Which is it, Dolphin Or Porpoise?

Which is it, dolphin or porpoise? Even marine biologists can't agree on which common name to call this friendly, intelligent marine mammal. Generally, both names are interchangeable, and it is your choice. Unless you prefer the more specific Latin names. In that case, the types caught in tuna purse seine nets are from the *Genus Stenella* and the *Genus Delphinus*. No matter what you choose to call them, we know for certain that they are not fish but air-breathing mammals with a highly developed communications system and sonar that even the Navy can't simulate.

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Action Alert Program Popular

It has long been a dream of HSUS staff- ers to find some way of rapidly communicating with the membership. Our new Action Alert program makes that dream a reality. Now the HSUS can send you a message of importance in the time it takes for a postcard to travel from Wash- ington, D.C. to you.

The ability of HSUS to alert its mem- bers on critical issues that require action on their part is now possible through a new in-house computer service. How- ever, the cost of processing and mail- ing these Action Alerts makes it pro- hibitive to notify all members on a con- tinuing basis.

Therefore, HSUS is compiling a list of persons who will pledge to respond with letters when such an alert is is- sued. HSUS leaders are convinced that several thousand members and sup- porters will do so, thereby adding to the effectiveness of organizational actions and efforts. If you are willing to accept this responsibility as a part of your HSUS membership, please complete and return the coupon below.

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HSUS Action Alert

I pledge that I will make every possible effort to respond with letters and telegrams as requested by HSUS Action Alerts. Please include me in these mailings.

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THANK YOU!

To the many members who generously responded with cards, telegrams and letters to President Ford. Action Alert once again proved successful thanks to each of you. Your interest and response are needed and appreciated. By going the extra mile and sending a personal letter to the President you may just have turned the tide which re- sulted in President Ford's signature on the Foley-Weicker bill. Congratulations!