



## **Approved Boat Handling Instructor (BHI)**

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### **APPROVED BOAT HANDLING INSTRUCTOR APPLICATION FORM**

***Requirements for approval:***

- Current BSAC member and Open Water Instructor (or hold an acceptable Boat Handling instructional qualification issued by another agency).
- Hold both the BSAC Boat Handling Course (or RYA Powerboat Level 2) and Diver Cox'n Certificates.
- Serve actively and effectively as an Assistant Instructor on a BSAC Boat Handling Course, and thus obtain the recommendation of the Chief Instructor.

***Application for Approval:***

Name .....

Address .....

..... Postcode .....

BSAC Membership N° ..... Telephone N° .....

Coaching Regions in which you are willing to act as an BHI .....

***Please enclose photocopies of:***

- Your Boat Handling and Diver Cox'n Certificates, your Diver and Instructor qualifications from your BSAC Qualification Record Book.

***Recommendation:***

The above instructor has performed usefully and effectively as an Assistant Instructor on the following Boat Handling Course and is recommended for appointment and an BHI.

**Venue** ..... **Date** .....

Chief Instructor's name .....

Signed ..... **Date** .....



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### **APPROVED BOAT HANDLING INSTRUCTOR – NOTES**

**All Instructors teaching on BSAC Boat Handling Courses must hold BSAC Boat Handling Instructor (BHI) status.** RYA Powerboat Instructors may also teach on BSAC Boat Handling Courses, but not in the capacity of Chief Instructor unless they are also BSAC BHIs.

**Assistant Instructors must not be put / left in sole command of a boat during any Boat Handling Course practical session afloat.**

**BHIs are not authorised to carry out the BSAC Diver Cox'n Assessments, for which the qualification of BSAC Diver Cox'n Assessor must be held.**

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BHIs will be issued with a QRB certificate recording their status. BHIs should record their involvement on BSAC Boat Handling Courses by logging appropriate details in a Training Record Book.

BHIs are expected to keep themselves up to date in both Boat Handling knowledge and skill and in teaching them.