Family**

"Family" means any member of Your family who lives permanently with You, including Your partner.

#### Flood

"Flood" means the covering of normally dry land by water that has escaped or been released from the normal confines of any of the following

- a lake (whether or not it has been altered or modified);
- a river (whether or not it has been altered or modified);
- a creek (whether or not it has been altered or modified);
- another natural watercourse (whether or not it has been altered or modified);
- a reservoir;
- a canal, or
- 7. adam.

#### **General Liability**

"General Liability" means amounts that You become legally liable to pay by way of Compensation for Property Damage and/or Personal Injury.

'General Liability' includes Property Damage and/or Personal Injury caused by or arising from a Product but only when such **Product** forms part of repair, installation, assembly or maintenance work carried out by You on Watercraft.

'General Liability' does not mean Product Liability or Pollution Liability or Professional Services Liability or

Statutory Liability or Environmental Impairment Liability.

#### **Gross Revenue**

"Gross Revenue" means the total gross revenue arising from Your Business during the Period of Insurance. 'Gross Revenue' does not include GST.

The estimated **Gross Revenue You** declare to **Us** is stated in the 'Gross Revenue' section of the Certificate.

#### **GST**

"GST" means Goods and Services Tax as such term is defined in a New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999 and A New Tax System (Goods and Services Transition) Act 1999.

#### Hot Work

"Hot Work" means the performance of welding, thermal or oxygen cutting, grinding, flame heating or any other activities of a similar nature.

#### Hovercraft

"Hovercraft" means any vessel, craft or device made or intended to float on or in or travel on or through the atmosphere or water on a cushion of air provided by a downward blast.

#### **Incidental Contracts**

"Incidental Contracts" means

- any written rental agreement or lease of Property or Watercraft other than with respect to any term or condition contained in such rental, lease and/or hiring agreement that requires You to insure such Property or Watercraft;
- any written contract with any authority or entity responsible for the supply of electricity, fuel, gas, natural gas, air, steam, water, sewerage reticulation control systems, waste disposal facilities, telephone and communication services or other essential services, except those contracts in connection with work done for such authorities or entities;
- any written contract with any railway authority for the loading, unloading and/or transport of Products, including contracts relating to the operation of railway sidings, and
- those contracts designated in the 'Contractual Liability' section of the Certificate.

#### Insured

"Insured" has the same meaning as You and Your.

#### Insurer

"Insurer" means AIG Australia Limited, ABN 93 004 727 753, AFSL 381686

#### **Latent Defect**

"Latent Defect" means a hidden flaw

- 1. in the material of construction existing at the time of original building of the Watercraft, or
- any additional or replacement parts, components or systems of the Watercraft

which is not discoverable by ordinary observation or known methods of testing or inspection.

#### Limit of Liability

"Limit of Liability" means the maximum amounts that We will pay.

A Limit of Liability is not reduced by the amount of any Excess payable by You.

Limits of Liability are stated in the 'Limits of Liability' section of the Certificate and/or elsewhere in this Policy.

#### Market Value

"Market Value" means the market value of Watercraft in Your local area taking into account, amongst other things, depreciation and wear and tear, but excludes any stamp duty or other similar costs on transfers, and dealer warranty costs and charges.

#### **Medical Persons**

"Medical Persons" means qualified medical practitioners. nurses, dentists and first aid attendants that are Your Employees.

#### Named Cyclone

"Named Cyclone" means a cyclone that has been given a name by the Bureau of Meteorology in the Commonwealth of Australia, or equivalent authority if the cyclone is named outside of the Commonwealth of Australia.

#### Occurrence

- 1. In so far as it relates to Section 2 'Material **Damage**' of this Policy, "Occurrence" means an event, including continuous or repeated exposure to substantially the same general conditions, which causes or gives rise to Damage to Watercraft that is neither expected nor intended from Your standpoint.
- In so far as it relates to Section 3 'Legal Liability' of this Policy, "Occurrence" means an event, including

continuous or repeated exposure to substantially the same general conditions, which results in Personal Injury and/or Property Damage and/or Removal of Wreck Expenses and/or Environmental Impairment Liability that is neither expected nor intended (except for assault and battery as provided for in the 'Personal Injury' definition below) from Your standpoint.

All events of a series consequent upon or attributable to one source or original cause shall be deemed to be one Occurrence.

#### Period of Insurance

"Period of Insurance" means the time cover commenced to the time cover expires. The dates are stated in the 'Period of Insurance' section of the Certificate.

Unless stated otherwise, cover shall commence and expire at 4.00pm local time at Your registered business address.

#### Personal Watercraft

"Personal Watercraft" means a Watercraft such as but not limited to a jet ski or wave runner.

#### Personal Injury

"Personal Injury" means

- bodily injury, death, sickness, disease, illness, disability, shock, fright, mental anguish and mental injury;
- false arrest, false imprisonment, wrongful detention, malicious prosecution and humiliation;
- 3. libel, slander or defamation of character;
- 4. wrongful entry, wrongful eviction or other invasion of
- assault and battery not committed by **You** or at Your direction, unless committed for the purpose of preventing or eliminating danger to persons or Watercraft, Property or Products, and
- discrimination as a result of race, religion, sex, gender, marital status, age, intellectual impairment, disability or otherwise (unless insurance thereof is prohibited by law) not committed by You or at Your direction,

but only with respect to liability other than fines and penalties imposed by law.

#### **Policy**

"Policy" means this document, the most recent Certificate We give You and any Endorsements.

#### **Pollutant**

"Pollutant" means any solid, liquid, gaseous, biological, radiological or thermal irritant, toxic or hazardous substance, or contaminant, whether occurring naturally or otherwise including, but not limited to, asbestos, lead, smoke, vapour, dust, fibers, mould, spores, fungi, germs, soot, fumes, acids, alkalis, chemicals and waste. Such waste includes, but is not limited to, materials to be recycled, reconditioned or reclaimed and nuclear materials.

#### **Pollution Liability**

"Pollution Liability" means amounts that You become legally liable to pay by way of Compensation

- 1. for **Personal Injury** and/or **Property Damage** directly or indirectly arising out of the discharge, dispersal, release or escape of **Pollutants** into or upon land, the atmosphere or any watercourse or body of water, and/or
- for the cost of testing and monitoring for, removing, nullifying, or cleaning up of Pollutants

provided that such discharge, dispersal, release or escape is caused by a sudden, identifiable, unintended and unexpected event from Your standpoint which takes place in its entirety at a specific time and place.

'Pollution Liability' does not mean General Liability or Product Liability or Statutory Liability or Professional Services Liability or Environmental Impairment Liability.

#### Premium

"Premium" means the amount which is payable by You to **Us**, and any adjustment due in accordance with this **Policy**. **Premium** is stated in the '**Premium**' section of the Certificate.

#### **Product**

"Product" means Watercraft and anything else manufactured, constructed, erected, assembled, installed, grown, extracted, produced, processed, treated, altered, modified, repaired, serviced, bottled, labelled, handled, sold, supplied, re-supplied or distributed, imported or exported by You, or on Your behalf, and including Your predecessors, in the ordinary course of and incidental to Your Business.

#### 'Product' includes

- any packaging or containers in connection with the above;
- the design, formula or specification, directions, markings, instructions, advice or warnings given or omitted to be given in connection with the above;
- anything which, by law or otherwise, You are deemed to have manufactured in the ordinary course of Your Business, and
- discontinued items.

'Product' does not mean Aircraft. Hovercraft or Vehicle or parts thereof or any items of any kind incidental thereto.

#### **Product Liability**

"Product Liability" means amounts that You become legally liable to pay by way of Compensation for Property Damage and/or Personal Injury caused by or arising from a **Product** or the reliance upon a representation or warranty made at any time with respect to such Product.

'Product Liability' does not include Personal Injury and/or Property Damage that occurs prior to physical possession of **Product** being relinquished to others.

'Product Liability' does not mean General Liability or Pollution Liability or Statutory Liability or Professional Services Liability or Environmental Impairment Liability.

#### **Professional Services Liability**

"Professional Services Liability" means amounts that You become legally liable to pay by way of **Compensation** for Personal Injury and/or Property Damage caused by or arising from Your error or omission in the performing of an inspection of a Watercraft and/or in the issuing of a report relating to such inspection in the ordinary course of Your

Business and regardless of whether a fee is charged.

'Professional Services Liability' does not mean General Liability or Product Liability or Pollution Liability or

Statutory Liability or Environmental Impairment Liability.

#### **Property**

"Property" means the whole or any part of buildings and other immovable structures such as bridges, wharves and piers, and all other forms of Tangible Property.

'Property' does not mean

- 1. Watercraft:
- 2. Products, or
- intangible property.

#### **Property Damage**

"Property Damage" means physical loss, destruction of or damage to **Property** or **Watercraft** including the resultant loss of use.

'Property Damage' also means the loss of use of Property or Watercraft which has not been physically lost, destroyed or damaged provided that such loss of use is caused by or arises from an Occurrence.

#### Removal of Wreck Expenses

"Removal of Wreck Expenses" means reasonable expenses incurred by **You** in the removal and/or disposal of a physically damaged Watercraft that a recognised Maritime, Port or Harbour Authority has ordered You to remove and/or dispose of.

'Removal of Wreck Expenses' does not include any expenses incurred in the removal and/or disposal of a Watercraft

owned, hired, chartered or leased by or loaned by You.

#### Retrospective Inception Date

"Retrospective Inception Date" means the commencement date of this Policy or the relevant Retrospective Inception Date (if any) stated in the 'Retrospective Inception Dates' section of the Certificate, whichever date is the earlier date.

#### Ship Repairer

"Ship Repairer" means a person or company whose business activities and operations include

- the maintenance and repair of Watercraft for reward; 1
- the purchase, sale, supply, re-supply, distribution, import or export related chandlery and equipment, and
- Watercraft inspections and the issuing of inspection

A Ship Repairer may have a principal place of business or provide a mobile service.

#### Shipwright

"Shipwright" has the same meaning as Boat Builder.

#### Statutory Liability

"Statutory Liability" means a pecuniary penalty awarded against You in and under any Federal, State or Territory laws of the Commonwealth of Australia for a

- civil offence in connection with the discharge, dispersal, release or escape of a **Pollutant**;
- strict liability offence in connection with the discharge, dispersal, release or escape of a **Pollutant**,
- strict liability offence in connection with a breach of any Federal, State or Territory occupational health and safety law or regulation of the Commonwealth of Australia.

'Statutory Liability' does not mean General Liability or Product Liability or Pollution Liability or Professional Services Liability or Environmental Impairment Liability.

#### **Subsidiary Company**

"Subsidiary Company" means any company in which You have a controlling interest and which are stated in the 'Subsidiary Companies' section of the Certificate.

For the purpose of this definition the term 'controlling interest' means the beneficial ownership of shares carrying more than 50% (fifty percent) of votes capable of being cast at a general meeting of all shareholders of the 'Subsidiary Company'.

#### **Tangible Property**

"Tangible Property" means property which has physical substance and which can be touched, physically assessed for its dimensions, weight and location and is capable of being physically moved from one location to other.

'Tangible Property' does not mean, money (in the form of coins and notes, cheques and electronic forms of money) and incorporeal property such as a license, copyright, trade mark and other forms of intellectual property.

#### Terrorism

"Terrorism" or an act of Terrorism means an act, or preparation in respect of action or threat of action designed to influence any government of any nation or any political division thereof, or in pursuit of political, religious, ideological or similar purpose to intimidate the public or a section of the public of any nation by any person or groups of persons whether acting alone or on behalf of or in connection with any organisations or governments and which

- involves violence against one or more persons;
- endangers life other than that of the person committing the action;
- creates a risk to health or safety of the public or a section of the public;
- 4. involves damage to **Property** or **Watercraft** or Products, or
- is designed to interfere with or disrupt an electronic system.

#### Underground Storage Tank

"Underground Storage Tank" means any one or combination of tanks, including underground pipes connected thereto, that has at least ten (10) percent of its volume beneath the surface of the ground.

'Underground Storage Tank' does not include

- a septic tank, sump pump or oil/water separator;
- a tank that is enclosed within a basement, cellar, shaft or tunnel, if the tank is upon or above the surface of the floor; or
- a storm-water or wastewater collection system.

#### Vehicle

"Vehicle" means any type of machine on wheels or on self laid tracks made or intended to be propelled by other than manual or animal power, and any trailer (including but not limited to a Watercraft trailer) or other attachment to be utilised in conjunction with or drawn by any such machine.

'Vehicle' does not mean ship-lifters, marine travel lifts, slipways, cradles or any other mobile Watercraft lifting devices.

#### Watercraft

#### "Watercraft" means

- a vessel, craft or thing made or intended to float on or in or travel through water, other than model boats,
- motors, sails and rigging, trailers, Equipment & Accessories and contents attaching to and/or forming part thereof.

In respect of Your Business as a Boat Builder, 'Watercraft' includes whilst vessels, craft, motors, sails and rigging, trailers, Equipment & Accessories and contents are under construction and/or whilst awaiting fitment to the Watercraft.

#### We / Us / Our

"We" means Nautilus Marine Insurance Agency ABN 34 100 633 038 acting as agent for the Insurer. 'Us' and 'Our' have the same meaning as We.

#### Yacht Broker

"Yacht Broker" means a person or company whose business activities and operations include

- representing buyers and/or sellers in the buying and/ or selling of Watercraft forreward;
- the purchase, sale, supply, re-supply, distribution, import or export related chandlery and equipment,
- Watercraft inspections and the issuing of inspection reports.

#### You & Your

#### "You" means

- 1. the person or company stated in the 'Insured' section of the Certificate;
- any Subsidiary Company whose place of incorporation is within the Commonwealth of Australia;
- the directors, **Employees**, executive officers or partners of the **Insured** or of a company designated in (2) above, but only whilst acting within the scope of their duties in such capacity;
- every principal of the **Insured** or of a company designated in (2) above in respect of the liability of such principal arising out of the performance by the Insured or by a company designated in (2) above of any contract or agreement for the performance of work for such principal, to the extent required by such contract or agreement, but limited to the coverage provided by this Policy, and
- every office bearer or member of social or sporting club or welfare organisation formed with the Insured's consent (other than an Insured designated in (4) above) in respect of Claims arising from the duties of, or connected with the activities of, any such club or organisation.

'You' does not mean Contractor.

'Your' has the same meaning as You.



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