CHECKLIST

Low-water cruise checklist

- [ ] Book early or late in the season when water levels are more stable
- [ ] Buy travel insurance that explicitly covers natural-event disruption
- [ ] Ask the operator how they handled low water on this route last summer
- [ ] Read the contract carefully to understand what counts as a significant change
- [ ] Keep all booking documents and update emails in one place
- [ ] Monitor water-level reports in the month before departure
- [ ] Respond quickly if the operator proposes changes so you retain all options