I FOUND A WRECKED, ABANDONED OR HAZARDOUS VESSEL (INCLUDING BOATS)

CONTACT CANADIAN COAST GUARD

The vessel is an immediate and serious threat to public safety (because of fire or explosion) or you’ve seen suspicious activities.

YES

The vessel poses a risk to the environment or to the health and well-being of the community. For example, the vessel is in poor condition and could harm the environment if it sinks.

NO

YES

The vessel appears to have been abandoned.

NO

YES

The vessel appears to be in a worn-down state (dilapidated) and has been in the same location for an extended period of time without authorization.

NO

YES

You want to move, take possession of, or dispose of the vessel.

NO

YES

It appears to be a military or heritage wreck.

CONTACT TRANSPORT CANADA

The vessel is a threat to safe navigation. It makes navigation dangerous, or blocks other boats from a waterway.

YES

NO

You want to import, salvage, take possession of, or otherwise report a found wreck.

YES

NO

YES?

Contact your region’s Receiver of Wreck.

Call local police or emergency services. Dial: 9-1-1

Report it to the Canadian Coast Guard, available 24/7:

• Atlantic (NB, PEI, NL, NS): 1-800-565-1633
• Central and Arctic (ON, QC, Arctic): 1-800-363-4735
• Western (BC, AB, SK, MB): 1-800-889-8852

In cases where you know or believe you know the identity of the owner, consider providing that information to the Canadian Coast Guard Officer.

Do not touch it.

Contact Transport Canada’s Navigation Protection Program:

• Atlantic (NB, PEI, NL, NS): 506-851-3113
• Prairies and Arctic (AB, SK, MB, Arctic): 780-495-8215
• Ontario: 519-383-1863
• Québec: 1-877-646-6420
• Pacific (BC): 604-775-8867

For more information, please consult: www.tc.gc.ca/abandonedboats