

RECALL NOTICE

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British Canoeing has been made aware on this day of multiple product recalls for lifejackets sold via the online marketplace Amazon presenting a serious risk of drowning.

The products do not meet the requirements of the PPE Regulation 2016/425.

Product Information

Type **Personal protective equipment (PPE) - Life Jacket**

Number	Brand	Listing Name	Amazon ASIN	Link to Product Report
1	Ysoom	Ysoom Adult life jacket adjustable safety vest with whistle, oxford fabric thick life jacket double breasted buckle life jacket, 52 * 43 * 7 cm	B08ZSGJSXY	Product Recall Report
2	Tomoyo	TOMOYO Adults Life Jacket Swim Aid Vest Anti-Collision Surfing Vest Buoyancy Life Vest Swimming Boating Motor Boat Swimsuit	B09YRRPDCF	Product Recall Report
3	Yon Sub	Naucwe Adult Large Small Life Jacket Kayaking Fishing Swimming Professional Neoprene Boating Surfing Safety Buoyancy Float Learn Lightweight,L,Navy Blue	B09YXNHRHZ	Product Recall Report
4	Omouboi	Naucwe Inflatable Snorkel Life Jacket Vest for Adult Men Women Fit 88-220lbs Swimming Float Vest for Kayak Diving Snorkeling Canoeing Water Sport Fishing,One Size , blue	B09YXTYJBT	Product Recall Report

5	Hisea	Naucwe Adult Children Life Jacket Vest, Float Swimming Buoyancy Aid Neoprene Surfing Vest Safty Outdoor Fishing Life Jackets with Adjustable Buckle Diving Water Sport,XL,Green	B09Z5Z8D5H	Product Recall Report
6	Sailtrek	Naucwe Adult Children Life Jacket Vest, Float Swimming Buoyancy Aid Neoprene Surfing Vest Safty Outdoor Fishing Life Jackets with Adjustable Buckle Diving Water Sport,XL,Green	B09Z5Z8D5H	Product Recall Report
7	HAOYUAN GXING	Adult Life Jacket Open-Sided Design Type III Vest PFD Personal Flotation Device Swim Vest Adjustable Safety Strap Suitable for Drifting, Sea Fishing Etc, Orange, L	B095FYPN54	Product Recall Report
8	Unbranded	Life Jackets for Adult Children, Fishing Life Vest Safety Jacket, with Double Span Belt Bright Reflective Stripes & Whistle Design Suitable, for Boating Kayaking Surfing Swimming, adult, Orange	B09Z6ZTPQB	Product Recall Report

Further Hazard Information

Products Numbered: 1, 2, 3, 4, 7

The product has been assessed as presenting a serious risk of drowning. The product was advertised as a life jacket, but once purchased was identified as a buoyancy aid (which does not provide the same level of protection).

When tested, the product did not meet the level of buoyancy required of a buoyancy aid, and therefore may not have performed as expected when relied upon.

The product also requires improvements to marking, labelling and documentation.

Products Numbered: 5, 6, 8

The product has been assessed as presenting a serious risk of drowning. The product was advertised as a life jacket, but once purchased was identified as a buoyancy aid (which does not provide the same level of protection).

The product was not supplied with the required compliance documentation or markings to demonstrate that they have been adequately conformity assessed. Mandatory third-party conformity assessment by a body authorised for PPE is required by the relevant Regulations for those products which protect against more serious risks, the absence of such independent assessment for such a product may increase the risk to the consumer that the product may not perform as expected when relied upon as a buoyancy aid.

Corrective Action

[OPSS](#) has required that the products are recalled from end users.

Owners are advised to cease use of the product and contact the distributor they purchased from to request redress.

The listing has been removed by the online marketplace (Amazon).