MEMORANDUM FOR: Captain Amilynn E. Adams, NOAA  
Director, Commissioned Personnel Center

FROM: Rear Admiral David A. Score, NOAA  
Director, NOAA Corps

SUBJECT: Approved list of NOAA Ships Recommended for Designation as Unusually Arduous Sea Duty in Calendar Year 2017

Upon reviewing the list of ships proposed for Unusually Arduous Sea Duty designation in CY17, I approve designation of the following ships for this status:

NOAA Ship Ronald H. Brown
NOAA Ship Okeanos Explorer
NOAA Ship Pisces
NOAA Ship Ferdinand R. Hassler
NOAA Ship Fairweather
NOAA Ship Oscar Dyson
NOAA Ship Rainier
NOAA Ship Reuben Lasker
NOAA Ship Hi'ialakai