

MEMORANDUM FOR: The Record

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

Final NAPA Report to NOAA Errata

There is a misstatement of fact that appears in two places in NAPA's Final Report to NOAA. While this fact is not material to NAPA's findings and recommendations, I note it for the record.

On page 33 of the NAPA Final Report, at the entry under September 6, 2019, at 7:00 a.m., it states that "Julie Roberts calls Dr. Neil Jacobs and fills him in on the calls she received from the Secretary earlier that morning." Julie Roberts did not receive a call from Secretary Ross. The Report correctly states, however, on the same page and at the entry for the same day, at 2:30 a.m., that "Julie Roberts receives a phone call from Secretary Wilbur Ross' personal assistant and Mike Walsh (Department of Commerce Chief of Staff, who had also been delegated the duties of General Counsel)." The same error appears on page 66 of the Report (for the entry "Friday, September 6, 2019, 7 a.m."), but again, the Report correctly states (on pages 65-66, at the entry "Friday, September 6, 2019, 2:30 a.m.") that Julie Roberts received a call from Secretary Wilbur Ross' personal assistant and Chief of Staff.