

Association of Diving Contractors - UK & Ireland -

Working to Promote Safer Commercial Diving



The **Association of Diving Contractors (ADC)** is the industry body representing Diving Contractors who are involved with Inland/Inshore diving operations in the UK and Ireland.

We are a Member-led not for profit organisation whose main aim is to promote safer commercial diving. Our Members consist of diving contractors working Inland/Inshore in the UK & Ireland, they include suppliers and support companies who have involvement in diving or marine works in the UK or overseas.

ADC supports and encourages best practice within the diving sector and actively promotes the common interests of diving contractors and others associated with commercial diving. ADC seeks improvements in health, safety, environment and technical standards through various means including the publication of guidance notes, safety alerts and keeping members appraised of regulatory developments.









The ADC membership extends from the very smallest diving contractors working in swimming pools, rivers, lakes and harbours to the outermost reaches of UK coastal waters in depths varying from less than 1m to a maximum of 50m



Our Members



Full Members

Diving contractors working Inland/Inshore in the UK and Ireland



Associate Members

Supply and support companies who have involvement in diving or marine works



Corresponding and Overseas Members

Diving contractors or supply and support companies based overseas.

ADC Supervisors

With over 680 ADC Certificated Supervisors, the scheme has helped in raising the competency, profile and importance of the role of the Diving Supervisor. The continued use of ADC Certificated Supervisors will seek to encourage further improvements in safety performance within the industry.









ADC encourages Client Groups to employ ADC Members and ADC Certified Supervisors to assist in discharging their responsibilities under the Diving at Work Regulations



What we do...

- Promote Inland/Inshore diving activity to client groups and other interested parties
- Liaise with other industry groups; HSE, MAIB, IMCA etc
- Supply the industry recognised
 Inland/Inshore Divers/
 Supervisors log book and
 Diving Supervisors manual
- Develop and promote safe diving practice through industry standards
- Circulate industry Best Practice information
- Organise and provide client training
- Regulate the Inland/Inshore
 Diving Supervisors Scheme

- Keep our Members updated on industry legislation, safety and compliance
- Ensure clients are aware of how they should fulfil their legal duties when employing diving contractors
- Publish and distribute
 information notes, safety
 alerts and industry guidance
 documents
- Host industry meetings and seminars
- Represent the industry and address any industry issues ourMembers may have
- Provide Technical Support

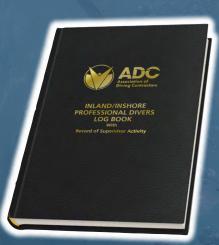


The Association seeks to achieve its objectives by promoting the industry sector through the development and publication of Guidance Documents, Information Notes, Safety Alerts and Codes of Practice

Publications include...



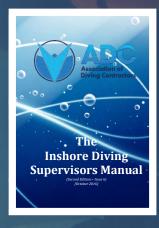






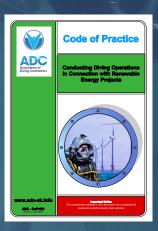












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