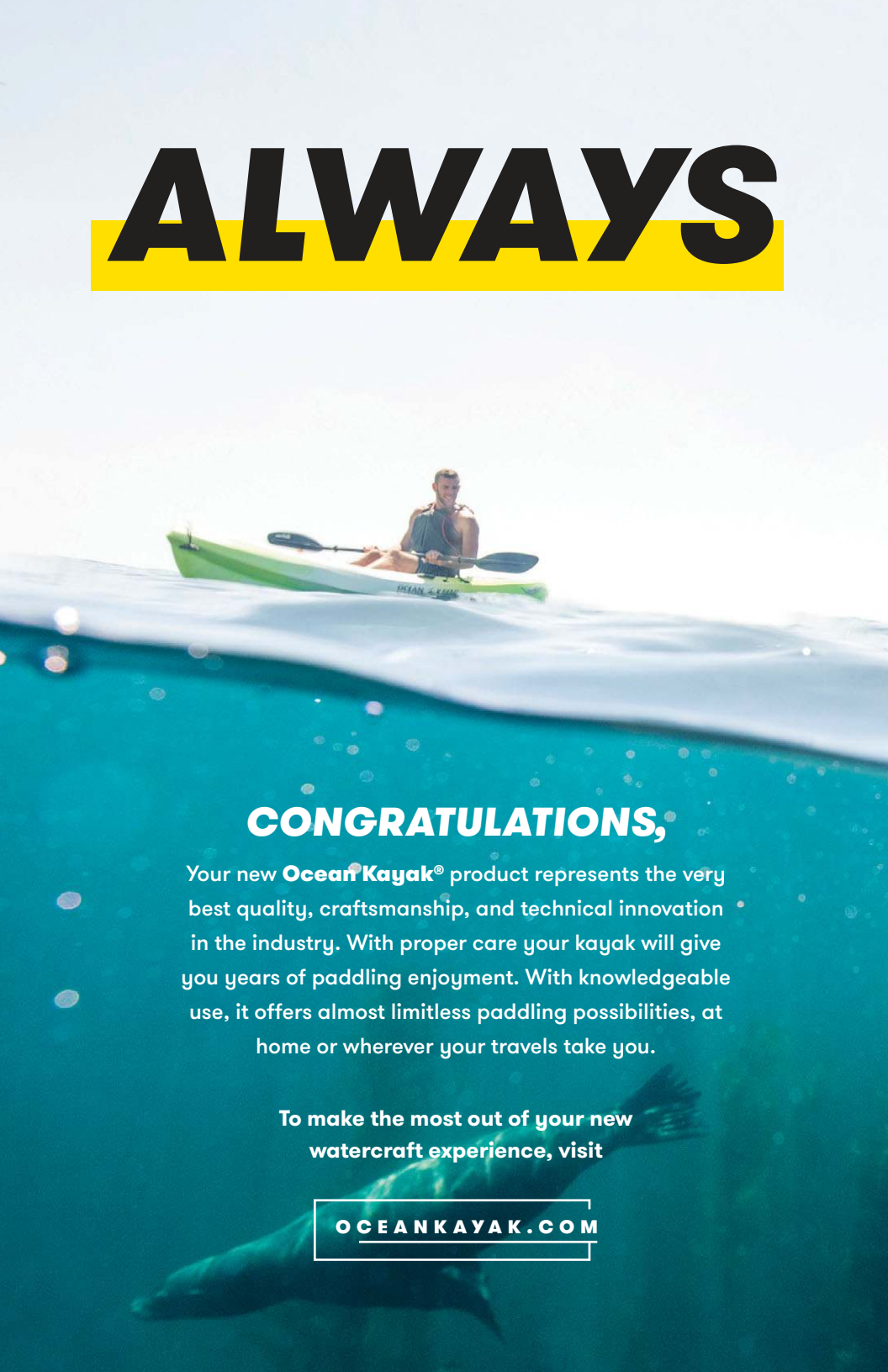
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CONGRATULATIONS,

Your new **Ocean Kayak®** product represents the very best quality, craftsmanship, and technical innovation in the industry. With proper care your kayak will give you years of paddling enjoyment. With knowledgeable use, it offers almost limitless paddling possibilities, at home or wherever your travels take you.

To make the most out of your new watercraft experience, visit

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REGISTERING YOUR BOAT

To register your new kayak in our warranty database, either complete the form included or register at **oceankayak.com.**

Much of the information requested on the warranty form is voluntary, and we use it for one reason only: to learn to serve you better. We will not sell this information to another company. Registering your boat is for your protection and convenience only.



MAINTENANCE AND CARE

CLEANING

Your boat is designed to require minimal maintenance, and a little timely care will ensure a lifetime of enjoyment. Whenever you wash your boat use mild soap and water. Rinse your boat and hardware thoroughly after paddling in saltwater as well as brackish or polluted water. A quick rinse of the moving parts of the foot braces, rudder and skeg box keeps them clean and operating smoothly.

STORING

To ensure extra years of flexibility and bright colors, avoid storing the boat in direct sunlight. Waxes and protectants are simply not enough, they will eventually wash off the boat into our waterways. Keep your kayak inside or under cover to protect from ultraviolet light. Do not cover your boat by laying a tarp directly on it as the heat of the sun on the tarp creates an oven that can damage, distort or discolor the hull. Simply leave an air space to allow for air circulation. If you must store your boat outside, we recommend you tie it down. Strong winds can catch the underside, flip it and cause damage.

Kayaks should be stored on edge, upside down, standing, or hanging horizontally. When hanging a boat, run straps around the boat near the cockpit (the strongest part of the boat). Hanging your kayak in slings or webbing is ideal and will prolong the life of the boat. A word of caution - using the scupper holes may cause distortion and hanging from the toggle handles may put undue strain on them. Storing the boat bottom side down may also cause distortion. Kayak storage systems are available from your dealer.

TRANSPORTING

Make sure your kayak is secure before driving. To tie your boat down, ropes work well, but cam straps are quicker and easier. Tie down on each side of the cockpit, the tapered shape of a kayak will prevent the boat from sliding forward and backward. Don't be afraid to make these straps very tight, the chances of hurting a plastic boat are slim. We strongly recommend that a line be run from the bow and stern of all the boats to each bumper, but don't tighten these too much or you will bend your boat along its length.

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE PROPER CARE, MAINTENANCE, AND TRANSPORTATION OF YOUR OCEAN KAYAK, VISIT

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GENERAL SAFETY

Paddling enables people of all ages and abilities to experience nature with unrivaled closeness and variety. Adventures range from brief outings to challenging treks, but even the simplest trip can quickly lead to danger if proper precautions are not taken. Observe the following safety standards whenever using this product.

- Always wear a nationally-approved, appropriately rated and sized personal floatation device (PFD).
- Check your equipment prior to each use for signs of wear or failure.
- Follow the manufacturer's recommendations and read owner's information package for the proper use of product.
- Get paddlesport instruction from a licensed or certified instructor.
- Obtain certified first aid and rescue training. Be sure to carry first aid and rescue equipment with you.
- Dress for the water temperature. Weather conditions can change quickly, turning a warm afternoon's paddle into a challenge to remember. If you prepare to get wet, you'll stay warm whatever nature brings your way.
- Wear a helmet where appropriate.
- Be aware of appropriate river water levels, tidal changes, dangerous currents and weather changes.
- Do not paddle in flood conditions.
- Never paddle alone. Let people know where you plan to go and when you plan to return.
- Do not use alcohol or mind altering drugs prior to using this product.
- Scout unfamiliar waters; portage where appropriate.
- Do not exceed your paddling ability; be honest with yourself.
- Consult your physician prior to beginning your paddlesport training.
- If additional outfitting is added to this craft, use manufacturer's approved materials only; do not impair entry or exit access.
- The user of this product acknowledges both an understanding and an assumption of the risk involved in paddlesports.





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Please send products and other correspondence to:
Ocean Kayak
125 Gilman Falls Ave. Bldg B
Old Town, ME 04468

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IMPORTANT
Please complete and return within the next **10 days** or register online at **oceankayak.com.**

FIRST NAME **M.I.** **LAST NAME**

NUMBER AND STREET ADDRESS **APT. #**

CITY **STATE** **ZIP CODE**

EMAIL

PHONE NUMBER - - **DATE OF BIRTH** - -

MARITAL STATUS
☐ Single ☐ Married/Partnered

GENDER
☐ Male ☐ Female

DATE OF PURCHASE - -

PRODUCT PURCHASED

SERIAL NUMBER

NAME OF STORE WHERE PURCHASED

PURCHASE PRICE (EXCLUDING TAX)
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How did you locate this ocean kayak dealer/ retailer?
Check any that apply
- ☐ Dealer/retailer ad
- ☐ Factory referral
- ☐ Friend's recommendation
- ☐ Internet/website
- ☐ Newspaper/magazine ad
- ☐ Previous experience with dealer/retailer
- ☐ Yellow pages
- ☐ Ocean Kayak dealer listing
- ☐ Other

Which of the following best describes this purchase?
- ☐ First of this style of product ever owned
- ☐ An addition to another brand currently owned
- ☐ An addition to a currently owned Ocean Kayak product
- ☐ A replacement of another brand
- ☐ A replacement of a previously owned Ocean Kayak product

What are the most important features influencing the purchase of your ocean kayak product?
Check any that apply
- ☐ Warranty
- ☐ Style/appearance/design
- ☐ Value for price
- ☐ Quality
- ☐ Ease of use
- ☐ Size and weight
- ☐ Color
- ☐ Inexpensive to own and operate
- ☐ Other: _____

What are the most important factors influencing the purchase of your Ocean Kayak product?
Check up to 5
- ☐ Ad — Print
- ☐ Ad — TV
- ☐ Article in magazine/newspaper/internet
- ☐ Boat show/consumer show
- ☐ Brand name
- ☐ Brand website
- ☐ Catalog — Brand
- ☐ Catalog — Store
- ☐ Endorsement of celebrity/pro/instructor
- ☐ Direct mail/email promotion
- ☐ Internet
- ☐ On sale/sale price
- ☐ Prior experience with brand
- ☐ Product promotion/rebate
- ☐ Product quality
- ☐ Received as gift
- ☐ Salesperson recommendation
- ☐ Saw product in use/demonstration
- ☐ Special features of product
- ☐ Store ad/flier
- ☐ Store display
- ☐ Tournament
- ☐ Value for price
- ☐ Warranty
- ☐ Other: _____

What is the total number of children in the household under the age of 18?

☐☐

What is the total number of adults in the household?

☐☐

What is your employment status?

- ☐ Employed full-time, 35 or more hours per week
- ☐ Employed part-time, 35 or less hours per week
- ☐ Self-employed
- ☐ Unemployed
- ☐ Retired
- ☐ Student (full or part time)
- ☐ Military

Which of the following products do you currently own or plan to buy in the next 12 months?
Check any that apply

Own	*Plan to buy*	
☐	☐	Backpack/daypack/travel pack
☐	☐	Sleeping bag
☐	☐	Family tent
☐	☐	Backpack tent
☐	☐	Backyard shelter/screen house
☐	☐	Hydration system
☐	☐	Compass
☐	☐	Other camping equipment (stoves, cookware, LED lights)
☐	☐	GPS
☐	☐	Battery charger
☐	☐	Boat — Deck/pontoon
☐	☐	Boat — Fishing
☐	☐	Boat — Runabout/recreational
☐	☐	Downrigger
☐	☐	Electric trolling motor
☐	☐	Electronic anchor winch
☐	☐	Fish finder
☐	☐	Ice fishing flasher
☐	☐	Trim tabs/trim-n-troll
☐	☐	Kayak
☐	☐	Canoe
☐	☐	Paddlesports accessories (paddles, PFDs, apparel, gear)
☐	☐	Transportation racks or systems
☐	☐	Scuba mask
☐	☐	Scuba fins
☐	☐	Scuba regulator
☐	☐	Buoyancy compensator
☐	☐	Drive computer
☐	☐	Scuba dry suit/scuba wetsuit
☐	☐	Snorkel equipment

Who will likely be the primary user(s) of this boat?

- ☐ Male head of household
- ☐ Female head of household
- ☐ Female children
- ☐ Male children

Level of education: *Check highest level completed*

- ☐ High school
- ☐ Some college or trade school
- ☐ Completed college
- ☐ Graduate school

Which group describes your annual household income?

- ☐ Under $25,000
- ☐ $25,000–$49,999
- ☐ $50,000–$74,999
- ☐ $75,000–$99,999
- ☐ $100,000–$149,999
- ☐ $150,000–$199,999
- ☐ $200,000–$499,999
- ☐ Over $500,000
- ☐ Prefer not to answer

What other brands did you seriously consider before making this purchase? *Check any that apply*

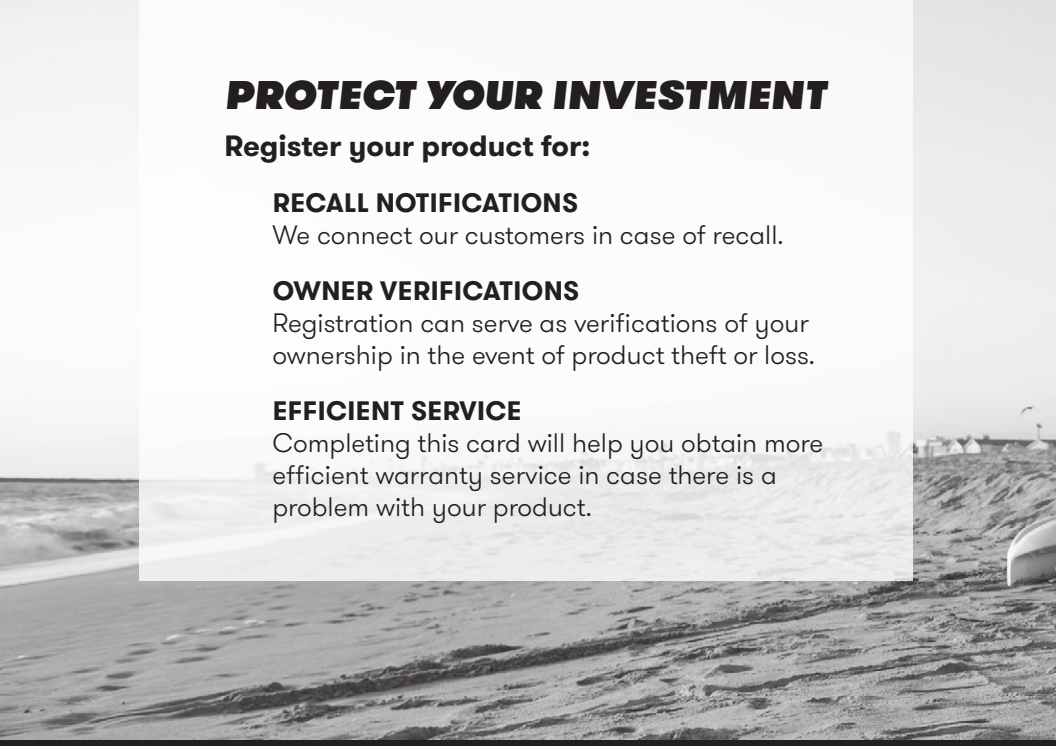
- ☐ Aquabound
- ☐ Astral
- ☐ Bell
- ☐ Bending Branches
- ☐ Carlisle
- ☐ Coleman
- ☐ Current Designs
- ☐ Dagger
- ☐ Dimension
- ☐ Eddyline
- ☐ Emotion Kayaks
- ☐ Extrasport
- ☐ Feathercraft
- ☐ Force 6
- ☐ Future Beach
- ☐ Grumman
- ☐ Harmony
- ☐ Heritage
- ☐ Hobie
- ☐ Immersion Research
- ☐ Impex
- ☐ Kokatat
- ☐ Liquid Logic
- ☐ Mad River
- ☐ Malibu Kayaks
- ☐ MTI
- ☐ Necky Kayaks
- ☐ Nigel Dennis
- ☐ Northwest
- ☐ NRS
- ☐ Ocean Kayak
- ☐ Old Town
- ☐ Pelican
- ☐ Perception
- ☐ Prijon
- ☐ Rogue River
- ☐ Sawyer
- ☐ Seaward
- ☐ Snap Dragon
- ☐ Sterns
- ☐ Stohlquist
- ☐ Valley
- ☐ Voyager
- ☐ Wenonah
- ☐ Werner
- ☐ Wilderness Systems
- ☐ Other:_____
- ☐ Did not consider other brands

Where do you intend to primarily use this product?
Check one

- ☐ Inland Lake — Gas restricted
- ☐ Inland Lake — Non-restricted
- ☐ Man-made neighborhood lake or pond
- ☐ Ocean bay or other saltwater
- ☐ River or stream

Do you own waterfront property? *Check one*

- ☐ Yes, as primary residence
- ☐ Yes, as secondary residence or vacation home
- ☐ No



PROTECT YOUR INVESTMENT

Register your product for:

RECALL NOTIFICATIONS
We connect our customers in case of recall.

OWNER VERIFICATIONS
Registration can serve as verifications of your ownership in the event of product theft or loss.

EFFICIENT SERVICE
Completing this card will help you obtain more efficient warranty service in case there is a problem with your product.

REGISTER ONLINE AT: OCEANKAYAK.COM

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Which of the following sport/recreation/fitness activities do you participate in? *Check any that apply*

- ☐ Backpacking overnight — More than ¼ mile from vehicle/home
- ☐ Camping — Recreational vehicle
- ☐ Camping — Tent
- ☐ Canoeing
- ☐ Climbing — Any type
- ☐ Cycling
- ☐ Freshwater fishing — Inland
- ☐ Freshwater fishing — Great lakes
- ☐ Group exercising/fitness training
- ☐ Hiking — Day
- ☐ Kayak fishing
- ☐ Kayaking — Recreational
- ☐ Kayaking — Sea/touring
- ☐ Kayaking — Whitewater
- ☐ Running/jogging
- ☐ Saltwater fishing — In-shore/near shore
- ☐ Saltwater fishing — Off-shore
- ☐ Scuba diving
- ☐ Snorkeling
- ☐ Snow sports — Skiing/snowboarding/snowmobiling
- ☐ Team sports (e.g. soccer)
- ☐ Triathlon/duathlon
- ☐ Watersports — Wakeboarding/waterskiing/sailing
- ☐ Walking for fitness
- ☐ Weight training/strength training
- ☐ None of the above

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Thank you for taking the time to complete this information.

- ☐ No, I do not want to participate in future research studies
- ☐ Yes! Please send me information on Ocean Kayak products and special events. Your information will remain confidential.

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LIMITED WARRANTY

WATERCRAFT

The hull and deck of any Ocean Kayak watercraft are covered for the lifetime of the boat from the consumer's original purchase date.

ACCESSORIES

(Including Paddles & Life Jackets) Warranty coverage is (1) one year from consumer's original purchase date.

BLEMS AND RENTALS

Blemished boats or those marked as BLEMs, the hull and deck are covered (5) five years from the consumer's original purchase date.

For standard watercraft used for rental, demonstration, resort or outfitter purposes the warranty is for (90) ninety days from date of delivery by the dealer to the consumer.

For watercraft built as special "outfitter grade" boats used for rental, demonstration, resort or outfitter purposes, the hull and deck are covered for (1) one year from date of delivery.

THE FINE PRINT

TO WHOM DOES THIS WARRANTY APPLY?

JOHNSON OUTDOORS INC. extends the following limited warranty to the original retail consumer only ("Consumer").

WHAT DOES THIS WARRANTY COVER?

This warranty covers material defects in workmanship and materials in your new Johnson Outdoors Watercraft purchase.

HOW LONG DOES COVERAGE LAST?

The hull and deck of any Ocean Kayak products are covered the lifetime of the boat from the Consumer's original purchase date. For blemished boats or those marked as BLEMS, the hull and deck are covered (5) five years from Consumer's original purchase date. For standard boats used for rental, demonstration, resort or outfitter purposes the warranty is 90 days from date of delivery by the dealer to the Consumer. For boats built as special "outfitter grade" boats used for rental, demonstration, resort or outfitter purposes, the hull and deck are covered (1) one year from date of delivery. For accessories, the warranty coverage is (1) one year from Consumer's original purchase date.

WHAT WILL JOHNSON OUTDOORS DO?

For complete warranty details, to provide notice of a warranty claim, or to request warranty service, contact Johnson Outdoors Inc. at 800-343-1555.

Alternatively, you can contact Johnson Outdoors Inc. at 125 Gilman Falls Ave. Bldg.B, Old Town, ME 04468. As the sole and exclusive obligation under this warranty of Johnson Outdoors Inc. and its affiliates (referred to in this limited warranty together as "Johnson Outdoors"), and as Consumer's sole and exclusive remedy, upon prompt written notice from Consumer of breach of this limited warranty during the relevant warranty period, Johnson Outdoors will either, at Johnson Outdoors' option, (a) repair (by the dealer) or replace the defective product, or (b) refund the purchase price paid by Consumer if an inspection by Johnson Outdoors discloses material defects in workmanship or material covered by this warranty.

LIMITED WARRANTY (CONT.)

HOW IT WORKS

1. Consumer must mail the completed warranty.
2. If you have a warranty claim, call our Customer Service Department at the number indicated above.
    - Be prepared to provide the following information: Proof of purchase, date and place of purchase and original purchase price.
    - Boat serial number (engraved on starboard bow and stern), model, color and hatch configuration.
    - Consumer name, address and phone number.
    - Detailed description of the problem.
3. Johnson Outdoors strives to give warranty claims top priority to ensure timely processing and resolution. We may ask you to contact your original dealer and/or send us the defective product at our cost. If the product is to be returned to the factory, our Customer Service Department will issue a return authorization number.
    - Affix this number to the product along with your dealer name and contact person.
    - Do not return any product to the factory without a return authorization number.
    - Return products in the original packing material or equivalent. Include a note of explanation inside the package regarding the reason for the return, contact information and desired action.
4. Warranty on a replacement boat is void until Johnson Outdoors receives from the dealer the serial number cut outs from the defective boat. The warranty period for a repair, and the related product, shall be only the remaining portion of the original warranty period applicable to such product.

WHAT THIS WARRANTY DOES NOT COVER

There is NO WARRANTY, and no portion of warranty expense will be reimbursed when:

- Product has ever been used for commercial use (except for Ocean Kayak rental/demonstration/resort/outfitter — for the time frame outlined under “How Long Coverage Lasts”).
- Product is determined by Johnson Outdoors to have been subjected to unusual or abnormal use, misuse, abuse, negligence, accidents, normal wear and tear, damage due to environmental or natural elements, failure to follow Johnson Outdoors’ instructions, unauthorized repair, incorrectly performed maintenance or repair, improper installation, or storage.
- Product is determined to have been used for any activity other than an activity that is customary for this type of product.
- Claim is made by any party other than the original purchaser of a product.
- Product was damaged while in possession of freight carrier, dealer, Consumer or any party other than Johnson Outdoors.
- Product was modified.



- Product was not manufactured by Johnson Outdoors.
- Product was manufactured to Consumer's, dealer's or other third party's specifications.
- Product has not been registered and completed warranty registration form has not been returned to Johnson Outdoors in the time period required.

In order for this warranty to apply, Consumer must retain and provide to Johnson Outdoors receipts showing date of product purchase and documented proper maintenance. Any oral or written description of the products is for the sole purpose of identifying the products and shall not be construed as express warranty. Prior to using the products, Consumer shall determine the suitability of the products for the intended use and Consumer assumes all risk and liability in connection therewith.

JOHNSON OUTDOORS SHALL NOT BE LIABLE TO CONSUMER, OR TO ANYONE CLAIMING UNDER CONSUMER, FOR ANY OTHER OBLIGATIONS OR LIABILITIES, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO; OBLIGATIONS OR LIABILITIES ARISING OUT OF BREACH OF CONTRACT OR WARRANTY, NEGLIGENCE OR OTHER TORT OR ANY THEORY OF STRICT LIABILITY, WITH RESPECT TO THE PRODUCTS OR JOHNSON OUTDOORS' ACTS OR OMISSIONS OR OTHERWISE. THE EXPRESS WARRANTIES DESCRIBED HEREIN ARE EXCLUSIVE AND IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER EXPRESS WARRANTIES. FOR COMMERCIAL PRODUCTS, ALL WARRANTIES IMPLIED BY LAW, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, ARE DISCLAIMED AND SHALL NOT APPLY. FOR CONSUMER PRODUCTS, WARRANTIES IMPLIED BY LAW, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION THOSE OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, ARE EXPRESSLY LIMITED TO THE PERIOD OF THE WARRANTY STATED ABOVE FOR THE RELEVANT PRODUCT. Some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

Any assistance Johnson Outdoors provides to or procures for Consumer outside the terms, limitations or exclusions of this warranty will not constitute a waiver of the terms, limitations or exclusions of this limited warranty, nor will such assistance extend or revive the warranty. Johnson Outdoors will not reimburse Consumer for any expenses incurred by Consumer in repairing, correcting or replacing any defective products, except those incurred with Johnson Outdoors' prior written permission.

LIMITATION ON DAMAGES

IN NO EVENT SHALL JOHNSON OUTDOORS BE LIABLE FOR INCIDENTAL, COMPENSATORY, PUNITIVE, CONSEQUENTIAL INDIRECT, SPECIAL OR OTHER DAMAGES. JOHNSON OUTDOORS' AGGREGATE LIABILITY WITH RESPECT TO A DEFECTIVE PRODUCT SHALL BE LIMITED TO AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO CONSUMER'S ORIGINAL PURCHASE PRICE PAID FOR THAT DEFECTIVE PRODUCT. Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental and consequential damages so the above limitation or exclusion may not apply to you.

HOW DOES STATE LAW APPLY?

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state. It is the express wish of the parties that this Agreement and any related documents be drafted in English.





LIFETIME HULL WARRANTY

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MANUFACTURER'S STATEMENT OF ORIGIN TO A BOAT

The undersigned corporation hereby certifies that the new boat described below, the property and said corporation, has been transferred this _____ day of _____, year_____, to_____
whose address is _____
Type of boat: O Kayak O Canoe Model:_____

Serial number:

[AFFIX LABEL HERE]

The corporation further certifies that this was the first transfer of such new boat in ordinary trade and commerce.

By _____, Group Vice President
(Authorized Signature) (Title of Position)

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FIRST ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned hereby transfers this Statement of Origin and the boat described therein to_____
address _____
and certifies that the boat is new and has not been registered in this or any other state; the undersigned also warrants the title of said boat at the time of delivery, subject to the liens and encumbrances, if any, as set out below:

AMOUNT OF LIEN:	DATE:	TO WHOM DUE:	ADDRESS:
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

NOTARY STATEMENT

Before me personally appeared _____ who by me being duly sworn upon oath says that the statements set forth above are true and correct. Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 2_____.

_____, Notary Public Date Commission Expires: _____
(Signature)

⚠ **WARNING:** Operating, servicing and maintaining a recreational marine vessel can expose you to chemicals including engine exhaust, carbon monoxide, phthalates, and lead, which are known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. To minimize exposure, avoid breathing exhaust, service your vessel in a well-ventilated area and wear gloves or wash your hands frequently when servicing this vessel. For more information go to www.P65warnings.ca.gov/marine.

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