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## Marine Act 1988

### SECTION 15 NOTICE

I, Peter Corcoran, the Director Maritime Safety (as delegate of the Director, Transport Safety), on the recommendation of Vincent Wright, Acting Regional Manager, Bays and Maritime Operations, Parks Victoria (Waterway Manager for the Yarra River upstream of the Designated Port of Port Phillip), hereby give notice under section 15(1) of the **Marine Act 1988** that from 8.00 am to 6.00 pm on Saturday 31 March 2012:

1. Vessels providing rescue services for the Australian Dragon Boat Championships training are exempt from the 5 knot speed limit as detailed in Clause 1 of Schedule 3 contained in Notice No. 1 under section 15(2) of the **Marine Act 1988**, and from the requirement to operate a vessel at a speed not exceeding 5 knots within 50 meters of a person in the water, another vessel, the waters edge and fixed or floating structures, as detailed in clauses 2(a), 2(c) and 3 of Notice No. 1 under section 15(2) of the **Marine Act 1988** for the duration of the event.
2. Competitors' vessels, vessels engaged in supervision, judging or marshalling for the Australian Dragon Boat Championships training are exempt from the 5 knot speed limit as detailed in Clause 1 of Schedule 3 contained in Notice No. 1 under section 15(2) of the **Marine Act 1988** and from the requirement to operate a vessel at a speed not exceeding 5 knots within 50 meters of a person in the water, another vessel, the waters edge and fixed or floating structures, as detailed in clauses 2(a), 2(c) and 3 of Notice No. 1 under section 15(2) of the **Marine Act 1988**.
3. Vessels competing in the Australian Dragon Boat Championships training are exempt from the requirements of Regulation 231 and 235 of the Marine Regulations 2009, in respect to the carriage and wearing of a PFD.
4. As a condition for the above exemptions:
  - (i) each rescue vessel must be crewed by a person holding at a minimum a Level 2 First Aid qualification, and
  - (ii) a diver qualified in rescue and first aid will be on water at all times, and
  - (iii) Parks Victoria is required to enforce the safety conditions given in the event application and subsequent documentation.

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Dated 27 March 2012

PETER CORCORAN  
Director Maritime Safety  
Transport Safety Victoria

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