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Jeppesen Marine Introduces New Nobeltec Products

On Show on the MR Marine Electronics Stand #240, Hall 2,
At The Upcoming 2006 Sydney International Boat Show

Marine navigation pioneer Jeppesen Marine®, the leisure division of Jeppesen®, today announced the release of their Nobeltec® Admiral™ Version 9, Visual Navigation Suite™ (VNS™) Version 9, and three new add-on features, known as "plus packs." Jeppesen Marine will unveil and demonstrate these new products at the upcoming 2006 Sydney International Boat Show, being held 3 to 8 August 2006, Darling Harbour, Sydney, Australia. Nobeltec products can be found at Stand #240, where its distributor, MR Marine Electronics, will exhibit.

These new Nobeltec products give customers more choices and continue to raise the bar for navigational PC software. Nobeltec Admiral and VNS 9 combine powerful electronic charting solutions with new features found in each plus pack to deliver an attractive and easy-to-use platform.

"The new Plus Packs highlight the power and performance of our Nobeltec navigation software. The solution is highly customized for the navigator's specific situation," said Shepard Tucker, Jeppesen Marine General Manager. "Each unique Plus Pack delivers outstanding features to address customer demands in the sailing and yachting markets, as well as crucial weather information for safe navigation."

Admiral & VNS 9 Highlights

Unique features of Admiral and VNS Version 9 include:

- AIS Filtering
- GRIB weather support
- Hand Panning Tool
- Nav Info Panels for easy display of important data (1 panel in VNS, up to 4 panels in Admiral)
- Strip Charts – A histogram for quick analysis of incoming data
- GPS/Trip Navbar – Monitor GPS signal strength and track distance traveled

Sailing Plus Pack™

The new Sailing Plus Pack takes advantage of the Nobeltec Admiral and VNS platforms by providing:

- Polar diagram display
- Histogram display of key sailing data
- Auto record of real time data for instant polar creation
- Laylines and wind arrows draped on top of the chart
- Enhanced boat tracking
- Basic instrument support for B&G® and Ockam® instruments

Tender Tracker Plus Pack™ (Admiral™ Only)

Tender Tracker Plus Pack, designed specifically for yachts, works with Admiral 9 and a hardware unit (the Seetrac tender tracking solution), to display and monitor tender locations from with Admiral software. Tender Tracker works by:

- Fitting an SBU unit onto the main vessel as well as installing a remote unit onto the tender. (Hardware sold separately)
- The base unit, receiving signals from the tender units (including Lat/Lon positions, SOG, COG, wind speed, direction, depth if there is a depth finder onboard), displays tender locations and information onscreen within Admiral 9.

Also, tender boundaries for these vessels are defined and allow yachters to further track tenders by the sounding of an alarm whenever a tender crosses a boundary.

XM Weather Plus Pack

A continuous data stream from XM WX Satellite Weather gives boaters the information they need to make confident decisions. Essential weather and sea conditions like radar, sea surface temperatures, lightning and more are delivered by a dual-redundant satellite transmission for viewing on compatible display devices. An S-Band signal prevents loss of signal during intense thunderstorms. The XM Weather Plus Pack allows XM / WxWorx weather data to be displayed within the Nobeltec Navigation software, right over the navigation charts.

Version 9 will also support display of GRIB weather files right over vector or raster charts. Users may download GRIB (version 1 or 2) from their favorite weather data provider and simply open the file inside of the Nobeltec software.

Pricing and Availability

Jeppesen Marine plans to release Admiral Version 9 & VNS Version 9 software, Sailing, Tender Tracker, and XM Weather Plus Packs in September 2006. Please check the www.nobeltec.com for pricing and availability.

Sailing, Tender Tracker, and XM Weather Plus Packs are sold separately and require Admiral or VNS Version 9. Tender Tracker Plus Pack works with Admiral Version 9 only.

About Jeppesen Marine®

Jeppesen Marine is the leading developer of marine navigation software and the entire line of Nobeltec products. Its Visual Navigation Suite™ software has won the National Marine Electronics Association's "Best Navigation Software" award four times. Call (800) 946-2877 (US and Canada only) or (503) 579-1414. Visit Jeppesen Marine on the Web at: www.nobeltec.com .

Nobeltec is the marine recreation division of Jeppesen, which is part of The Boeing Company (NYSE: BA). For more information about Jeppesen Marine – Recreation Solutions and the entire family of Nobeltec products, contact: Jeppesen Marine, 15160 NW Laidlaw Rd., Ste. 100, Portland, OR 97229. 800-946-2877. The Company may also be reached via their website site at www.nobeltec.com.

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