



## KVH Announces NEWSlink Live Service with Richer Content to Enhance Digital Life at Sea

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**NEWSlink Live provides 24/7 world news and 'play-by-play' live sports reports to a wide variety of seafarers' own devices**

MIDDLETOWN, R.I. and LIVERPOOL, UK, Nov. 14, 2016 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- KVH Industries, Inc., ([Nasdaq:KVH](#)), is introducing NEWSlink™ Live, a new digital content service for crew, at the CrewConnect Global conference, in Manila, November 15-16. This next-generation service enables seafarers to receive richer, more dynamic news, sports, finance, and entertainment content on their personal devices, and builds on KVH's industry-leading NEWSlink service, in use on more than 9,000 vessels worldwide. NEWSlink Live offers crew a powerful digital wireless experience that supports all computers and mobile devices for easy access, while optimising satellite communications bandwidth and costs.

NEWSlink Live delivers the existing daily NEWSlink print editions in an enhanced digital format, and also provides free access to a 24/7 world news feed, a unique 'play-by-play' live sports feed, and additional supplementary feeds and media services. This enhanced service is enabled by a customised mini-media player, supplied free of charge with every subscription.



"NEWSlink Live creates an improved experience for seafarers and provides a logical 'next-step' service to enhance NEWSlink's existing daily and weekly newspaper service," says Mark Woodhead, KVH senior vice president for training and content. "NEWSlink Live extends KVH's commitment to provide the best content services at sea. We can now deliver news in whatever format best suits the vessel and its capabilities – NEWSlink print editions, the richer content of NEWSlink Live, or KVH's unique IP-MobileCast™ content delivery service, which provides even more with NEWSlink TV."

As a thought leader in the maritime industry, KVH is the platinum sponsor of the 2016 CrewConnect Global conference, together with maritime training provider Videotel™, a KVH company. In addition to the NEWSlink Live presentation, there will be a Videotel demo during the conference to showcase a next-generation virtual experience using the latest and most powerful technology of the HTC Vive virtual reality (VR) system. The VR demo will enable users to explore a virtual 360° engine room space, and be able to perform a maintenance task with the use of wireless motion tracking controllers.

"This virtual reality demonstration is a great example of how Videotel is constantly looking to the future and staying ahead of the industry to provide better services and a better understanding of how crews' competency and well-being can have a dramatic impact on vessel performance," says Mr. Woodhead.

In addition to the NEWSlink service and Videotel maritime training programmes, KVH offers a wide range of solutions for the maritime industry. These services include [mini-VSAT Broadband<sup>SM</sup> connectivity](#), [TracPhone® VIP-series satellite communications hardware](#), the [IP-MobileCast content delivery service](#), and the [comprehensive KVH OneCare™](#) service and support programme – a complete solution that KVH refers to as the Power of One™.

*Note to Editors:* To learn more, please visit [NEWSlink Live](#), [www.kvhmediagroup.com/newslinklive](http://www.kvhmediagroup.com/newslinklive). For more information about KVH's complete line of maritime services, please visit the [mini-VSAT Broadband website](#), [www.minivsat.com/one](http://www.minivsat.com/one), and the [Videotel website](#), [www.videotel.com](http://www.videotel.com). High-resolution images of KVH products are available at the [KVH Press Room Image Library](#), [www.kvh.com/Press-Room/Image-Library](http://www.kvh.com/Press-Room/Image-Library).

### **About KVH Industries, Inc.**

KVH Industries is a leading provider of in-motion satellite TV and communications systems, having designed, manufactured, and sold more than 200,000 mobile satellite antennas for applications on vessels, vehicles, and aircraft. KVH is also a leading news, music, and entertainment content provider to many industries including maritime, retail, and leisure. Videotel, a KVH company, is a market-leading provider of training films, computer-based training, and eLearning. KVH is based in Middletown, RI, with research, development, and manufacturing operations in Middletown, RI, and Tinley Park, IL. The company's global presence includes offices in Belgium, Brazil, Cyprus, Denmark, Hong Kong, India, Japan, the Netherlands, Norway, the Philippines, Singapore, and the United Kingdom.

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