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Dr. Llia R. Kondratiev, President P.O. Box 358628 Gainesville, Florida 32635

Dear Dr. Kondratiev:

Thank you for the recent demonstration of your Caviblaster unit. I am very impressed with the results of the cleaning performed on the various underwater elements. The areas of substructure were heavily fowled with various types of marine growth. The growth was removed with a greatly reduced level of effort and manhours. Other mechanical methods of marine growth removal have not produced the results of the caviblaster. The superior level of cleaning and reduction of diver effort will make the caviblaster a valuable tool in our underwater inspections. I have received your quote and have forwarded it to my supervisor.

Sincerely,

Perry A. Kespohl

Senior Underwater Bridge Inspector

Florida Department of Transportation, District II