

## **TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**

I am a licensed Master, with decades of experience on the water, both “blue” and “brown.” We purchased a SOS Dan Buoy to use as part of our man-over-board training. We have now deployed it more than a dozen times as part of these exercises. The Dan Buoy has worked flawlessly every time, opening upon submersion into the water as designed. After each use we wash it with fresh water and allow it to dry thoroughly. Once dry, we deflate it fully, re-arm it with a new 33 gram cylinder, replace the dissolving pill and clip on the new green plastic cover. Repacking instructions come with the Dan Buoy and they are also shown on the [sosmarine.com](http://sosmarine.com). Repacking is quite straight forward and takes about one minute to complete. The Dan Buoy is now ready to deploy again.

We are extremely happy with this innovative Man Overboard device. It is a significant step forward on the old stick marker pole system. The speed and ease of deployment is unparalleled in the marine industry and the visibility in rough or night time conditions is spectacular. I highly recommend the SOS Dan Buoy as a Man Overboard marker pole.

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