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Deal with incidents of unauthorised fishing



Overview

This standard is about identifying, dealing with and reporting on unauthorised fishing incidents. It covers identifying the nature of incidents and dealing effectively with incidents in a professional manner. It includes accurately recording the detail of incidents.

This standard requires that you carry out work safely in line with legal health and safety requirements and that you work to maintain bio-security and minimise environmental disturbance at all times.

The legislation controlling the application of this standard will vary depending on the location of the fishery within England, Wales, Northern Ireland or Scotland.

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Performance criteria

You must be able to:

- P1 complete surveillance activities
- P2 gather and record evidence in respect of the incident, in accordance with legal standards
- P3 identify suspected incident and observe intruders to determine motive
- P4 take action appropriate to the nature of the incident that does not put self and others at risk
- P5 deal with the incident in a professional manner
- P6 collate and report details of incident accurately and promptly

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Knowledge and understanding

You need to know and understand:

- K1 the law concerning authorised and unauthorised fishing activities
- K2 authorised fishing methods
- K3 the importance of accurate reporting
- K4 why it is important to deal with incidents in a professional manner
- K5 the powers, privileges, duties and responsibilities of bailiffs, fisheries officers and enforcement organisations
- K6 the techniques used to collate and record evidence
- K7 how incidents should be reported and why accuracy is important
- K8 how, when and by whom arrests can be made

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