


Location:	Leicester Outdoor Pursuits Centre	Date of Assessment:	May 2014	Last Reviewed:	Name of Assessor:	David Robinson
Activity:	KataKanuing	Assessment Reference No:	4.59	Jan 25 CM	Signature of Assessor:	

HAZARD	CONTROL MEASURES
Manual Handling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Follow recommended procedure to safely move the KataKanu ■ Where necessary ask for help to move them. ■ At least 2 people recommended for safe move on and off the trailer ■ Use the trolley supplied with the KataKanu to easily move the canoe around. ■ See manual handling risk assessment for further details
Instructor paddling with the group in the KataKanu	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Instructor to make sure they carry a throw line to allow them to rescue from a distance. ■ Instructor to ensure they are able to easily move around the KataKanu to help people back into the boat. ■ Instructor to be aware of the lack of manoeuvrability of the craft in case of rescues. ■ Maximum 6 crew per craft, this includes the instructor.
Use of 2 KataKanus with the instructor on one of them.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Instructor in charge must hold a minimum of Paddlesport Instructor. ■ Instructor can paddle a separate canoe to allow them to easily move from boat to boat to perform rescues and coach ■ If instructor is on one KataKanu they should be aware of their manoeuvrability and their proximity to the other KataKanu in case of rescues. ■ A throw line must be on board with the Instructor.

To be read in conjunction with risk assessment for Canoeing, Kayaking and Bell Boating.