27 JULY 2017 – SHIP ARRIVES IN TOWNSVILLE: /*Three day port call.
*The ship will leave when port activities are completed and its departure cannot be postponed to accommodate late arrivals.

Science Party - Arrival date into TOWNSVILLE: No later than – 27 JULY 2017
Board ship on - *28 JULY 2017

Co-Chiefs - Arrival date into TOWNSVILLE: No later than – 26 JULY 2017
Board ship on – 27 APRIL 2017

*All members of the science party are expected to board the ship on the above date. A later arrival date must be cleared with the JOIDES Resolution Science Operator (JRSO) Project Manager, as the ship sails when ready.

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PORT AGENT – TOWNSVILLE
Sturrock Grindrod Maritime (AUST) PTY. LTD.
6/95 Denham St.
Townsville, QLD. 4810
CONTACT: Mr. David Christian
PH: 61 407 702 583

DO NOT SHIP FREIGHT TO PORT AGENT UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES WITHOUT FIRST CONTACTING IODP SHIPPING SERVICES IN COLLEGE STATION. FOR ASSISTANCE WITH SHIPPING, PLEASE CONTACT MR. JOHN VAN HYFTE - PH: +1 979-845-2144 OR EMAIL: vanhyfte@iodp.tamu.edu

Local Contact: Tim Bronk – IODP Marine Logistics Coordinator, (PH: +1 979-695-8160)

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26 SEPTEMBER 2017 – SHIP ARRIVES HOBART, AUSTRALIA
Disembarking staff/science party should not schedule return flights before 0600 on 27 September 2017.

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GROUND TRANSPORTATION: Unless instructed otherwise, taxis should be used to get from the airport to the hotel before and after the expedition. Buses or vans will be used between the hotel and ship as the Port Agent must escort all personnel from the ship to the hotel.

VISAS: Australia
1. Visa to enter Australia:

2. For all crew, including scientists - Maritime Crew Visa: https://www.border.gov.au/Trav/Visa-1/988-
   There is no application charge for this Visa

IMPORTANT NOTE: Failure to meet each country’s visa requirements may prohibit the boarding or disembarking of shipboard personnel and subject to immigration detention.

PASSPORTS: Passports are required for all participants.

U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT TRAVEL WARNINGS: https://travel.state.gov/content/passports/en/alertswarnings.html