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## SEA-FIRE SIGNS FINNISH DISTRIBUTOR MARITIM

Master distributor Sea-Fire Europe has taken on a new distributor. The global leader in marine fire detection and suppression technology for recreational, commercial and military vessels has named Oy Maritim Ab as its newest distributor. Ernie Ellis, Sea-Fire Marine company president, made the announcement.

The leading marine distributor in Finland, Maritim sells over 17,000 recreational boating and sea rescue products, including Sea-Fire pre-engineered systems, and offers specialized maintenance services. Founded in 1912, it serves OEMs, dealers and consumers in the Baltic states, Poland, Russia and Scandinavia. Its website is [www.maritim.fi](http://www.maritim.fi).

"We're pleased to welcome Maritim to our global network of suppliers," said Ellis. "They embrace environmentally friendly products and fully support our decision to stop selling HFC-based fire suppressants."

In 2018, Sea-Fire Europe announced it would cease distribution of HFC-based (hydrofluorocarbon) fire suppression agents that contribute to global warming, offering instead the far superior 3M™ Novec™ 1230. This move is well ahead of the EU mandated phase-down of HFCs, a greenhouse gas, and proactively addresses the coming shortage issues.

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