

Article 7.03 - Anchoring and use of telescopic piles (spuds)

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1. Vessels, [assemblies of floating material](#) or [floating establishments](#) may not anchor:
 - (a) In sections of the [waterway](#) where anchoring is generally prohibited;
 - (b) In sectors marked by the sign A.6 ([annex 7](#)); the prohibition then applies on the side of the waterway on which the sign is placed.
2. In sections where anchoring is prohibited under the provisions of paragraph 1 (a) above, [vessels](#), assemblies of floating material and floating establishments may anchor only in sectors marked by the sign E.6 ([annex 7](#)) and only on the side of the waterway on which the sign is placed.
3. The competent authority may extend the application of paragraphs 1 and 2 to telescopic piles (spuds).
4. In case this article is extended to the use of spuds, in sections where anchoring is prohibited under the provisions of paragraph 1 (a) and (b) above, vessels, assemblies of floating material and floating establishments may use spuds only in sectors marked by the sign E.6.1 ([annex 7](#)) and only on the side of the waterway on which the sign is placed.