

# SAFETY NOTICE

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## **IMMEDIATE GROUNDING OF ALL AERODYNE ICON CONTAINERS**

On Monday, 06 April 2026, a fatal accident occurred at a British Skydiving Affiliated Parachute Training Organisation (PTO).

Following interim findings from the Board of Inquiry (BOI), British Skydiving convened an emergency meeting of Rigger Examiners (RE) on 10 April 2026.

As a result of the advice received during this meeting, British Skydiving has mandated the immediate grounding of all types of Aerodyne ICON containers at British Skydiving Affiliated PTOs until further notice.

British Skydiving has contacted the manufacturer and is currently awaiting further guidance. Additional information and direction will be issued as soon as it becomes available. Every effort is being made to resolve this matter as quickly and efficiently as possible, and any updates will be communicated without delay.

All Parachute Training Organisations (PTOs) are required to comply fully with this Safety Notice in the interim.

10 April 2026

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