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Attention Don Dryden

Dear Don,

**“Petrodvorets”**

This letter is somewhat overdue, but I was just clearing up old paper work and found some of your correspondence. You put a great operation together to recover the anchor and chain of the “Petrodvorets” in October 2001. I know a couple of my colleagues said “you’ll never find it”, well never say never.

Enviroscan and Seatow preformed well and at reasonable cost. Lou Ericsson and his team from Dryden Diving did a remarkable job especially locating and marking the end of the chain and then getting the messenger connected up on the day the chain was recovered. Donjon’s “Powhattan” also did a good job getting the end of the chain to the ship and I have to say the ship did pretty well getting in and anchoring on a dime so she could get the chain back.

It is really nice when everything goes to plan, especially when on a day rate. When working offshore Delaware in October in tidal waters ( in a depth of 80 feet as I recall ) there are no guarantees.

Happy New Year for 2003.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Vickers', with a stylized flourish at the end.

John Vickers

