



Environmental Protection Policy

In its ongoing commitment to protecting the natural environment, Naviera y Turismo Skorpios S.A., throughout more than fifty years of navigation and exploration in the southern regions of Chile, has consistently taken special care to ensure minimal or no impact on the natural surroundings in which it operates.

Preserving the natural beauty of the landscape, protecting endemic species, avoiding any disruptive interaction with wildlife and native species, and ensuring no alteration of ecosystems in the areas where we navigate have always been—and will continue to be—core priorities of our Company, as part of our efforts to prevent any form of environmental contamination during our visits to pristine locations.

All vessels of Naviera y Turismo Skorpios S.A., together with its crew, land-based staff, and specialized collaborators, maintain a strong commitment to environmental care by adhering to the policies established by the Company. In doing so, our vessels comply with all national and international regulations required for the protection of the environment.

As part of our ongoing commitment to innovation and excellence in service, we have partnered with the National Forestry Corporation (CONAF) to establish cooperative initiatives aimed at preserving the environment and ecosystems that could be affected by our presence. These initiatives include the construction of trails with small bridges to access glaciers located inland within Bernardo O'Higgins National Park, as well as educational talks on environmental awareness. All of these efforts are intended to ensure that our presence has the least possible impact on nature.

IN THE TOURISM SECTOR

- We operate with small passenger groups during our excursions and landings in order to ensure better supervision and control.
- Our excursions are led by trained guides with in-depth knowledge of the destinations we visit and all related aspects, including passenger disembarkation procedures.
- We provide ongoing training to our onboard guides to ensure accurate and effective communication of tourism, safety, and environmental information, allowing it to be conveyed clearly and efficiently to our passengers.
- We offer regular onboard lectures based on scientific and factual information, complementing the journey as not only a leisure experience but also an educational one.
- We firmly believe that the natural wonders we share with our passengers are part of a natural heritage of incalculable scientific value and an endless source of knowledge about the formation of our planet. Therefore, all our activities are carried out with the utmost respect for the environment, a standard we require from both our crew and our passengers.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION PRACTICES

On board our vessels:

- During the first lunch or dinner with our passengers, the Captain addresses everyone on board to provide an overview of life on board, outline the activities planned for the voyage, and highlight the destinations to be visited. Above all, the Captain encourages passengers to fully enjoy the journey by appreciating the natural beauty—one of the main priorities of **Naviera & Turismo Skorpios S.A.**





- Most of the information provided to our passengers is delivered through presentations supported by audiovisual material. In addition, we have a closed-circuit television system that continuously provides updates on daily activities. For this reason, the use of printed materials on board is kept to a minimum.
- Smoking is not permitted inside our vessels and is allowed only on open-air decks, which are equipped with ashtrays. Passengers are kindly reminded that cigarette waste must not be thrown into the sea.
- Batteries are collected in specially designated containers. Passengers are encouraged to assist in their collection so they can be properly disposed of at port through companies authorized by the Health Authority and the Environmental Assessment Service (SEA).
- All waste generated during navigation is delivered at port and disposed of in facilities authorized by the Health Authority.
- All vessels used for excursions and landings are equipped with waste containers. The collected waste is properly stored and later transferred ashore to authorized waste management companies.
- To reduce noise pollution, boat engines are turned off during excursions whenever possible, allowing passengers to better appreciate the natural sounds of the environment. Passengers are also encouraged to maintain silence whenever possible to foster a closer connection with nature.
- Before and during excursions, passengers are provided with information regarding safety and appropriate conduct in accordance with the type of tourism we promote. Special emphasis is placed on the fact that we are visiting a National Park that deserves the utmost respect and care. The collection of any organic or inorganic materials during landings is strictly prohibited, including rocks, flowers, leaves, soil, branches, shellfish, or shells.
- All passenger groups are accompanied by our guides at all times and never visit sites independently. In this way, they are continuously guided in the application of good environmental practices.
- Hikes are conducted along established trails in order to prevent soil erosion and protect existing vegetation.
- No food is distributed during hikes or landings, minimizing the potential generation of waste.
- Passengers are regularly encouraged to assist in collecting any waste that may be found during excursions.
- During landings, passengers are asked to maintain a safe distance from wildlife and are strictly prohibited from feeding animals.
- Our vessels are equipped with wastewater treatment plants approved in both design and operation by the Chilean Maritime Authority. All organic waste generated during navigation is properly treated through biological reactors and settling systems.
- In addition, the vessels are equipped with oily water treatment systems, allowing for the proper handling of hazardous waste generated by engine operations. These residues are stored in sealed containers and delivered at port for transport, treatment, and final disposal by authorized companies.





PRIVATELY OWNED PORTS WITH INTERNATIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Our ports, located in Puerto Montt and Puerto Natales, are privately owned and hold international certifications, ensuring high standards of safety, quality, and environmental responsibility.
- In Puerto Montt, our Skorpios Maritime Terminal holds Quality and Environmental certifications, **ISO 9001:2008 and ISO 14001:2004**, respectively. These certifications serve as a guarantee of excellence in both quality management procedures and environmental performance.
- This demonstrates the existence of certified operational procedures, ensuring that all processes and tourism services meet both national and international standards.
- In Puerto Natales, our **Maritime Terminal is certified under the ISPS Code** (International Ship and Port Facility Security Code), whose main objective is to ensure the security of ships and port facilities against acts of terrorism and other unlawful activities through the implementation of a risk-based maritime security management system.
- Our ports are equipped with Hazardous and Non-Hazardous Waste Management Plans certified by the Chilean Health Authority. These plans ensure proper implementation of waste management systems in accordance with Supreme Decree No. 148 (Regulation on Hazardous Waste) and Supreme Decree No. 594 of the Chilean Ministry of Health.
- Both ports are covered by **P&I (Protection and Indemnity) liability insurance**, with coverage of up to USD 500,000, which includes protection against collisions, damage to fixed, floating, and mobile objects, environmental pollution, wreck removal, accidental death of crew members, injury or illness, and loss of personal belongings.

ENVIRONMENTAL RISK MITIGATION

- Both our vessels and our ports are equipped with environmental risk mitigation procedures, which are implemented through **contingency plans for preparedness and response to environmental emergency situations**, such as oil spills, fires, explosions, and other incidents. These procedures also include an annual emergency drill program, with defined objectives, goals, and assigned responsibilities for both planning and execution.

SCIENTIFIC SUPPORT AND AGREEMENTS

- Skorpios Cruises maintains agreements with the Center for Scientific Studies (CECS) in Valdivia, supporting its glaciologists in their research by providing technical and logistical data during their expeditions, as well as collaborations with the University of Chile, particularly with its Faculty of Geology.
- The Company also maintains agreements with the National Forestry Corporation of Chile (CONAF) to support management and conservation efforts within national park areas.

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