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BOAT OPERATORS:

NOVA SCOTIA HAS A 10 KM/H SPEED LIMIT WITHIN 30 METRES OF SHORE ON RIVERS AND LAKES

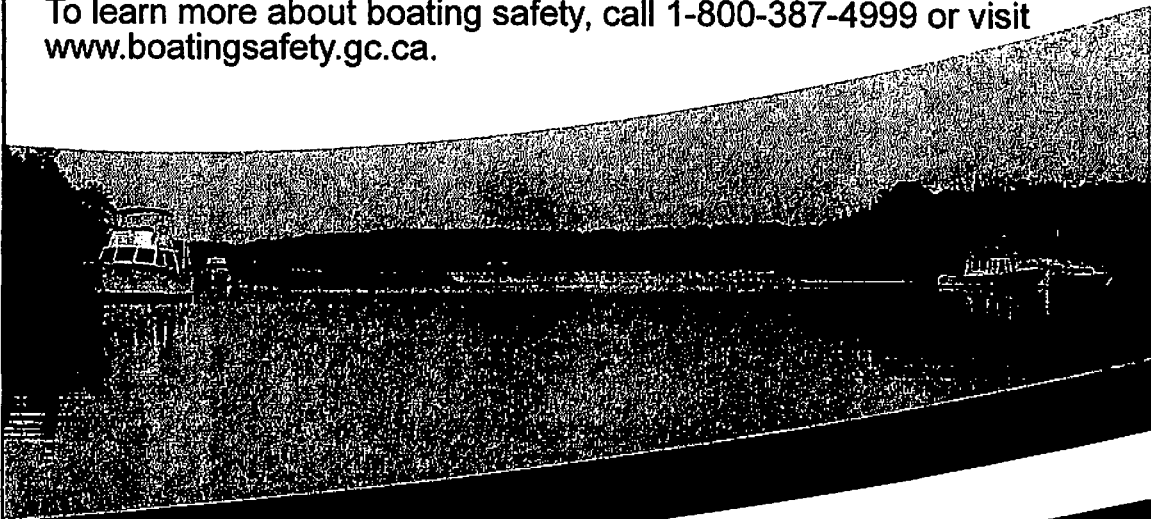
Transport Canada reminds boaters in Nova Scotia that it is illegal to operate power-driven vessels faster than 10 km/h within 30 metres of shore on rivers and lakes. This includes the Bras d'Or Lakes.

Exceptions allow you to:

- Pull water-skiers directly away from the shore at higher speeds, if needed; and
- Go at higher speeds in narrow rivers and buoyed channels.

These shoreline speed limits make the near shore areas of rivers and lakes in Nova Scotia safer for swimmers and non-powered vessels, and reduce the effect of vessel wakes on the shoreline.

To learn more about boating safety, call 1-800-387-4999 or visit www.boatingsafety.gc.ca.



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