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To whom it may concern;

Zero negative environmental impact was our desire when trying FUJIFILM Hunt Smart Surfaces' Duplex Fouling Release system, but increased performance was a bonus and surprise.

Immediate speed increase was noted which of course will translate to fuel savings and less wear and load on all propulsion equipment. Our test vessel has substantial non-coated drag areas remaining in contact with the water being a RIB design, so a true, fully coated hull, could reflect even higher percentage speed increases.

Despite the non-coated flotation tubes, we did experience a 6% speed improvement. I feel it would be reasonable to project better results on a 100% hull to water contact style vessel.

The test boat bottom was coated with the Fuji Smart Surface material and placed in the water along side of a control vessel without the coating. Both boats were used on a regular recreational basis and the Fuji bottom shows zero fouling, scum or any growth of any kind compared to the non coated boat which shows substantial grass, scum and barnacle growth of approx. 75 barnacles per square foot after 6 months of testing. It is our assumption that the Fuji bottom was self-polishing with the movement of the boat.

We tested a trailerable boat, which has been loaded and unloaded off the trailer many times, the bottom coating does not show any signs of removal or wear from the contact with trailer rollers. The Smart Surface also seems to have gained a "harder" or more solid surface tension with time but we did not test this scientifically.

In conclusion; I am extremely satisfied with the Fuji Smart Surface and will recommend it to all of my MegaYacht customers for an environmentally friendly coating with the added benefit of performance improvement, which will result in fuel savings and increased machinery life.

Congratulations to FUJIFILM Hunt Smart Surfaces for the development of a fantastic product, which will be good for our EARTH.

Sincerely,

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President

