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PHASE II SURVEY STATUS REPORT NO. 16

MARINE REEF GROUP SPENT DAY IN JAPTAN AREA, COMPLETING WORK THERE EXCEPT FOR A DESIRE TO INCREASE THE SIZE OF THEIR MULLET CATCH IF AN OPPORTUNITY PRESENTS ITSELF BLOORE DEC 20. MARINE BOSTON WHALER GROUP SPENT A VERY DIFFICULT DAY IN THE ELMER-HEX AREA TAKING BOTTOM SAMPLES WITH THEIR NEW GRAB SAMPLER. STEADY WINDS OF 25-26 MPH (MEASURED AT THE COAST GUARD STA) MADE OPERATION OF THE WINCH AWKWARD AND HAMPERED MANEUVER-ABILITY WHEN THE SAMPLER GOT STUCK ON BOTTOM. HOLLADAY AND FOWLER FREED IT THIS TIME BUT, BASED ON OUR EXPERIENCE SO FAR,

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WE CAN EXPECT A HIGH INCIDENCE RATE FOR STUCK SAMPLERS AND
PROBABLY A HIGH LOSS RATE AS WELL.

LCU REMAINED AT BASE FOR ENGINE REPAIRS. REPAIRS EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED WEDNESDAY.

AIR SAMPLING GROUP STARTED FRED HI VOL SAMPLER IN AFTERNOON FOR OVERNIGHT RUN.

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