



CHAPTER 75A
ARTICLE 1 - BOATING SAFETY ACT

N.C.G.S. § 75A-10.2.

Proof of ownership of a vessel.

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§ 75A-10.2(a)

PRIMA FACIE
EVIDENCE

In all actions to recover damages for injury to the person or to property or for the death of a person, arising out of an accident or collision involving a vessel, proof of ownership of such vessel at the time of the accident or collision shall be prima facie evidence that the vessel was being operated and used with the authority, consent and knowledge of the owner in the very transaction out of which the injury or cause of action arose.

§ 75A-10.2(b)

PRIMA FACIE
EVIDENCE

Proof of the certificate of number stating the identification number awarded to the vessel in the name of any person, firm, or corporation as required by this Chapter, or proof of the licensing, registration, or documentation of the vessel as required by other state or federal law in the name of any person, firm, or corporation, shall for the purpose of any such action, be prima facie evidence of ownership and that the vessel was then being operated by and under the control of a person for whose conduct the owner was legally responsible, for the owner's benefit, and within the course and scope of the operator's employment.

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02	2006	S.L. 2006-185, s. 1	AMENDED

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 75A-10.2 (2006).

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