



# TIN CAN BAY FISHING CLUB INC.

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## LOGON PROCEDURE WITH TCB COASTGUARD FOR FISHING CLUB BOATING ACTIVITIES DEPARTING FROM TIN CAN BAY RAMPS

Note: This is a free service provided by Coast Guard. You can use this system any time you put your boat in the water, does not need to be a Club Fishing Day.

### **For 1<sup>st</sup> time**

Prepare a list detailing the following information and take up to the Radio Room at the Norman Point Coast Guard Room – at the Boat Ramp, prior to your departure. Coast Guard operates from 6 am to 6 pm daily. Most days someone is there by 5:30 am.

Your Name

Boat Registration Number

Boat Name – if any

Boat length

Boat hull type – e.g. Aluminium runabout

Hull colour

Mobile phone number of phone on-board

POB – number of persons on board

Approximate destination and activity – e.g. Fishing at Big Mick

Estimated time of return – 13:00 (1pm)

Radio frequency being monitored e.g. #80 – if you have a radio on board.

Next time you go out you contact CG TCB either on Channel #80 or 5486-4290 and provide the following:

Boat Registration Number

POB – number of persons on board

Approximate destination and activity – e.g. Fishing at Big Mick

Estimated time of return – 13:00 (1pm)

They will have all the rest of your info on the Database.

When you return *always log off* using your vessel Rego Number or Coast Guard will automatically begin looking for you once you are shown as overdue.

To log off or amend/update your activity details while on the water contact CG TCB either on Channel #80 or 5486-4290.

### **Marine Assist**

If you require marine assistance you benefit financially by being a member of Marine Assist. This is the Coast Guard version of RACQ. You are entitled to 2 free assists per year including tows in the case of engine failure. Membership cost per year is between \$65 and \$110 depending upon your maximum proposed operational distance from Snapper Creek. You are also given a T Number (known as your Tango number) which saves you using your rego number when logging on/off. Your vehicle and boat trailer details are also held on file, just in case.

You can collect a Marine Assist Application from Coast Guard or the Club House.

