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ABS Nautical Systems and Q88 LLC Deliver Automated Compliance Solution to Support Maritime Digital Transformation

NS Enterprise fleet management software and Q88 SaaS technology combine to deliver efficient and transparent vetting compliance solution

(Fairfield) – Q88 LLC, a global provider of SaaS technology to the maritime industry, and ABS Nautical Systems (ABS NS), a leading provider of fleet management software that supports maritime Digital Transformation, are joining forces to automate compliance management for ship owners and operators. Together, they are launching a fully integrated vetting solution to consistently meet compliance objectives by streamlining the management of critical compliance information from ship to shore.

This new data-driven solution combines the power of ABS NS compliance management software with the efficiency of the Q88 tanker information management platform. A more efficient and transparent vetting solution will enable safer, compliant and more reliable operations for tankers and carrier complying with guidelines from the Oil Companies International Marine Forum (OCIMF).

Entering the certification and renewals required for compliance is a time-consuming, manual and unclear process, making it a challenge for crew and staff to get the right information into the hands of the right people at the right time. The ABS NS and Q88 integrated vetting solution streamlines the flow of critical data (certificates, vessel particulars, qualification documents, etc.) with a self-service, automated process that improves data quality, promotes information transparency and reduces the manual burden on crew members.

"We're excited to partner with Q88 to help our mutual customers achieve OCIMF vetting compliance more efficiently," says Stephen Schwarz, President of ABS Nautical Systems. "By leveraging the digital technologies of both of our companies, customers will realize the benefits of improved data quality and efficient data transfer, improving the speed and reliability of critical compliance data. We are focused on solutions that improve efficiencies for our clients. This represents another key step on the journey toward digitally transforming maritime operations."

"This integration facilitates an easy flow of information and documents between the vessels, the office and other voyage stakeholders, "said Fritz Heidenreich, Founder and President of Q88 LLC. "We are very excited to help our combined clients streamline their vetting and compliance processes."

About Q88 LLC

Founded in 2001, Q88 LLC is the leading SaaS technology provider to the maritime industry. Q88 products and services are synonymous with simplifying the complexities of global maritime transportation and giving organizations of all types a competitive edge in a demanding environment. Our partnership with the world's leading ship owners, charterers, ship managers, agents and brokers has provided us insight into how to build solutions for some of the industry's most pressing issues.

Find out more about Q88 LLC: www.q88.com

About ABS Nautical Systems

ABS Nautical Systems is recognized as the leader in maritime fleet management software, supporting Digital Transformation across marine assets and providing powerful business intelligence solutions for a complex world. Our reliability based software and compliance management solutions have helped mariners solve real-world operational challenges for over 30 years. Today, our advanced software platform supports faster, more accurate decision-making to help the marine and offshore industries improve efficiency, ensure safety and drive performance.

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