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Subj: LETTER OF DESIGNATION AS AN OCEANOGRAPHIC RESEARCH VESSEL, R/V
BROOKS MCCALL, O.N. 1093280

To Whom It May Concern:

In accordance with the provisions of Title 46, United States Code, 2101(18), the R/V BROOKS MCCALL, O.N. 1093280, is hereby designated as an Oceanographic Research Vessel. This designation shall remain in effect until October 18, 2012, provided the vessel does not change employment or deviate from engaging exclusively in oceanographic research operations. Any such changes or deviations may constitute violations of marine inspection laws and must be reported to this office by the master, owner, or agent of the vessel. A determination will then be made regarding this vessel's eligibility to retain this designation.

A request for renewal of this designation should be made by July 18, 2012. This letter shall be maintained on board the vessel.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "J. E. Elliott".

J. E. ELLIOTT
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard
By Direction
Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection

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