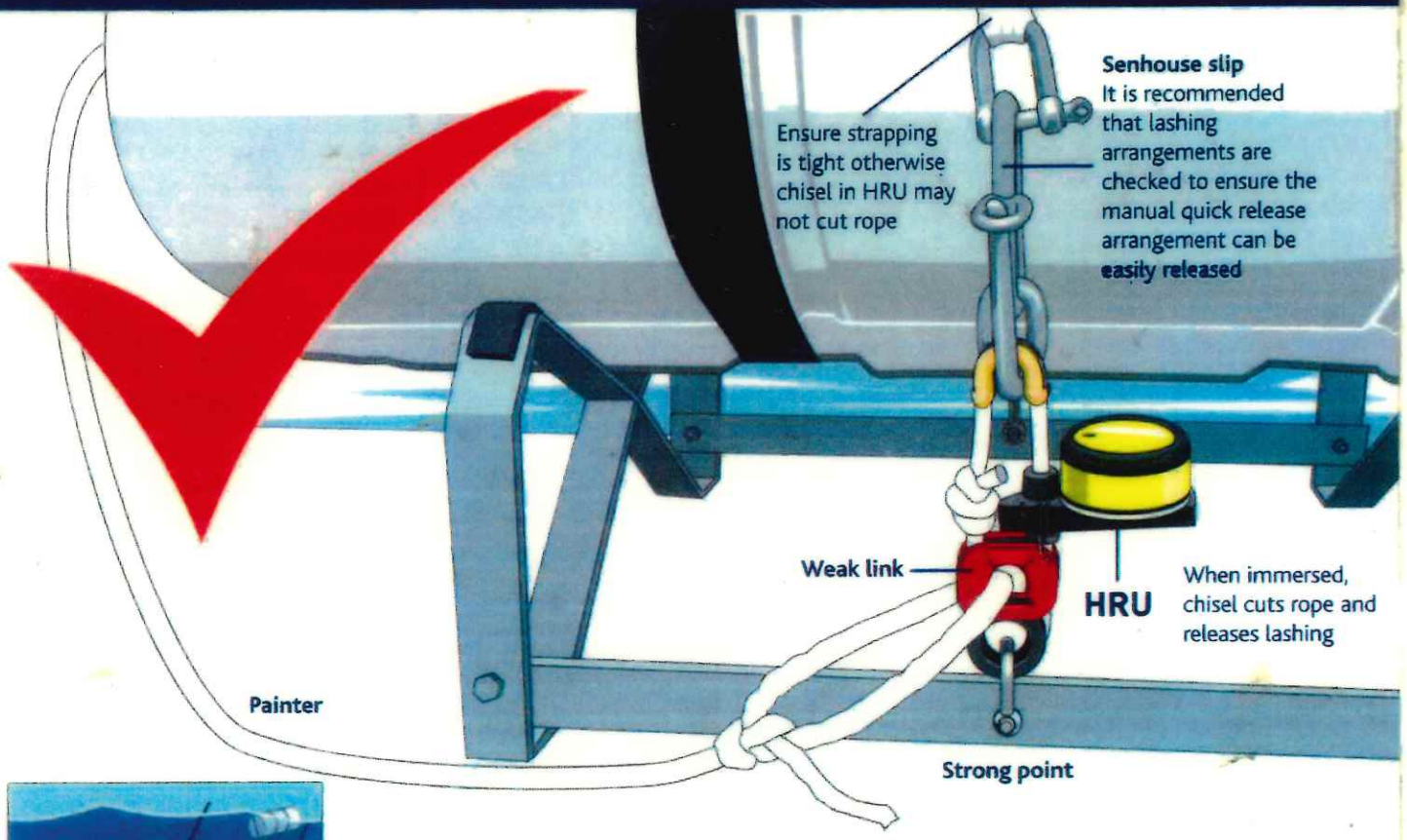
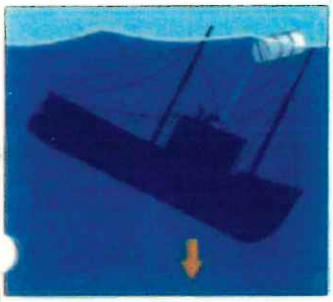
RNLI FISHING SAFETY
HYDROSTATIC RELEASE UNIT (HRU) INSTALLATION

Lifeboats

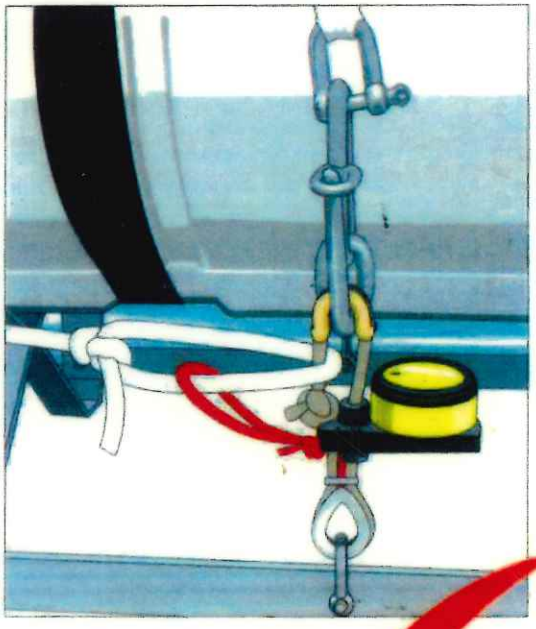




1. If vessel sinks, Hydrostatic Release Unit activates and liferaft attempts to float to surface

2. Tension on painter will cause liferaft to inflate

3. Tension on weak link will cause it to break ensuring liferaft does not go down with the boat



Correct installation of older version HRU