



Very Sheltered Water Environment Definition

- Quiet canals with easy bankside access and egress;
- Small lakes, which are not large enough and do not have difficult landing, where problems could occur if there is a sudden change in conditions;
- Gentle, slow moving rivers.
- At any point, the paddler should not be more than 50 metres from the bank.

The definition implies weather conditions that are not in themselves likely to cause problems.

Note: The definition implies normal conditions and care is advised when water and air temperatures are low.