



# Surf Life Saving Australia – Circular

<b>Title:</b>	BRP Can-Am Defender SSV and Sea-Doo RWC Equipment Grant 2025/26
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## Background

Surf Life Saving Australia (SLSA) is pleased to announce the extension of its partnership with Bombardier Recreational Products (BRP) into its 15th consecutive year. BRP’s support has contributed more than \$10.5 million in equipment to SLS Clubs, Branches, and State/Territory Centres across Australia.

This longstanding partnership has enabled lifesaving services to operate at consistently high standards. BRP remains the preferred powercraft provider and a national partner of SLSA, supplying affiliated clubs and services with essential equipment including side-by-side vehicles (SSVs) and rescue watercraft (RWC).



The 2025/26 BRP Equipment Grant includes \$575,000 (GST inclusive) in funding, delivering approximately \$1.5 million worth of lifesaving equipment to support frontline rescue operations across the country.

## Equipment Available

EQUIPMENT	DETAILS AND INCLUSIONS	PRICE
<b>Can-Am Defender HD9 XU (Yellow)</b>		
The Can-Am Defender HD9 XU (Yellow) is available at a 35% discount.		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Rear vision mirror</li> <li>▪ Main harness</li> <li>▪ Coupler tec</li> <li>▪ Tow hitch and ball</li> <li>▪ SLSA approved decals</li> <li>▪ Blinker kit</li> </ul> <p><b>Note:</b> Windscreen and rear screen are extra and must be ordered separately.</p>	<p><b>\$22,243.00 (Inc GST) (35% Grant Discount)</b></p> <p>Normal retail price \$32,042.00 (Inc GST)</p> <p><b>Note:</b> There may be additional state/territory centre bulk freight and registration costs, that are not included in this price.</p>





EQUIPMENT	DETAILS AND INCLUSIONS	PRICE
<p><b>Sea-Doo GTI 130</b></p> <p>The Sea-Doo GTI 130 is available at a 40% discount.</p>		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ SLSA decals</li> <li>▪ Stainless wear ring</li> <li>▪ Hydro turf grip mat</li> <li>▪ Rear sled mount</li> <li>▪ Surf kit</li> <li>▪ Galvanised trailer (standard)</li> </ul>	<p><b>\$16,073.00 Inclusive of GST* (40% BRP Grant Discount)</b></p> <p>Normal retail price \$23,313.00 (Inclusive of GST)</p> <p><b>Note:</b> There may be additional state/territory centre bulk freight and registration costs, that are not included in this price.</p>
<p><b>Sea-Doo GTI SE 170</b></p> <p>The Sea-Doo GTI SE 170 is available at a 40% discount.</p>		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SLSA decals</li> <li>• Stainless wear ring</li> <li>• Hydro turf grip mat</li> <li>• Rear sled mount</li> <li>• Surf kit</li> <li>▪ Galvanised trailer (standard)</li> </ul>	<p><b>\$17,453.00 Inclusive of GST* (40% BRP Grant Discount)</b></p> <p>Normal retail price \$25,613.00 (Inclusive of GST)</p> <p><b>Note:</b> There may be additional state/territory centre bulk freight and registration costs, that are not included in this price.</p>

## Grant Application Process

SLS affiliated clubs and services seeking equipment from the grant must submit an online application via:

[BRP Equipment Grant Application Form](#)

- **Applications Open:** Tuesday, 30 September 2025

## Payment Terms

- Invoices must be paid within two weeks of the invoice date issued by BRP.
- Equipment must not be released until payment is received.
- Unpaid invoices will be deemed a debt due and payable by the club/service to SLSA.

## Terms and Conditions

- Applications must be completed in full and endorsed by the Club President.
- Successful applicants will be selected by SLSA, with input from their State/Territory Centre. All decisions are final.
- Club/services cannot withdraw from the process once selected.
- Any payment not made by a successful applicant (club/service) within two weeks from the invoice date from BRP, the amount will be deemed, and becomes, a debt due and payable by the Club/service to SLSA
- Equipment may be utilised at the SLSA Australian Surf Life Saving Championships (The Aussies). Clubs/services allocated such equipment are responsible for post event collection at their own cost.



- Price includes pre-delivery costs and fitting to SLSA specification.
- Price excludes State/Territory registration fees. Club/services are responsible for registering equipment after collection.
- Price excludes freight from championship events. Club/services are responsible for these costs.
- Successful applicants must promote the grant through their club/service channels and may be required to participate in media opportunities.
- BRP equipment must be retained by successful applicants for a minimum of 12 months.
- SLSA will provide service and contact details of the applicant representative for grant-related purposes only.

### BRP Equipment Grant Timeline

Date	Milestone
30 September 2025	Applications open
December 2025 to such date as is determined by SLSA	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. SLSA notifies clubs/services of application outcomes (successful and unsuccessful). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Successful clubs/services must collect any equipment utilised at the 2026 Australian Surf Life Saving Championships in March 2026 (North Kirra SLSC and Tugun SLSC, Gold Coast, QLD) at their own cost.</li> </ul> </li> <li>2. Payment must be made directly to BRP. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Equipment will not be made available and cannot be collected until payment is received from the Club/service. Any payment not made will be deemed a debt due and payable by the Club/service to SLSA.</li> </ul> </li> <li>3. Once payment is received. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ SLSA will advise State services of collection/delivery dates (subject to change).</li> </ul> </li> </ol>

### Further Information

For questions regarding the BRP Equipment Grant or BRP products, please contact the SLSA Coastal Safety Team at [equipment@slsa.asn.au](mailto:equipment@slsa.asn.au).

### Acknowledgement

BRP thanks all volunteers and members of Surf Life Saving Australia. We deeply value your service and our ongoing partnership. To date, BRP has delivered more than \$10.5 million worth of essential lifesaving equipment to over 250 Surf Life Saving Clubs and services.

As a market leader and innovator, BRP’s product development continues to align with the patrol and rescue needs of SLSA. From the reliability of the Can-Am Defender to the stability of the Sea-Doo PWC, BRP is committed to ensuring our products give you the edge when it matters most.

