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## **Diving and Boating Safety Committee**

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Anton Oleinik, Chair

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TO:

Dr. Brenda Claiborne, University Provost & Chief Academic Officer

FROM: Dr. Anton Oleinik, Chair Diving and Boating Safety Committee

DATE: September 22, 2011

RE:

Request to approve the Appointment of Dr. Shirley Pomponi and John Reed to the DBSC, and Rescission of the 2009 Provost Memorandum issued to the DBSC.

CC:

Tom Donaudy, Vice President for Facilities, Barry Rosson, Vice President for Research, Margaret Leinen, Executive Director of the Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institute, Tom Bradley, Director Environmental Health and Safety, David Muncher, FAU Diving Safety Officer

Dr. Claiborne,

The Diving and Boating Safety Committee met on September 16, 2011 to discuss among other issues the letter sent to your office on September 9, 2011 by Tom Donaudy on behalf of himself and Dr. Margaret Leinen, regarding the HBOI Diving Program. Per the letter of September 9, 2011, the DBSC respectfully requests that Dr. Shirley Pomponi and John Reed, both of HBOI be immediately appointed as members of the Diving and Boating Safety Committee. Concurrently, the DBSC respectfully requests that the Provost Memorandum of 2009 be immediately rescinded in order to allow the DBSC to act on matters of concern for diving and boating at HBOI.

The membership of the DBSC should be amended to include:

**Anton Oleinik** 

Manhar Dhanak

Gabriel Alsensas

Robert I. Anderson

**Camille Coley** 

Stephen Kajiura

Frank Mari

David Muncher

Lyndon West

and

Shirley Pomponi

John Reed

Sincerely,

Dr. Anton Oleinik, Chair Diving and Boating Safety Committee

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