



Boating Accident Report



The operator of each vessel involved is required to file a report in writing whenever a boating accident results in loss of life, loss of consciousness, medical treatment or disability in excess of 24 hours or property damages in excess of \$100. Reports in death or injury cases must be submitted within 48 hours; reports in other cases are required within 5 days. All reports shall be submitted to the Mississippi Dept of Marine Resources, 298 Bayview Biloxi Ms 39530. Any person violating these requirements is liable to a civil penalty under State Law of not more than \$100 per violation.

COMPLETE ALL APPLICABLE BLOCKS – Use Separate Sheet if Necessary to Complete Blocks

Name and Address of Operator	Age	Operator Experience	
	DOB	This Type of Boat	Other Boat Operating Exp.
		Under 20 hrs	Under 20 hrs
		20 to 100 hrs	20 to 100 hrs
		100 to 500 hrs	100 to 500 hrs
		Over 500 hrs	Over 500 hrs

Name and Address of Owner	Rented Boat	Number of Persons on Board	Formal Instruction in boating Safety	
	Yes		None	State
	No		USCG Aux	Other (specify)
			US Power Sqd	
			American Red Cross	

Vessel No. 1

Boat Number	Boat Name	Boat Make	Boat Model	HIN

Type of Boat	Hull Material	Engine	Boat Data Propulsion	Boat Data Construction
Open Motor Boat	Wood	Outboard	No. of Engines	Length of Boat
Cabin Motorboat	Aluminum	Inboard Gas	Engine Make	Width of Beam
Sail Only	Steel	Inboard Diesel	Horsepower	Depth of Transom
Aux Sail	Fiberglass (plastic)	Inboard/Outboard	Year Built	Year Built
Other (specify)	Other (specify)	Other (specify)		

Accident Data

Date of Accident	Time	Name of Body of Water	Location (give precisely)

State: MS	Nearest City:	County:

Weather		Water Conditions	Temperature	Wind	Visibility	Weather Encountered
Clear	Rain	Calm	Air	None	Good	As Forecast
Cloudy	Snow	Choppy	Water	Light 0-5	Fair	Not as Forecast
Fog	Hazy	Rough		Moderate 7-14	Poor	No Forecast Obtained
		Strong Current		Strong 15-25		
				Storms over 25		

Operation at time of Accident		Type of Accident		Cause of Accident	
Cruising	At Anchor	Grounding	Burns	Alcohol Use	Hazardous Waters
Approaching Dock	Tied to Dock	Capsizing	Fall Overboard	Drug Use	Fault of Other Person
Water Skiing	Fueling	Flooding	Fall in Boat	Weather Conditions	Fault of Hull
Racing	Fishing	Sinking	Hit by Prop	Excessive Speed	Fault of Machinery
Towing	Hunting	Fire or Explosion Fuel	Other (specify)	No Proper Lookout	Fault of Equipment
Being Towed	Diving/SCUBA	Fire or Explosion No Fuel		Overloading	Other (specify)
Drifting	Other (specify)	Collision with Vessel		Improper Loading	
		Collision w/Fixed-Floating Obj			

Was vessel equipped with CG Approved			Was vessel carrying Non Approved			Were Fire Extinguishers Used		
Life Saving devices	Yes	No	Life Saving Devices	Yes	No	Yes	No	Not Applicable
Were they Accessible	Yes	No	Were they Accessible	Yes	No	If yes type used		
Were They Used	Yes	No	Were They Used	Yes	No	If yes number used		

Property Damage Estimate	Describe Damage:
This Boat	
Other Boat	
Other Property	
Name-Address of Owner (Damaged Property)	

Complete all Blocks

Deceased

Name and Address	DOB	Was Victim a	Death Caused By
		Swimmer Non-Swimmer	Drowning Disappearance Other (Specify)
Name and Address	DOB	Was Victim a	Death Caused By
		Swimmer Non-Swimmer	Drowning Disappearance Other (Specify)
Name and Address	DOB	Was Victim a	Death Caused By
		Swimmer Non-Swimmer	Drowning Disappearance Other (Specify)

Injured

Name and Address	DOB	Nature of Injury	Incapacitated over 24 hrs Yes No
Name and Address	DOB	Nature of Injury	Incapacitated over 24 hrs Yes No
Name and Address	DOB	Nature of Injury	Incapacitated over 24 hrs Yes No

Accident Description

Narrative:

Citations
Issued

Yes

No

Vessel NO. 2

Operator Name

Phone NO.

Address

Boat Number:

Boat Name:

Name Of Owner:

Address

Witness

Name

Address

Phone No.

Name

Address

Phone No.

Name

Address

Phone No.

DMR Marine Patrol Use Only - Person Completing Report

Signature

Date Received:

Caused Based On:

Primary Cause of Accident

This Report

Investigation

Investigation and Report

Could not be determined

Secondary Cause of Accident

Reviewed By: