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**Recreational diving services —  
Requirements for training on  
environmental awareness for  
recreational divers**

*Services relatifs à la plongée de loisirs — Exigences de formation pour  
la sensibilisation à l'environnement des plongeurs de loisirs*

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## Introduction

The diving community has a unique capability and therefore responsibility in observing and reporting on the condition of the aquatic environment. It is therefore important to have a standard on responsible environmental practices in recreational diver training.

In diver training and diving activities, divers should have an awareness of their environmental impact. This should include actively minimizing any negative aspects, both potential and actual. Such training should encourage awareness of environmentally positive actions.

This document outlines how the recreational diving community can make use of this capability while ensuring that full consideration is given towards divers' interaction with the aquatic environment.

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