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DIANA SHIPPING INC. REPORTS FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE FOURTH QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017

ATHENS, GREECE, February 22, 2018 – Diana Shipping Inc. (NYSE: DSX), (the "Company"), a global shipping company specializing in the ownership of dry bulk vessels, today reported a net loss of \$436.9 million and net loss attributed to common stockholders of \$438.4 million for the fourth quarter of 2017, including a \$422.5 million impairment loss. Accordingly, for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2017, net loss and net loss attributed to common stockholders, adjusted for impairment, amounted to \$14.5 million and \$15.9 million, respectively¹. For the fourth quarter of 2016, net loss and net loss attributed to common stockholders amounted to \$23.3 million and \$24.7 million, respectively.

Time charter revenues were \$48.9 million for the fourth quarter of 2017, compared to \$28.0 million for the same quarter of 2016. The increase in time charter revenues was due to increased average time charter rates achieved for the Company's vessels during the quarter and increased revenues resulting from the enlargement of the fleet.

Net loss and net loss attributed to common stockholders for the year ended December 31, 2017 amounted to \$511.7 million and \$517.5 million, respectively. This compares to a net loss and net loss attributed to common stockholders of \$164.2 million and \$170.0 million, respectively, for the same period of 2016. Time charter revenues were \$161.9 million for the year ended December 31, 2017, compared to \$114.3 million for the same period of 2016.

¹ See the reconciliation of adjusted net loss and net loss attributed to common stockholders to net loss and net loss attributed to common stockholders and adjusted loss per share to loss per share included in this release.

Fleet Employment Profile (As of February 22, 2018)

Diana Shipping Inc.'s fleet is employed as follows:

	Vessel BUILT DWT	Sister Ships*	Gross Rate (USD Per Day)	Com**	Charterers	Delivery Date to Charterers** *	Redelivery Date to Owners****	Notes
			Day		22 Panamax Bulk Carrie	ers		
1	DANAE	А	\$7,750	5.00%	Phaethon International	24-May-17	22-Dec-17	
			\$10,000	5.00%	Company AG	22-Dec-17	22-Jan-19 - 7-May-19	
	2001 75,106							
2	DIONE	А	\$7,050	5.00%	Caravel Shipping Limited, Hong Kong	3-Feb-17	23-Jan-18	1
			\$10,350	5.00%	Ausca Shipping Limited, Hong Kong	23-Jan-18	23-Mar-19 - 8-Jul-19	
•	2001 75,172							
3	NIREFS	А	\$9,400	5.00%	Jaldhi Overseas Pte. Ltd., Singapore	5-May-17	5-Jun-18 - 5-Sep-18	
	2001 75,311							
4	ALCYON	А	\$8,800	5.00%	Hudson Shipping Lines Incorporated	20-Jul-17	20-Jul-18 - 20-Oct-18	
5	2001 75,247 TRITON							
5		А	\$6,500	5.00%	Ausca Shipping Limited, Hong Kong	8-Jun-17	8-Jul-18 - 23-Oct-18	
6	2001 75,336 OCEANIS				Augus Chinging Lingited Llags			
0	2001 75,211	А	\$7,000	5.00%	Ausca Shipping Limited, Hong Kong	30-May-17	30-Jul-18 - 14-Nov-18	
7	THETIS				Ausca Shipping Limited, Hong			
	2004 73,583	В	\$8,350	5.00%	Kong	14-Jul-17	14-Jul-18 - 14-Oct-18	
8	PROTEFS	В	\$7,900	5.00%	Hudson Shipping Lines Incorporated	24-Jun-17	24-Jun-18 - 9-Oct-18	
	2004 73,630							
9	CALIPSO	В	\$9,000	5.00%	Transgrain Shipping B.V., Rotterdam	14-Mar-17	23-Feb-18 - 30-Mar-18	2
10	2005 73,691							
10	CLIO 2005 73,691	В	\$8,550	5.00%	Phaethon International Company AG	9-Jul-17	9-Aug-18 - 9-Nov-18	
11	NAIAS	В	\$7,500	5.00%	Glencore Agriculture B.V., Rotterdam	27-Dec-16	11-Nov-17	3
			\$10,000	5.00%	Phaethon International Company AG	26-Nov-17	11-Feb-19 - 26-May-19	
	2006 73,546				. ,			
12	ARETHUSA	В	\$7,200	5.00%	Noble Resources International Pte. Ltd., Singapore	23-Jan-17	1-Mar-18 - 23-Mar-18	2,4
	2007 73,593							
13	ERATO	С	\$7,250 \$10,500	5.00% 5.00%	Phaethon International Company AG	25-May-17 30-Dec-17	30-Dec-17 2-Mar-19 - 30-May-19	
	2004 74,444							
14	CORONIS	С	\$9,000	5.00%	Narina Maritime Ltd	16-May-17	16-Apr-18 - 16-Jul-18	
15	2006 74,381 MELIA		60 500	F 0.001	Nidora Č.D.A., D	10 14-4 47	27 Fab 40 4 Mar 40	-
15	MELIA 2005 76,225		\$9,500	5.00%	Nidera S.P.A., Roma	19-Mar-17	27-Feb-18 - 4-May-18	5
16	ARTEMIS		\$9,000	5.00%	Ausca Shipping Limited, Hong Kong	8-Jul-17	8-Jul-18 - 8-Oct-18	
	2006 76,942				- 0			

17	LETO		\$7,750	5.00%	Glencore Agriculture B.V.,	29-Dec-16	10-Jan-18	
	2010 81,297		\$12,500	5.00%	Rotterdam	10-Jan-18	10-May-19 - 25-Aug-19	
18	SELINA	D	\$7,100	5.00%	BG Shipping Co., Limited, Hong	24-Jan-17	6-Feb-18	6
			\$12,250	5.00%	Kong	6-Feb-18	6-Jun-19 - 6-Sep-19	
40	2010 75,700			/				
19	MAERA 2013 75,403	D	\$11,900	5.00%	Unico Logistics Co., Ltd., Seoul	19-Sep-17	19-Jun-18 - 19-Aug-18	
20	ISMENE				DHL Project & Chartering			
			\$12,000	5.00%	Limited, Hong Kong	16-Sep-17	16-Sep-18 - 16-Dec-18	
	2013 77,901							
21	CRYSTALIA	E	\$6,250	5.00%	SwissMarine Services S.A., Geneva	28-Jun-16	3-Oct-17	
			\$11,100	5.00%	Glencore Agriculture B.V., Rotterdam	3-Oct-17	3-Oct-18 - 18-Jan-19	
	2014 77,525				Notteruam			
22	ATALANDI	-	ć= 200	5.00%		26 Mar 46	25 5-h 40 - 26 A - 40	2
		E	\$5,300	5.00%	Glencore Grain B.V., Rotterdam	26-Mar-16	25-Feb-18 - 26-Apr-18	2
	2014 77,529							
		-	-	-	5 Kamsarmax Bulk Carrie	ers		
23	MAIA	F	\$10,125	5.00%	Glencore Agriculture B.V., Rotterdam	27-Jul-17	27-Jul-18 - 27-Oct-18	
	2009 82,193				Notteruam			
24	MYRSINI	F	\$8,650	5.00%	RWE Supply & Trading GmbH,	8-Jun-17	31-Aug-18 - 31-Dec-18	
	2010 02 117	F	Ş6,050	5.00%	Essen	8-Juli-17	51-Aug-10 - 51-Det-10	
	2010 82,117							
25	MEDUSA	F	\$10,000	4.75%	Cargill International S.A., Geneva	6-Jul-17	6-Jul-18 - 6-Oct-18	
	2010 82,194				Geneva			
26	MYRTO				Cargill International S.A.,			
		F	\$8,000	4.75%	Geneva	17-Jan-17	26-Feb-18 - 17-Apr-18	2,7
	2013 82,131							
27	ASTARTE		\$9,000	5.00%	Glencore Agriculture B.V.,	12-Jun-17	12-Aug-18 - 12-Nov-18	
	2013 81,513		<i>\$3,000</i>	010070	Rotterdam		12.000 10 12 000 10	
	2013 01,913							
			-	-	5 Post-Panamax Bulk Carr	iers		
28	ALCMENE		\$8,000	4.75%	Cargill International S.A., Geneva	8-Jun-17	8-Jul-18 - 23-Oct-18	
	2010 93,193							
29	AMPHITRITE	G	\$11,150	4.75%	Cargill International S.A.,	28-Sep-17	28-Oct-18 - 28-Jan-19	
	2012 00 007	0	J11,130	4.7570	Geneva	20-56p-17	20-000-10 - 20-301-15	
	2012 98,697							
30	POLYMNIA	G	\$10,100	4.75%	Cargill International S.A., Geneva	15-Mar-17	31-Mar-18 - 15-Jul-18	
	2012 98,704				Geneva			
31	ELECTRA				Uningr Global Commodities SE			
51		н	\$8,000	5.00%	Uniper Global Commodities SE, Düsseldorf	11-Jun-17	11-Jul-18 - 11-Nov-18	
	2013 87,150							
32	PHAIDRA	н	\$7,750	5.00%	Jera Trading Singapore Pte. Ltd.	10 May 17	12 100 10	8
		п	ş1,/5U	5.00%		19-May-17	13-Jan-18	٥
			\$12,700	5.00%	Uniper Global Commodities SE, Düsseldorf	13-Jan-18	13-Jan-19 - 13-Apr-19	
	2013 87,146							

			<u>.</u>		14 Capesize Bulk Carrier	rs		
	NORFOLK		\$12,000	5.00%	Trafigura Maritime Logistics Pte. Ltd., Singapore	26-Apr-17	1-Dec-17	
			\$13,250	5.00%	SwissMarine Services S.A., Geneva	1-Dec-17	1-Sep-19 - 1-Dec-19	
	2002 164,218							
	ALIKI		\$10,300	5.00%	SwissMarine Services S.A., Geneva	14-Feb-17	25-Feb-18 - 14-Apr-18	2
	2005 180,235							
	BALTIMORE		\$11,300	4.75%	Cargill International S.A., Geneva	16-Feb-17	16-Mar-18 - 1-Jul-18	
	2005 177,243							
	SALT LAKE CITY		\$9,000	5.00%	Uniper Global Commodities SE, Düsseldorf	20-Jan-17	1-Mar-18 - 20-May-18	2
	2005 171,810							
	SIDERIS GS	I	\$13,000	5.00%	Rio Tinto Shipping (Asia) Pte., Ltd., Singapore	21-Jun-17	21-Jul-18 - 21-Nov-18	
	2006 174,186							
	SEMIRIO	I	\$14,150	5.00%	Koch Shipping Pte. Ltd., Singapore	21-May-17	21-May-18 - 21-Sep-18	
	2007 174,261							
	BOSTON	I	\$13,000	4.75%	Clearlake Shipping Pte. Ltd., Singapore	9-Aug-15	6-Dec-17	9,1
	2007 477 020		\$17,000	5.00%	EGPN Bulk Carrier Co., Limited, Hong Kong	6-Dec-17	6-Apr-19 - 6-Jul-19	
	2007 177,828							
	HOUSTON	I	\$10,000	5.00%	SwissMarine Services S.A., Geneva	17-Feb-17	2-Mar-18 - 17-May-18	11
	2009 177,729							
	NEW YORK	I	\$14,450	5.00%	Koch Shipping Pte. Ltd., Singapore	23-Apr-17	2-Feb-18	12
	2010 177,773		\$16,000	5.00%	DHL Project & Chartering Limited, Hong Kong	2-Feb-18	2-Jun-19 - 2-Sep-19	
	SEATTLE							
	2011 179,362	J	\$11,700	5.00%	Koch Shipping Pte. Ltd., Singapore	8-Feb-17	8-Apr-18 - 23-Jul-18	
	P. S. PALIOS				Kooh Chinaina Dra Lud			
	2013 179,134	J	\$10,550	5.00%	Koch Shipping Pte. Ltd., Singapore	27-Jan-17	28-Feb-18 - 11-Jun-18	2
	G. P. ZAFIRAKIS							
		К	\$15,000	5.00%	RWE Supply & Trading GmbH, Essen	14-Aug-17	29-Sep-18 - 14-Jan-19	
	2014 179,492							
	SANTA BARBARA	К	\$12,000	4.75%	Cargill International S.A., Geneva	24-Jan-17	27-Feb-18 - 24-Apr-18	2
	2015 179,426							
	NEW ORLEANS		\$11,250	5.00%	Koch Shipping Pte. Ltd., Singapore	10-Dec-16	24-Feb-18 - 10-Apr-18	2
	2015 180,960					•		
į					4 Newcastlemax Bulk Carr	iers		
	LOS ANGELES	L	BCI_2014 5TCs AVG + 14%	5.00%	SwissMarine Services S.A., Geneva	22-Jan-17	24-Feb-18 - 22-Apr-18	2
			+ 1470					

48	PHILADELPHIA 2012 206,040	L	\$15,500	5.00%	Koch Shipping Pte. Ltd., Singapore	14-Mar-17	26-Feb-18 - 29-Apr-18	2
	2012 200,040							
49	SAN FRANCISCO	М	\$11,750	5.00%	Koch Shipping Pte. Ltd., Singapore	5-Jan-17	28-Feb-18 - 20-May-18	2
	2017 208,006							
50	NEWPORT NEWS	М	BCI_2014 5TCs AVG + 24%	5.00%	SwissMarine Services S.A., Geneva	10-Jan-17	10-Nov-18 - 10-Mar-19	
	2017 208,021							

* Each dry bulk carrier is a "sister ship", or closely similar, to other dry bulk carriers that have the same letter.

** Total commission percentage paid to third parties.

*** In case of newly acquired vessel with time charter attached, this date refers to the expected/actual date of delivery of the vessel to the Company.

**** Range of redelivery dates, with the actual date of redelivery being at the Charterers' option, but subject to the terms, conditions, and exceptions of the particular charterparty.

1 The charter rate was US\$7,200 for the first ninety (90) days of the charter period.

2 Based on latest information.

3 Vessel on scheduled drydocking from November 11, 2017 to November 26, 2017.

4 Vessel currently off-hire for drydocking.

5 Since September 17, 2017, Charterers have changed to COFCO Agri Freight SA.

6 The charter rate was US\$4,500 for the first thirty (30) days of the charter period.

7 Vessel off-hire for drydocking from December 24, 2017 to January 12, 2018.

8 Charterers have agreed to pay the weighted average of the 4 T/C routes, as published by the Baltic Exchange on January 3, 2018 plus 12%, for the excess period commencing from January 3, 2018.

9 Clearlake Shipping Pte. Ltd., Singapore is a member of the Gunvor Group.

10 The compensation for the overlapping period from November 20, 2017 to December 6, 2017, which is beyond the maximum contractual period, is still pending to be agreed between Owners and Clearlake Shipping Pte. Ltd., Singapore.

11 The charter rate was US\$5,150 for the first fifteen (15) days of the charter period.

12 Charterers have agreed to pay the weighted average of the 5 T/C routes, as published by the Baltic Exchange on January 2, 2018 plus 10%, for the excess period commencing from December 29, 2017.

Summary of Selected Financial & Other Data (unaudited)

	-	Three months e	December 31,		Year ended	Dece	December 31,	
		2017		2016	<u> </u>	2017		2016
STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS DATA (in thousands	of US I	Dollars)						
Time charter revenues	\$	48,936	\$	28,020	\$	161,897	\$	114,259
Voyage expenses		3,020		1,387		8,617		13,826
Vessel operating expenses		24,021		20,863		90,358		85 <i>,</i> 955
Net loss		(436,932)		(23,256)		(511,714)		(164,237)
Net loss attributed to common stockholders		(438,374)		(24,698)		(517,483)		(170,006)
FLEET DATA								
Average number of vessels		50.3		46.0		49.6		45.2
Number of vessels		50.0		46.0		50.0		46.0
Weighted average age of vessels		8.4		8.2		8.4		8.2
Ownership days		4,624		4,232		18,119		16,542
Available days		4,615		4,215		17,890		16,447
Operating days		4,562		4,210		17,566		16,354
Fleet utilization		98.9%		99.9%		98.2%		99.4%
AVERAGE DAILY RESULTS								
Time charter equivalent (TCE) rate (1)	\$	9,949	\$	6,319	\$	8,568	\$	6,106
Daily vessel operating expenses (2)	\$	5,195	\$	4,930	\$	4,987	\$	5,196

(1) Time charter equivalent rates, or TCE rates, are defined as our time charter revenues less voyage expenses during a period divided by the number of our available days during the period, which is consistent with industry standards. Voyage expenses include port charges, bunker (fuel) expenses, canal charges and commissions. TCE is a non-GAAP measure. TCE rate is a standard shipping industry performance measure used primarily to compare daily earnings generated by vessels on time charters with daily earnings generated by vessels on voyage charters, because charter hire rates for vessels on voyage charters are generally not expressed in per day amounts while charter hire rates for vessels on time charters are generally expressed in such amounts.

(2) Daily vessel operating expenses, which include crew wages and related costs, the cost of insurance, expenses relating to repairs and maintenance, the costs of spares and consumable stores, tonnage taxes and other miscellaneous expenses, are calculated by dividing vessel operating expenses by ownership days for the relevant period.

Non-GAAP Measures

This press release includes a discussion of net loss and loss per share adjusted for impairment losses as identified in the reconciliations provided below. The Company believes that discussion of these additional non-GAAP measures provides investors with meaningful comparisons of current results to prior periods' results by excluding items that the Company does not believe reflect its fundamental business performance. The following shows the difference between net loss to adjusted net loss, and loss per share to adjusted loss per share for the three months ended December 31, 2017 and 2016 (in thousands, except per share amounts):

	Three months ended December 31,			
	 2017		2016	
Adjusted net loss and net loss attributed to common stockholders				
Net loss	\$ (436,932)	\$	(23,256)	
Impairment loss	422,466		-	
Adjusted net loss	\$ (14,466)	\$	(23,256)	
Dividends on series B preferred shares	(1,442)		(1,442)	
Adjusted net loss attributed to common stockholders	\$ (15,908)	\$	(24,698)	
Adjusted loss per share				
Loss per common share, basic and diluted	\$ (4.28)	\$	(0.31)	
Impairment loss	4.13		-	
Adjusted loss per share, basic and diluted	\$ (0.15)	\$	(0.31)	

Conference Call and Webcast Information

The Company's management will conduct a conference call and simultaneous Internet webcast to review these results at 9:00 A.M. (Eastern Time) on Thursday, February 22, 2018.

Investors may access the webcast by visiting the Company's website at <u>www.dianashippinginc.com</u>, and clicking on the webcast link. The conference call also may be accessed by telephone by dialing 1-877-407-8291 (for U.S.-based callers) or 1-201-689-8345 (for international callers), and asking the operator for the Diana Shipping Inc. conference call.

A replay of the webcast will be available soon after the completion of the call and will be accessible for 30 days on <u>www.dianashippinginc.com</u>. A telephone replay also will be available for 30 days by dialing 1-877-660-6853 (for U.S.-based callers) or 1-201-612-7415 (for international callers), and providing the Replay ID number 13675888.

About the Company

Diana Shipping Inc. is a global provider of shipping transportation services through its ownership of dry bulk vessels. The Company's vessels are employed primarily on medium to long-term time charters and transport a range of dry bulk cargoes, including such commodities as iron ore, coal, grain and other materials along worldwide shipping routes.

Cautionary Statement Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

Matters discussed in this press release may constitute forward-looking statements. The Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 provides safe harbor protections for forward-looking statements in order to encourage companies to provide prospective information about their business. Forward-looking statements include statements concerning plans, objectives, goals, strategies, future events or performance, and underlying assumptions and other statements, which are other than statements of historical facts.

The Company desires to take advantage of the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 and is including this cautionary statement in connection with this safe harbor legislation. The words "believe," "anticipate," "intends," "estimate," "forecast," "project," "plan," "potential," "may," "should," "expect," "pending" and similar expressions identify forward-looking statements.

The forward-looking statements in this press release are based upon various assumptions, many of which are based, in turn, upon further assumptions, including without limitation, our management's examination of historical operating trends, data contained in our records and other data available from third parties. Although we believe that these assumptions were reasonable when made, because these assumptions are inherently subject to significant uncertainties and contingencies which are difficult or impossible to predict and are beyond our control, we cannot assure you that we will achieve or accomplish these expectations, beliefs or projections.

In addition to these important factors, other important factors that, in our view, could cause actual results to differ materially from those discussed in the forward-looking statements include the strength of world economies and currencies, general market conditions, including fluctuations in charter rates and vessel values, changes in demand for dry bulk shipping capacity, changes in our operating expenses, including bunker prices, drydocking and insurance costs, the market for our vessels, availability of financing and refinancing, changes in governmental rules and regulations or actions taken by regulatory authorities, potential liability from pending or future litigation, general domestic and international political conditions, potential disruption of shipping routes due to accidents or political events, vessel breakdowns and instances of off-hires and other factors. Please see our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission for a more complete discussion of these and other risks and uncertainties.

(See financial tables attached)

DIANA SHIPPING INC.

FINANCIAL TABLES

Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share data

UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND COMPREHENSIVE LOSS

2017 2016 2017 2016 REVENUES: (audited) Time charter revenues \$ 48,936 \$ 28,020 \$ 161,897 \$ 114,259 EXPENSE: Voyage expenses 3,020 1,387 8,617 13,826 Vessel operating expenses 24,021 20,638 87,003 81,578 General and administrative expenses 8,157 6,792 26,332 25,510 Management fees to related party 542 384 1,883 1,464 Insurance recoveries, net of other loss 482 - (10,879) - Gain on contract termination - (5,500) - (5,500) Other (income)/loss 9 (275) 296 (213) Operating loss (431,681) (16,2609) (483,987) (88,321) Interest and finance costs (6,754) (5,640) (25,628) (21,949) Interest and finance costs (6,754) (5,647) (5,637) (75,916) Net loss of rom			Three months ended December 31,				Year ended December 31,		
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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET DATA

(in thousands of U.S. Dollars)

	 2017		2016*
<u>ASSETS</u>	(unaudited)		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 40,227	\$	98,142
Other current assets	98,534		17,174
Advances for vessels under construction and acquisitions and other vessel			
costs	-		46,863
Vessels, net of depreciation	1,053,578		1,403,912
Other fixed assets, net	22,650		23,114
Restricted cash	25,582		23,000
Due from related parties, non-current	-		45,417
Investments in related parties	3,249		6,014
Other non-current assets	 2,902		5,027
Total assets	\$ 1,246,722	\$	1,668,663
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Long-term debt, net of deferred financing costs	\$ 601,384	\$	598,181
Other liabilities	20,580		13,893
Total stockholders' equity	 624,758	_	1,056,589
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 1,246,722	\$	1,668,663

* The balance sheet data have been derived from the audited consolidated financial statements at that date.

OTHER FINANCIAL DATA (unaudited)

	Three months ended December 31, Year ended D				ember 31,
	2017	2016	2017	_	2016
					(audited)
Net Cash provided by / (used in) operating					
activities \$	12,241	\$ (2,392)	\$ 23,413	\$	(20,998)
Net Cash provided by / (used in) investing					
activities	13,351	4,676	(152,333)		(41,619)
Net Cash provided by / (used in) financing					
activities \$	(22,484)	\$ (12,524)	\$ 73,587	\$	(9 <i>,</i> 459)