## UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AUXILIARY



## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

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FM: SO-OP

TO: Clarence Willette, Howard Sprow

SUBJ: January Report from SO-OP, Division 10

Auxiliary patrols are suspended between 1 November and 31 March unless authorized by the controlling Station's Order Issuing Authority. In Division 10, Flotilla 10-01 and 10-06 operate in cooperation with Station Wrightsville Beach. During this time Jim Arlart and his crew completed 9 out of a total of ten joint training patrols with Wrightsville Beach. Bravo Zulo Jim for all that you do.

Flotilla 10-05 did not have any requests or call-outs from Station Oak Island for patrols in this time period.

The Division SO-OP has access to the NOAA Beacon Registration database to manage the registration of new PLB's as well as changes in registration of PLB's when they are reassigned. Renewal of registrations when they expire every two years is also handled by the SO-OP

This SO-OP has some PPE equipment that can be issued on an as needed basis so FC and FSO-OP can make the request for his flotilla members. Requests for gear available in the inventory should be made to the SO-OP (George Asimos) and/or the DSO-OP (Andrew Cardwell).

The SO-OP is the only member in Division 10 who is authorized to request PPE equipment from DIRAUX (OTO)

Respectfully,

George Asimos SO-OP Division 10, 054SR