UNOLS Process on Recommending Non-Operational Periods

July 2006 - UNOLS developed the criteria and a process for helping the Agencies with recommendations for non-operational periods:

- http://www.unols.org/publications/reports/budget_impacts/NonOp_Process_Recmd.pdf

Criteria & Priority used for reviewing Recommendations:
- Meeting Science Needs
- Geographic Availability
- Cost of Operations
- Quality of Operations
- Sharing the Pain
- Diversity of Operations.

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Make Up of Subcommittee:

- Appointed by UNOLS Council Chair
- Comprised of at least 3 members from non-operating institutions.
- UNOLS Chair may appoint past Council members or other UNOLS committee members

Charge to Subcommittee:

- Based on input from those affected groups, the subcommittee will provide balanced, fair, and un-conflicted feedback to the Agencies on the adequacy of the recommendations and possible alternative scenarios to consider. Within 30 days.

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Agency Recommendations

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UNOLS Council Chair

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Subcommittee

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Share the draft recommendations with UNOLS ship operators, the Council, UNOLS Office and any other interested parties.

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Feedback to Agencies in 30 days

Is the UNOLS review process effective????