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Such reports can be used by interested people or organisations to increase diving safety through better awareness of critical factors.

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Most incidents cause no harm but reporting them will give valuable information about which incidents are common and which tend to lead to diver injury. Using this information to alter diver behaviour will make diving safer.

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