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FCC OET correspondence ref 34278 – Request for Waiver

Dear Sir,

Navico UK Ltd request a waiver for the Simrad AI50 submitted under application reference GL7AI50, EA684983 in accordance with the advice given to the GMDSS taskforce meeting of October 14th. In this advice it was stated that the FCC was granted permission to waive their rules for class B AIS units which had already gained USCG type approval.

For your information, the Simrad AI50 meets all the requirements of IEC62287-1 and has been approved in Europe by Qinetiq Ltd, in the US by the US Coastguard and, recently, in Canada by Industry Canada.

I thank you for your help in this matter.

Yours sincerely



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