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NOAA DIVING SAFETY BULLETIN #95-01

MEMORANDUM FOR: All Unit Diving Supervisors and NOAA Visual
Cylinder Inspectors

FROM: Cliff Newell
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SUBJECT: SURVIVAIR Technical Bulletin #19,
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Attached bulletin was recently received from SURVIVAIR following inquiry from a NOAA cylinder inspector.

SURVIVAIR recommends removal and replacement of the nylon dip tube previously used on SCBA assemblies. Replacement aluminum dip tubes can be procured from local vendors, located by calling 800/821-7236.

Prior to receiving new tubes, nylon tube should be removed leaving a blank port. Upon receipt of aluminum dip tubes they should be installed "press to fit".

For further information regarding this subject contact Steve Urick at 206/526-6223.