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TO: **John Boreman**, President  
FROM: Brian Small, Physiology Section  
DATE: July 19, 2013

### **I. Motion Report**

Recommended Motion: NONE

### **II. Activity Report**

(A) Summary of Outcomes and Accomplishments:

Goal 1: Global Fisheries Leadership -

The Physiology and Fish Culture Sections co-hosted the Physiological Insights Towards Improving Fish Culture III (PITIFC) symposium in conjunction with Aquaculture 2013, the Triennial Aquaculture Meeting, in Nashville Tennessee from Feb. 21 - 25, 2013. The symposium was a great success. It consisted of 4 plenary lectures, 44 other presentations and a reception, and included scientists from 6 countries and 14 post-doc/student presentations. Speakers presented in four sessions "Health and Disease," "Stress and Environmental Challenges," "Growth and Nutrition," and "Reproduction and Development."

Members of the Section are also actively developing symposia for the next Physiology Section meeting, the 11th International Congress on the Biology of Fish, to be held 3rd - 7th August, 2014 at Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh (<http://icbf2014.sls.hw.ac.uk>).

Goal 3: Value of Membership -

Student travel awards were provided jointly by the Physiology and Fish Culture Sections to 15 students totaling \$4,200 to offset travel expenses paid to attend the Physiological Insights Towards Improving Fish Culture III (PITIFC) symposium.

Six students received cash awards for their abstract and oral presentations at the PITIFC symposium. These awards were generously sponsored by Loligo Systems.

(B) Recommendations or Suggestions for Future Consideration.

Nothing to report.

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