

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 Wish 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	Wish ID	Link to Product Report
1	NEWAO	Adult Water Sports Life Jacket Lifesaving Buoyancy Vest Motorboat Fishing Life Vest Surfing Crash Jacket	5e59fc1b7 7e4f90040 27c498	Product Recall Report
2	NEWAO	Adults Life Jacket Neoprene Safety Life Vest for Water Ski Wakeboard Swimming S-3XL	60935ee03 c3dec6e04 e26e2f	Product Recall Report
3	NBY	Unisex Adult Kid Lifejacket Outdoor Professional Swimwear with Life Whistle Sea Sailing Boating Fishing Buoyancy Kayak Canoe Drifting Night Reflective Strip Aid Impact Life Jacket Vest	621dd5cef 38e4e9446 76704d	Product Recall Report
4	NBY	2022 New Version Adult Kids Swimming Lifesaving Vest Kayak Ski Buoyancy Aid Watersport Life Jacket Fishing	60a2311b2 0dc037313 914b2f	Product Recall Report
5	NBY	Buoyancy Aid For Adults And Children, Neoprene Buoyancy Vest And Life Jackets Adults Kayaking Paddle Boarding Swimming Boating Fishing, Send Child Arm Float Sleeve	62da25d49 0d4a83285 69224f	Product Recall Report

6	NBY	Unisex Adult Kid Lifejacket Outdoor Professional Swimwear with Life Whistle Sea Sailing Boating Fishing Buoyancy Kayak Canoe Drifting Night Reflective Strip Aid Impact Life Jacket Vest	621dda0aa 21184476f ecc640	Product Recall Report
7	SBART	Men's Swimming Life Jacket Outdoor Fishing Life Vest Multifunctional Safety Life Vest	5ecccdf112 7edc21ced e1879	Product Recall Report
8	Unbranded	Multicolor 2 Type Professional Automatic Inflatable Life Jacket Adult Swimming Fishing Life Vest Swimwear Water Sports Swimming Survival Jacket, veste de survie	6070ff848 d49dd81b 6936645	Product Recall Report
9	Unbranded	Multicolor Professional Automatic Inflatable Life Jacket Adult Swimming Fishing Life Vest Swimwear Water Sports Swimming Survival Jacket	5e718044f c4e210240 0b5cfb	Product Recall Report
10	Unbranded	Hot Sell Adult Kayak Boat Orange Foam Flotation Swimming Safe Life Jacket Vest	5f0c33c8b 886cd003d 518066	Product Recall Report
11	Unbranded	Manual / Automatic Inflatable Life Jacket Adult Life Vest Water Sports Swimming Fishing Survival Jacket	60826d9e7 a295b3e6c 69220f	Product Recall Report
12	Protackle	Fashion Fishing Swimming Boating Drifting Kayaking Adult Life Jacket Adjustable Safety Survival Vest Outdoor Tools (5 Colors)	5f4dd9973 bad090716 00e0ed	Product Recall Report
13	Jiuran	High Quality Outdoor Drifting Snorkeling Suit Neoprene Life Jacket for Children and Adults Swimming New Fishing Kayak Boat Suit	6094aa4bc 5a5663c06 8a9da3	Product Recall Report
14	Unbranded	Professional Safety Swimming Life Jacket Safety Jackets With Whistle For Water Sports Drifting Surfing	5e1eb0bfe b50880bbf d202de	Product Recall Report

15	Unbranded	Children Life Jacket, Floating Accessory Fishing Life Jacket Neoprene Kid Life Vest, Sports Life Vest Portable Yacht for Swimming Pool Kayak Outdoor	61e69b4ae28ee5c6c0f456cc	Product Recall Report
16	Unbranded	Children Life Jacket, Portable Life Vest, Safety Life Jacket Floating Accessory Neoprene for Swimming Pool Yacht	61e73ba092f91953da2d74c0	Product Recall Report
17	Unbranded	Children Life jacket Kids Life vest Buoyancy Safe Vest Pool Water Life jacket Baby Swimsuit Kids Swimming Life vest Surfing vest	5991b0f285da120d9380b901	Product Recall Report

Further Hazard Information

Products Numbered: 1, 8, 11, 15, 16, 17

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.

Products Numbered: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 12, 13, 14

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: 9

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 red pull toggle of the inflation mechanism and the whistle easily detached from their cords, which would impair activation of the product when relied upon.

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

Corrective Action

[OPSS](#) is requiring the recall of these products from end users.

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

The listings have been removed by the online marketplace (Wish).