

## **FALCON BOATS LIMITED WARRANTY POLICY**

## WHAT IS COVERED:

Falcon Boats, LLC ("MANUFACTURER") warrants to the retail purchase of its new and later model year products, which are purchased from a factory authorized dealer, ("Buyer"), that should the hull be structurally defective in material or workmanship under normal operating conditions, Manufacturer will make the structural repairs (or, at its sole discretion), replace the affected part(s) necessitated thereby warranted to the original Buyer for the duration of their period of ownership. For the second Buyer, if properly transferred, the structural warranty is effective for a period of ten (10) years from the date of purchase by original Buyer.

Manufacturer also warrants to Buyer to repair (or replace at its sole discretion) nonstructural defects in material and workmanship under normal operating conditions, subject to the exclusions set forth below, for a period of one (1) year. All warranties run concurrently.

Manufacturer hereby demands that the Buyer examine the product to discover all defects in material or workmanship and notify Manufacturer or the authorized selling dealer of same. During the warranty period, warranty repairs will be made without charge by the authorized selling dealer, at the dealer's store or service facility, or, at Manufacturers election, by Manufacturer at its facility in Newberry, SC. Transportation to and from Manufacturer's factory or to the dealer's store or service facility, shall be at the buyer's expense.

The sole obligation of Manufacturer under this warranty shall be limited to the repair or replacement of any part WHICH IS JUDGED DEFECTIVE BY Manufacturer. Manufacturer will not be liable for haul-out, launch, towing or storage charges, inconvenience or loss of time or income or any other special or consequential damages of any kind. Buyer must validate this warranty by completing and returning the boat registration card within fifteen (15) days after original purchase. The failure of Buyer to completely fill-out and return the boat registration card may make it impossible for Manufacturer to give required notice to Buyer in the event any defect is discovered "which creates a substantial risk of personal injury to the public" or any noncompliance by Manufacturer.

The Structural Hull Limited Warranty may be transferred to a second Buyer of the boat during the warranty period provided that the boat passes recertification inspection by an Authorized Manufacturer Marine Dealer and is properly transferred within 5 years of the date of purchase of the original Buyer. Subsequent purchaser shall pay a \$200.00 inspection fee, complete transfer paperwork, and be responsible for transportation charges to and from the place of inspection. Proof of purchase date is required. This limited warranty may only be transferred once. Re-certification is not automatic and Manufacturer expressly reserves the right to deny recertification should it determine the boat fails inspection.

## WHAT IS NOT COVERED:

The following is not warranted:

- (1) Any boat that has been subject to any type of repossession;
- (2) A product which has been repaired or altered without authorization of Manufacturer or altered in any way so as to affect its use and operation. Manufacturer reserves the right to improve or change the design or manufacture of Falcon Boat Models without any obligation to modify previous boats:
- (3) Engines, controls, propellers, engine brackets, stereos, depth finders, GPS units, trolling motors, batteries, or other equipment or accessories which are not manufactured by Manufacturer whether or not warranted by such other manufacturer;
- (4) Blistering or Discoloring, Gel coat finish, cracking or crazing;
- (5) Windshield breakage;
- (6) Leaking around windshields, hatches or other apertures;
- (7) Cover(s), zippers, vinyl, upholstery, plastic, fabric:

- (8) Discoloration, oxidation, "bleeding", or corrosion of Stainless Steel or other metal products;
- (9) A product which has been subjected to unreasonable use, tampering, abuse, mishandling, improper maintenance, negligence, improper trailering, alterations, accidents, or used for racing or commercial purposes, or which has been operated contrary to any printed instruction furnished by manufacturer;
- (10) A product which has been overpowered according to the maximum recommended engine horsepower specified on the attached capacity plate;
- (11) Machinery, equipment and accessories not factory installed;
- (12) Condensation in gauges;
- (13) Any representations of storage to be "dry";
- (14) Any representation relating to speed or weight of a product;
- (15) Dealer preparation, cleaning, and final adjustments and alignments in preparing the boat for delivery or commissioning; (16) Any transportation, launch, hauling, storage, loading, or other
- expenses incurred in returning the boat for warranty service; (17) Any time, loss of use, inconvenience, boat payment, or loss of or damage to personal property;
- (18) A boat used for commercial purposes (commercial purposes, as used herein, means a vessel with more than 50% usage for business or revenue-producing purposes);
- (19) Boats declared a total loss, constructive total loss, or salvaged;
- (20) Any act of God.

## **GENERAL PROVISIONS:**

This warranty gives you specific rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state. This warranty is governed by the Laws of the State of South Carolina. This document contains the entire warranty given by Manufacturer and there are no terms, promises, conditions, or warranties other than those contained herein. No oral or written information or advice given by Manufacturer, its dealers, representatives, agents or employees shall create a warranty by Manufacturer or in any way increase the scope of this warranty. Manufacturer does not authorize any person to alter or amend this warranty or to create or assume for it any other obligation or liability with respect to this product. Manufacturer reserves the right to improve its products through such changes in products previously manufactured.

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