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Cobham's Sea Tel ® Launches ST24 TV Receive Only (TVRO) System at Monaco Yacht Show

CONCORD, Calif. – Cobham SATCOM is pleased to announce the launch of its beta program for the ST24 marine stabilized TV receive-only product for the yacht industry. With a greater elevation range than most standard 2-axis marine stabilized antennas, the ST24 enables watching TV at higher latitudes, and the one-touch screen graphical antenna control panel (GACP) is easy to work with.

"The simplicity of the ST24 design and ease of use were the key guiding principles we followed to truly revolutionize the yacht owner's experience with the Sea Tel Antenna Controller," said John DeSana, vice president of Cobham SATCOM. "Simple, icon-driven, single-touch settings with the antenna that can work at higher latitudes is what our dealers asked us for, and that is what we are launching at the Monaco Yacht Show."

The ST24 is a 61 cm (24 in) antenna that is HD ready for Ku-Band digital broadcasting systems. Other features include both manual and automatic skew control. The automatic skew control allows the antenna to operate at optimal skew angle to receive a satellite signal at maximum strength. The high performance stabilization and satellite tracking eliminate the need for a gyro compass or expensive upgrades when mounted on a tuna tower, providing significant cost savings over competitive products.

About Cobham SATCOM

Cobham SATCOM is a leader in mobile satellite communications technology and interoperability solutions for commercial and governmental mobile broadband satellite communications. The core expertise of the business is in automated satellite acquisition and tracking equipment, in all bands across the frequency spectrum. The antennas and communications services are used for military and governmental agencies such as homeland security and law enforcement to provide secure, reliable and efficient communications.

About Cobham

Cobham's products and services have been at the heart of sophisticated military and civil systems for more than 75 years, keeping people safe, improving communications, and enhancing the capability of land, sea, air and space platforms. The Company has four divisions employing some 12,000 people on five continents, with customers and partners in over 100 countries and annual revenue of some £1.9bn / US\$3 billion.

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