MEMORANDUM FOR: Rear Admiral David A. Score, NOAA
Director, NOAA Corps and
Office of Marine and Aviation Operations

FROM: Kathryn D. Sullivan, Ph.D.
Under Secretary of Commerce
for Oceans and Atmosphere

SUBJECT: OMAO Delegations of Authority

The Director of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Commissioned Officer Corps (NOAA Corps) and Director of the Office of Marine and Aviation Operations is delegated the authority to act with respect to those matters listed in sections 3.01d, j, k, 1, and m of Department Organizational Order (DOO) 10-15 as they relate to the commissioned officers of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. Please note the Secretary has reserved to herself the authority to appoint and promote commissioned officers.

Pursuant to Department Administrative Order (DAO) 202-250, section 5.04, the Director of the NOAA Corps, the Deputy Director of the NOAA Corps, the Director of the Commissioned Personnel Center, and all officers in a command billet are delegated the authority to administer the oath incident to entrance on duty in the commissioned corps.

The Director of the Office of Marine and Aviation Operations and the Deputy Director for Operations, OMAO, is delegated the authority to provide NOAA policy and procedures for the payment of commuted subsistence allowances for NOAA vessel employees.
MEMORANDUM FOR:    Kathryn D. Sullivan, Ph.D.  
Under Secretary of Commerce  
for Oceans and Atmosphere 

FROM:    Rear Admiral David A. Scorer, NOAA 
Director, NOAA Corps and  
Office of Marine and Aviation Operations 

SUBJECT:    Request for Consolidated Delegation of Authority 

Name(s) of Person(s) Requesting Action/Correspondent:  
The NOAA General Counsel and the NOAA Office of the Chief Administrative Officer 

Subject/Issues Raised by Person(s) Requesting Action(s)/Correspondent: 
NOAA General Counsel and the Office of the Chief Administrative Officer have informed OMAO that the previous delegations contained in NOAA Administrative Orders are not valid. Therefore, OMAO is submitting a request for a consolidated delegation of authority. 

Major Points in the Response:  
N/A 

Potential Controversy:  
N/A 

Other Pertinent Information:  
The Director of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Commissioned Officer Corps (NOAA Corps) and Office of Marine and Aviation Operations had previously carried these delegations of authority under Departmental Organization Order (DOO) 10-15 effective 2011 and in section 4.01 of NAO 202-534B effective 1991. Per request and advice of GC and CAO, these orders have been removed from these documents and set as separate delegations. 

Coordination: Other than GC coordination, indicate all NOAA Line/Staff Offices consulted: 

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Clearance Official(s)/Line Office(s)/Date of Clearance(s):  
Rear Admiral David A. Scorer, NOAA/OMAO  

Contact Person:  
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