



LIFE RAFT + SURVIVAL EQUIPMENT

LRSE RENTAL POLICIES

Life Raft & Survival Equipment (LRSE) rent life rafts, EPIRBS, flares and immersion suits. The DSB rafts that LRSE mainly rent meet all sail boat racing regulations, and are also suitable for offshore voyages, and deliveries as well. The rafts do not meet any commercial applications. The rafts are a valise style (bag) and typically weight between 65 lbs. and 85 lbs. The rafts are compact, offshore life rafts and meet ISAF and ISO requirements. We rent 4, 6, and 8 person capacities only.

LRSE will not rent to vessels that are traveling abroad who do not plan to return to the United States.

LRSE can deliver rental gear, ship rental gear or it can be picked up at our Tiverton, RI location. Pickup and Deliveries are \$90.00 in our service area which includes parts of RI, MA, NH, ME, CT, NY, and NJ. Shipping to and fro can cost anywhere from \$90.00 to \$200.00 *each* way depending on your location and which raft we have available (due to weight). Rafts *must* ship to a commercial address and be picked up from a commercial address. We can provide a shipping estimate.

Flare kits cannot be shipped; they can be delivered or picked up in Tiverton. Immersion suits may be shipped anywhere in the US; due to size and weight shipping cost is usually \$15.00 to \$30.00 *each* suit, *each* way. Immersion suits rentals are for emergencies *only*, they are not to be used for training drills or worn while operating a boat.

A rental reservation form must be filled out in its entirety in advance to ensure availability. All changes to rental reservation forms must be revised by renter and resubmitted to LRSE. LRSE typically sells out of rentals in May and June due to local racing events. Rentals cannot be reserved until we receive the completed rental reservation form and you've received confirmation back from LRSE. Please fax rental forms to 401-816-5411 (please confirm that it was received) or email brian@LRSE.com.

A \$50.00 deposit is required when submitting the rental reservation form and is nonrefundable. Cancellations must be made two weeks prior to start of rental period and before it is delivered, otherwise LRSE may charge you for full rental.

If the equipment is damaged and/or used during the period of rental, the re-inspection, re-certification, repairs, and all replacement parts, inclusive of replacing the equipment if necessary, will be paid for by the renter.



The rental period runs from the day the rental is in your possession to when it is in LRSE's possession or agreed upon method of return. LRSE does allow a shipping period, regular rental rates do not apply to equipment in transit.

LRSE will not be held liable in any way for damaged incurred due to the negligence of the renter and/or user of the equipment. It is the responsibility of the renter to ensure that they have a clear understanding of the proper use and care of the rental equipment.

Equipment kept beyond contract dates will be charged a daily rate. Equipment that is 14 days overdue from scheduled rental return will be charged for a replacement. You are responsible for the return of the equipment. Also, keep tracking information in case of items lost in transit.

The full rental fee is due before the equipment leaves our premises. We accept all major credit cards, cash, check or PayPal. Rentals are not subject to tax.

LRSE does our best to ensure that you get the rental equipment that you requested. However, it is to our discretion what brand and capacity we have available to rent at that time.

- All rental items are rented with up to date service certificates.
- Life Rafts must NOT be dropped. Dropping could discharge the cylinder and inflate the life raft unexpectedly.
- Life Rafts must be kept dry. Please stow below decks or in a dry locker.
- If you deploy a life raft or it comes back wet, you are responsible for the repack costs.
- EPIRBs are WATER ACTIVATED and should be kept dry at all times.
- If the life raft inflates, please do everything possible to avoid deflation with a knife. Call LRSE's service station 401-816-5400 for details on deflating – day or night. Should it inflate on deck, please keep it out of the water since it will be extremely difficult to retrieve once the ballast bags fill.