



NORTH PACIFIC EXPEDITIONS

Passenger Activity Risk Statement

I, the passenger of North Pacific Expeditions (NPE), acknowledge that I have received, read and understood the following written risk statement in association with the services provided by North Pacific Expeditions.

North Pacific Expeditions (NPE) and the crew are released and held harmless from any liability for loss, damage or injury which might result from associated cruise activities. Any activity on the sea presents risk to those participating. It is therefore imperative that guests of NPE make every effort to reduce the risk to an acceptable and appropriate level.

Certain activities require minimum levels of fitness, ability and health (physical, mental and emotional) and each person has a different capacity for these activities. Where the guests may have limited to no skill, the crew of NPE will ensure they understand that the associated activities are not without risks.

These inherent risks can cause loss or damage to NPE equipment, injury, illness, or extreme events such as trauma or death.

Some examples of those risks are described below:

Acts of nature: Rock fall, avalanche, flooding, lightning, wind, etc.

Weather-related injuries: Cold injuries, heat exhaustion/stroke, sunburn, dehydration, hypothermia, etc.

Falling: Getting in/out of skiff or kayak, walking on the beach or day hiking in the forest, etc.

Machinery: Equipment and/or operator failure

On the water risks: Falling while on the boat (due to current, tidal action, wake from other boats, etc.), falling overboard, boat collision, capsizing, encounter with wildlife, etc.

On land risks: Encounters with animals, insects, poisonous plants, trips, stumbles and falls, etc.

The above inherent risks are not a complete description of the risks that may be encountered while on an NPE cruise. Other unknown or unanticipated risks can result in injury, illness, or extreme events such as trauma or death. NPE asks that all passengers be aware of the risks connected with water activities and always understand that the participation therein is strictly voluntary.