

DRAFT GFS Vessel Incident Reporting – Season 2025-26

Incident Details

Date Time : Location

Skipper Name Date lodged

Phone Email

My Vessel Name Sail No

Other vessel(s) involved

Does it meet the threshold for Mandatory Reporting to Maritime?

<https://tfnswwforms.transport.nsw.gov.au/45065752-vessel-incident-report.pdf>

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| ☐ Death or Injury greater than First Aid
AND/ OR | ☐ Yes ☐ No |
| ☐ Damage greater than \$5000 or 10% of vessel (lesser of)
AND/ OR | ☐ Yes ☐ No |
| ☐ Damage or risk of damage to environment | ☐ Yes ☐ No |

If you answer 'Yes' to ANY of the above, the incident must be reported within 24 hours to:
MaritimeIncidents@transport.nsw.gov.au

- ☐ Incident Report provided to Service NSW on (Date)
- ☐ Copy of Incident Report provided to IncidentReport@gfs.org.au

If Mandatory Reporting is not required, please continue...
(you may like to do this with a safety committee member)

1 Activity and Conditions at time of incident

☐ Pre-Start ☐ Racing ☐ After Finish ☐ After Race at Club dock

WEATHER	WATER CONDITIONS	WIND	WIND DIRECTION	VISIBILITY	TIDE
☐ Clear	☐ Calm	☐ None	☐ N ☐ NE	☐ Good	☐ Flood (in)
☐ Hazy	☐ Choppy	☐ Light (1>9kt)	☐ E ☐ SE	☐ Fair	☐ Ebb (out)
☐ Cloudy	☐ Rough	☐ Moderate (10>15kt)	☐ S ☐ SW	☐ Poor	☐ Slack
☐ Rain	☐ Very Rough	☐ Fresh (16>25kt)	☐ W ☐ NW	☐ Darkness (Night Time)	
☐ Flood	☐ Strong Current	☐ Gale (Over 25kt)			

2 Type of Incident

☐ Close Quarter ☐ Collision with other vessel ☐ Fall overboard ☐ Injury

☐ Other

3 Contributing factors

☐ Speed ☐ RRS # ☐ Vessel gear fault ☐ Poor lookout ☐ Inexperience ☐ Other

4 Brief Description of Incident

OFFICIAL USE by GFS Safety Committee ONLY

What learnings have been identified for race committee/ skippers/ other?

What actions are proposed?

☐ Communication / Case Study

☐ Training / Education

☐ Other

What actions have been taken within 28 days?

☐ Report investigation outcomes to NSW Maritime Date/..... /.....

☐ Other

GFS Official

Name Role

Date