SAFE TRANSPORT VICTORIA

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**DECLARATION OF BOATING ACTIVITY EXEMPTION**
***Marine Safety Act 2010* (Vic)**

Safe Transport Victoria makes the following declaration under section 203(3) of the *Marine Safety Act 2010* (Vic).

For the purposes of boating activity conducted by Rapid Ascent Pty Ltd on the waters of Anglesea Main beach, persons and vessels involved in the XTERRA Anglesea are exempt from the following requirements:

**State Rules made under the *Marine Act 1988***
1. Clause 4(a) – must not exceed 5 knots within 200 metres of the water's edge

Subject to the conditions detailed below:
- Masters of vessels providing rescue services must ensure they comply with the gazetted waterway rules and *Marine Safety Act 2010* in respect to minimum speed and distance requirements, unless otherwise undertaking a rescue operation to retrieve persons in distress, provide for their initial medical or other needs and deliver them to a place of safety on shore
- The master of a nominated vessel is exempt from Item 1 for the purpose of conducting course safety sweeps only, provided that the course sweep is undertaken solely for the purpose of confirming that the course area is clear and suitable for the conduct of the activity and the course is clear of all other persons and vessels
- The exemptions apply from 7:00am – 2:00pm on Saturday 13 & Sunday 14 February 2027 within the exclusion zone waters adjacent the Anglesea Main beach, as marked by signage and buoys
- The exemptions apply provided the stated safety controls and undertakings detailed in the application form and associated documentation are adhered to

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