PISCES/V DIVE REPORT

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Dive Location BANK #8 NWHI
Lat. N 26 13.32 Long. W 174 30.92
Purpose: (Research) Training Demo
Other:
Special Equipment:
Camera (type) SONY DIGITAL ; ROS COLOR & B/W
Manipulator HYLO ; ORION
Other
Support Vessel R/V KAIMIKAI O KANALOA

Dive # PIV - 103
Date September 20, 2003

Time of Dive 0821
Time of Surface 1614
Time Submerged 7:53
Time Thru Last Dive 751:26
Total Time to Dive 759:19
Dive Depth 759
Water Depth 759
Water Temp. 4°C @ 500m
Visibility
ABT # at Neutral
Captain ROSS BARNES

Dive Results/Remarks: Ocean Exploration / Precious coral dive. 0903 On the bottom at 759m. Deploy critter camera to film sub operation 0933 Complete filming and retrieve camera. 0938 Begin moving upslope to the north from 759m. 1030 Come to ~~tape~~ top of steep wall at 342m. 1040 move downslope to 450m. 1115 Begin transecting to the west at 450m. 1140 complete transect and move upslope to 400m. 1233 Complete transect at 400m. 1245 move upslope to 350m and begin transecting to the north east. 1322 Complete transect to NE. and move downslope to 400m. Transect to NNE. 1414 Complete 450m transect. 1422 move downslope to 500m & transect to the SW. 1515 Collect two sediment scoop samples at 500m. 1550 moved upslope to 327m and collected one sediment scoop sample. 1553 Leave the bottom from 327m. Normal recovery

Equipment Deficiencies:

Pilot C. Holloway Date 9/22/03

Ops. Mgr. T. Kelley Date 9/22/03