



This certificate entitles the holder to command a speed boat for the purposes of commercial water skiing operations (towing or training of water skiers) within gazetted water ski areas.

Requirements to obtain certificate of competency: (*check that you meet the requirements in the order as numbered below*)

1	Age	19 Years
2	Eyesight Test	Required on DoT form (valid for 2 years). <i>To be presented if submitting sea service for assessment.</i>
3	Medical	Declaration of Medical Fitness DoT form (valid for 2 years) <i>NOTE: It is recommended eyesight/ medical tests be done before registering for any courses. DoT shall not issue a certificate if the minimum standards are not met.</i>
4	Sea Service	12 months - (50% in the last 5 years) experience in a speed boat. Declared on a DoT Statutory Declaration or a company/business letterhead.
5	Training	You must obtain a Commercial Ski Operators Rating as a Ski Instructor from the WA Water Ski Association and a current Senior First Aid Certificate. Evidence of successful completion is required.
6	Written and Oral Examination	You will be required to book a written and oral examination with DPI. Bookings will ONLY be accepted when sea service has been assessed and all other documents are received. Written and oral examinations are conducted in English.

Additional information:

- All documents submitted must be originals or certified copies.
- DoT fees to be paid on submission of sea time.
- Revalidation of the Coxswain - Instructor of Commercial Ski Boat is required 5 years from date of issue..
- Self declared sea service will not be accepted.
- Incorrectly completed forms will be returned resulting in the delay of sea service assessment or issue of certificates of competency.
- The candidate is responsible for ensuring they have the necessary approvals to operate in the as a commercial Ski operator.