

REGISTRATION NUMBER

DVH 0383

DATE OF REGISTRATION/PUBLICATION

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**1**  
TITLE

Please give the make and model of the vessel that embodies the design.

Epic 18X Sport

**2**  
DESIGN

(a) What is the type or style of the design for which registration is sought?  
Kayak

(b) Provide a brief general statement setting forth the salient features of the design.

Kayak per attached photos and drawings. A high performance sea kayak with improved stability. It may or may not include pivoting stern section to serve as rudder.

Check here if this is a single design.

Check here if registering more than one design. Use Form D-VH/CON for additional designs.

(c) If this design is derived from an earlier design, describe how that design has been revised, adapted, or rearranged.

The Epic 18X Sport is identical in overall dimensions and deck shape to the Epic 18X. The hull has been modified to provide a wider waterline.

**3**  
DESIGNER(S)

Provide the name and address of the designer(s). The name of the employer may be given instead of the designer(s) if, (1) the design was made within the regular scope of employment of the designer(s) and (2) the individual authorship of the design is difficult or impossible to ascribe.

Please check here if those conditions are satisfied and you are providing the employer's name.

Name: Greg Barton

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: c/o Epic Kayaks, Inc.

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

645 Marina Dr.

Charleston, SC 29492

**4**

OWNER,  
IF NOT  
DESIGNER(S)

If the owner is different from the designer(s) or employer named above, provide the name and address of the owner:

Name: Epic Kayaks, Inc.

Address: 645 Marina Dr.

Charleston, SC 29492

**5**

PRIORITY  
CLAIM

(a) Was an application for registration of this design identified in an application filed in a foreign country that extends to designs of owners who are citizens of the United States, or to persons filing applications in the United States, similar protection to that afforded in 17 USC chapter 13?  
 Yes  No

(b) If yes, identify the country and date of application:  
Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of application: \_\_\_\_\_

Serial No: \_\_\_\_\_

**6**

DATE MADE  
PUBLIC

Was this design made public before the date of application?  Yes  No

if yes, on what date? August 1, 2006  
Month Day Year

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**7**  
CONTACT  
PERSON

Please provide the name and address of the person to whom correspondence regarding this application may be directed:

Name: Greg Barton c/o Epic Kayaks, Inc.

Address: 645 Marina Dr.

Charleston, SC 29492

Email address greg@epickayaks.com

FAX number 843-884-3859

Daytime phone: ( 843 ) 884-4601

**8**  
DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT

Give the name and account number if the registration fee is to be charged to a deposit account established in the Copyright Office:

Name of Account: \_\_\_\_\_

Account number: \_\_\_\_\_

**9**  
CERTIFICATION AND  
SWORN STATEMENTS

**DECLARATION:** The undersigned, as the applicant or the applicant's duly appointed agent or representative, being hereby warned that willful false statements are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 USC §1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any resulting registration, hereby declares to the best of his or her knowledge and belief:

- (1) that the design has been fixed in a useful article;
- (2) that the design is original and was created by the designer(s), or employer if applicable, named in the application;
- (3) that those aspects of the design for which registration is sought are not protected by a design patent;
- (4) that the design has not previously been registered on behalf of the applicant or applicant's predecessor in title; and
- (5) that the applicant is the person entitled to protection and to registration under chapter 13 of title 17, *United States Code*.

Complete if applicable:

The design has been made public with a design notice as prescribed by 17 USC §1306.

Following is the exact form of the design notice:

EKI 2006

Where on the useful article is the design notice located?

Starboard stern after Hull Identification Number

If the undersigned is not the applicant, he or she is properly authorized to execute this application on behalf of the applicant.



Signature  
Greg Barton

Print or type name

Telephone number  
843-884-4601

Fax number  
843-884-3859

April 14, 2008

Date

President

Position or title

Email address  
greg@epickayaks.com

Copyright Office fees are subject to change. For current fees, check the Copyright Office website at [www.copyright.gov](http://www.copyright.gov), write the Copyright Office, or call (202) 707-3000.

Certificate will be mailed in window envelope to this address:

Name ▼	<u>Epic Kayaks, Inc. attn: Greg Barton</u>
Number/Street/Apt ▼	<u>645 Marina Dr.</u>
City/State/Zip ▼	<u>Charleston, SC 29492</u>

**YOU MUST:**

- Complete all necessary spaces
- Sign your application in space 9

**SEND ALL 3 ELEMENTS IN THE SAME PACKAGE:**

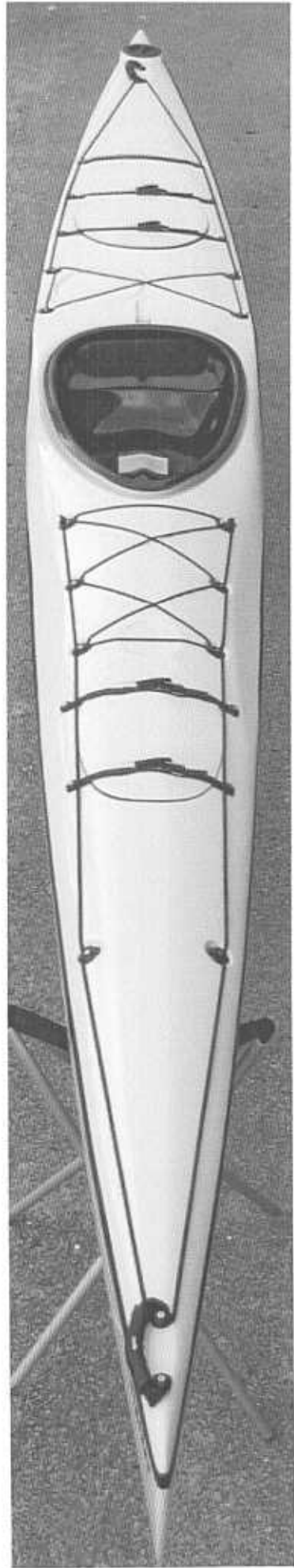
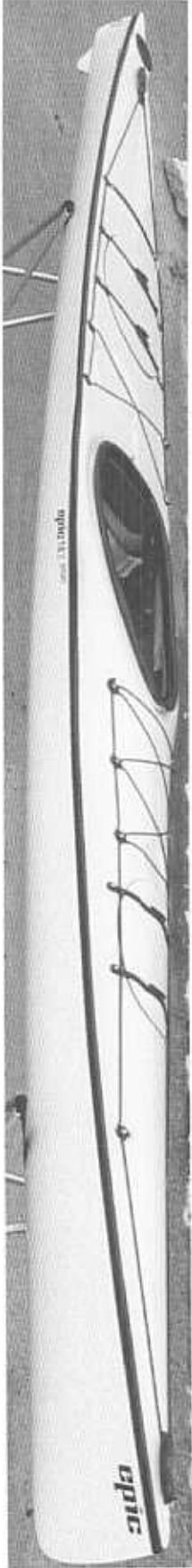
1. Application form
2. Nonrefundable filing fee in check or money order payable to Register of Copyrights
3. Design material

**MAIL TO:**

Dept. D-VH  
Vessel Hull Registration  
P.O. Box 71380  
Washington, DC 20024-1380

17 USC §1327. Penalty for false representation. "Whoever knowingly makes a false representation materially affecting the rights obtainable under this chapter for the purpose of obtaining registration of a design under this chapter shall pay a penalty of not less than \$500 and not more than \$1,000, and any rights or privileges that individual may have in the design under this chapter shall be forfeited."

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