


Standard Operating Procedure (SoP) For Boat Snorkeling Activity In A&N Islands.

The Directorate of Information, Publicity & Tourism, A & N Administration is to inform that a "Standard Operating Procedure (SoP) for Boat Snorkeling Activity In A&N Islands." has been prepared in-coordination and consultation with National Institute of Watersports, Goa, Ministry of Tourism, Government of India.


The draft SoP outlines key safety procedure, required gears and equipment, identifying risk, pre-trip briefing, environmental briefing etc.

The Standard Operating Procedure is placed in the public domain for information of the general public/tourism stakeholders including boat operators, snorkeling guides, environmental experts and their feedback, if any. The SoP is available in the official website of Directorate of IP&T <https://www.andamantourism.gov.in> and [www.mygov.in](http://www.mygov.in). All feedback may be submitted to Directorate of IP&T by 30.04.2025.

  
Asst. Director (Admin.)

  
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1. The Chief Editor, The Daily Telegrams with the request to publish the above Press release as news item on 09.04.2025 & 13.04.2025
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3. The Public Relation Officer, DIPT with the direction to publish the news item in the local newspapers.
4. The Editor, All India Radio, Sri Vijaya Puram.
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6. The Nodal Officer (IT), DIPT with the direction to upload the press release in the official website of Tourism Department. <https://www.andamantourism.gov.in> and [www.mygov.in](http://www.mygov.in) alongwith "Standard Operating Procedure (SoP) For Boat Snorkeling Activity In A&N Islands".

Copy also forwarded for information to:

1. The PS to Secretary (IP&T) for kind information.
2. The PA to Director (Tourism) for kind information.

  
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