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REF/A/MSGID:DOC/OPNAVINST 3130.6E/03MAY2010// REF/B/MSGID:DOC/NTTP 3-50.1/APR2009// NARR/REF A IS THE NAVY SEARCH AND RESCUE (SAR) STANDARDIZATION PROGRAM. REF B IS THE NAVY SEARCH AND RESCUE (SAR) MANUAL.// POC/SHICKS, MATTHEW/AWRCS/HELSEACOMBATRON THREE/LOC:NAS NORTH ISLAND/TEL:COMM:(619)545-2479/

TEL:DSN:735-2479 EMAIL:HSC3SARMM(AT)NAVY.MIL// GENTEXT/REMARKS/1. NAVAL SARGRAMS CONTAIN INFORMATION OF INTEREST TO ALL USN/USMC SAR CAPABLE COMMANDS. THE INFORMATION IS INTENDED TO CLARIFY POLICY AND STANDARDIZATION IN SAR TRAINING, EQUIPMENT, MANUALS AND PROCEDURES FOR ALL RESCUE CAPABLE UNITS AND ASSOCIATED MEDICAL PERSONNEL. SARGRAMS ARE REQUIRED READING FOR SURFACE AND AVIATION SAR OFFICERS, RESCUE SWIMMERS, INLAND AIRCREWMEN, SAR MEDICAL TECHNICIANS AND AVIATION LIFE SUPPORT EQUIPMENT TECHNICIANS. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR QUESTIONS CONTACT THE CNO SAR MODEL MANAGER (SARMM) AT HELSEACOMBATRON THREE, BOX 357122, SAN DIEGO, CA 92135-7122, DSN: 735-2479/5402, COMM: (619)545-2479/5402, FAX DSN: 735-5404, COMM FAX: (619)545-5404, NIPR EMAIL: HSC3SARMM(AT)NAVY.MIL, MAILTO: HSC3SARMM(AT)NAVY.MIL, SARMM WEBSITE [HTTPS://WWW.PORTAL.NAVY.MIL/COMNAVAIRFOR/CHSCWP/HSC3/SARMM](https://www.portal.navy.mil/comnavairfor/chscwp/hsc3/sarmm). MESSAGES OUTLINING CHANGES OR BULLETINS SHOULD BE READDRESSSED BY APPLICABLE TYCOM. LIAISON WITH YOUR ISIC SHOULD YOU HAVE QUESTIONS CONCERNING A REFERENCED MSG. THIS SARGRAM HAS INFORMATION ABOUT:

PARA (2) LPU-32/P INSPECTION CYCLES.

PARA (3) SAR HELMET.

PARA (4) ONGOING SMT TRAINING REQUIREMENTS.

PARA (5) SNATCH BLOCK NIIN CHANGE.

PARA (6) APPROVAL OF MASSIF HOT JOHNS THERMAL UNDERGARMENTS FOR SURFACE RESCUE SWIMMERS.

PARA (7) RESCUE REPORTS.

2. REGARDING THE INSPECTION CYCLE OF LPU-32/P, COMMANDS ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLY WITH INSPECTION CYCLES LISTED IN THE NAVAIR 13-1-6-1.2 MANUAL. LPU-32/P LIFE PRESERVERS INSTALLED INSIDE THE BAG, BGU-8/N OR P/N 261 (H-60) SHALL BE INSPECTED ON THE CYCLE COINCIDING WITH THE RESCUE EQUIPMENT BAG. LPU-32/P LIFE PRESERVERS THAT ARE ASSIGNED FOR PASSENGER USE AND ARE NOT STORED IN THE SAR BAG (IE PAX BAG OR 10/10 BAG) BUT ALSO USED BY SAR CREWMEN DURING OVERWATER MISSIONS SHALL BE INSPECTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AIRCRAFT INSPECTION CYCLES.

3. THE PETZL ECRIN ROC HELMET IS REQUIRED RS EQUIPMENT FOR ALL WATER DEPLOYMENTS. IT PROTECTS THE WEARER FROM RESCUE DEVICES BEING LOWERED TO THE RS, DEBRIS IN THE WATER AND FROM IMPACTS WHILE BEING HOISTED. IT MAY BE USED WITH THE RS'S MASK FITTED OVER THE HELMET OR AROUND THE RS HEAD AND UNDER THE