

LONG RANGE IDENTIFICATION & TRACKING (LRIT) CONFORMANCE TEST FOR SKYWAVE DMR-800LRIT LAUNCHED

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A new LRIT Conformance Test for the SkyWave DMR-800LRIT satellite terminal has been launched by Pole Star. An easy to use, web-based, product that allows the ship operator who has installed a SkyWave DMR-800LRIT terminal to carry out their LRIT Conformance Test is now available.

The Conformance Test perfectly complements the new DMR-800LRIT hardware package recently launched by Pole Star as an effective solution for meeting LRIT compliance.

“Ship owners are responsible for ensuring its ships and their equipment are LRIT compliant,” says Paul Morter, Head of Commercial Marine Products at Pole Star. “For vessels where existing terminals are not suitable, adopting our solution with a SkyWave DMR-800LRIT terminal can save them time and money and a free Conformance Test is included with each hardware package.”

“SkyWave DMR terminals are easy to install and low cost. Providing a total solution again demonstrates Pole Star’s ongoing commitment to the shipping industry.”

David Plumer, CEO of Pole Star said, “This is a demanding time for the industry as ship owners need to ensure their fleet is fully compliant with the regulation. They have been looking for a simple, cost effective, stand alone solution to help them meet their regulatory obligations, and this provides them with something they can buy off the shelf, that is pre-configured for LRIT, can be installed without the need for a technician to visit the ship and that can also be tested immediately using our online testing system.”

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