Permit to Access Concession Area

The Shotover River Concession Area is reserved for use only by persons and vessels permitted to be present in, or to operate or be operated in the Shotover River Concession Area by permit granted by Council or its delegated representative Shotover Jet.

The conditions of this permit are:

- Access to the river on this permit is from 5:30pm 9:00pm on Wednesdays & Fridays only.
- The Permit Holder will make good at their own expense any damage caused by them to any property of Shotover Jet Limited.
- Anyone using this permit shall ensure they comply with the Maritime Transport Act and Queenstown Lakes District Council Bylaws.
- The Permit Holder indemnifies Shotover Jet from all loss, harm or damage however sustained which arises from their access and against any action, claim, injury, damage, or loss whatsoever arising during access pursuant to this permit.
- The Permit Holder completed the pre-requisite safety briefing on or before: The Permit Holder shall comply with the safety briefing procedures and any instruction given to them by any employee of Shotover Jet Limited.
- The access shall be at the Permit Holder's risk.
- A breach of these conditions or any applicable rule or law may result in this permit being revoked and the Permit Holder or anyone operating under this Permit prosecuted

The safety of the public is paramount, and all users must have the appropriate permits.

Advice Notes:

Induction: No formal Induction is required for this Passive Permit; it is expected that anyone using this permit to be on the Shotover River reads this Permit first.

It is expected that anyone using this permit makes their own safety assessment about whether or not they should be on the river.

Risks – The Gorge Section of the Shotover River contains many rapids which some areas may contain large, unavoidable waves and holes or steep, congested chutes with complex, demanding routes. The Shotover River Flow can change rapidly.