**INFORMATION PAPER 1 – Proposed Barter Cruises**

**BARTER BIDS/ BARTER OPTIONS FOR 2014 – 2015**

**BARTER BIDS:**

1. CSIC: 15-20 day + mob/demob days, ASTERIX AUV, Spring-Summer 2015, Alboran Sea + Gulf of Cadiz.
   BMBF: 1 day, Las Palmas, September/October 2014
   NIOZ: 4 days, Azores, moorings recovery, Autumn 2014
   IMR: Nov15 – May16, some barter support may be needed, N.Atlantic
   IMR: Sheringham Shoals windmill park, 4 statons, April – June 2015

**BARTER OPTION:**

1. Maria S. Merian: North Atlantic, North of Azores, 30 days November 14 – March 15
2. Poseidon – 10 days, Baltic Sea end oct/beginning nov 2014
3. Poseidon – 14days, mid-end Jan 2015, Canary Islands
4. Poseidon – 20 days, mid oct – end nov 2015, north atlantic
5. NERC – JCR, 40 days, Antarctic, Jan – March 15
6. NERC – Discovery, Jan – March 2016, North Atlantic, Mid Atlantic, Wherever…
7. NERC – Discovery, 20 days December OR February 2015, N. Atlantic
8. IMR – interest in 2015 should be requested prior to 1st September 2014

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