

AMBREY AND GROUND CONTROL JOIN FORCES TO BRING ASSURED VESSEL TRACKING TO THE WORLD'S FLEET – ENABLING GLOBAL TRADE AMID RISING GPS DENIAL THREATS

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Ground Control, a CLS Group-backed provider of satellite communications and positioning solutions, and Ambrey, a global maritime security and operational intelligence company, today announced a go-to-market partnership to deliver **RockFLEET Assured**, an assured positioning, navigation and timing (A-PNT) solution designed to support vessel navigation and oversight in environments affected by GPS denial, jamming, and spoofing.

The partnership combines Ambrey's maritime risk expertise, operational support, and client reach with Ground Control's engineering and satellite connectivity capabilities, bringing assured vessel positioning to shipowners and fleet managers operating in high risk and degraded GNSS regions.

Responding to a Growing Operational Vulnerability

Shipping companies increasingly face real operational risks associated with GPS interference. Recent analysis from the Royal Institute of Navigation, amongst others, highlights that jamming and spoofing incidents are pervasive in key trade regions – from the Baltic and Black Seas to the Arabian Gulf and Straits of Hormuz – affecting navigation, safety, crew confidence and cargo security.

The ramifications range from collisions, groundings, unpredictable vessel paths and compromised situational awareness, creating safety-of-life and economic risk. As an emerging source of operational hazard, GPS denial underscores the need for resilient positioning solutions.



RockFLEET Assured provides an authenticated position source and integrity-aware reporting, integrating an Iridium PNT module to support assured positioning (A-PNT) workflows. The solution includes a rugged, marine-grade smart antenna and two way satellite messaging, allowing crews, shore teams and maritime risk stakeholders to validate vessel positions, detect anomalies, and maintain continuity of operations even when GPS signals are unreliable or denied. Ambrey will take a leading role with Ground Control in bringing **RockFLEET Assured** to commercial shipowners and fleet managers, embedding assured tracking into its existing services and enabling its clients to trade with confidence around the globe.

“Always on” – Ambrey’s services are delivered through our state-of-the-art 24/7 Global Operations Centre (GOC) in Southampton, combining the largest team of maritime security professionals and regional analysts in the industry. This partnership with Ground Control strengthens trusted position reporting via Iridium PNT and providing dependable, “always-on” connectivity. Together, Ambrey and Ground Control deliver the critical, reliable connectivity and support services required to safeguard both seafarers and maritime assets, offering clients around the world peace of mind.

Alastair Macleod, CEO of Ground Control, said: *"GNSS disruption is no longer a niche concern, it's a practical challenge for commercial fleets operating in and around high-risk regions. We're excited to be working with Ambrey on the go-to-market strategy for RockFLEET Assured, pairing their operational maritime insight with our assured positioning capability. The result is a straightforward way for ship and shore teams to validate position, flag anomalies, and maintain oversight when GNSS can't be trusted."*

Ben Westcott, Ambrey's Director of Digital Services, added, *"Our customers consistently highlight the challenges of operating in GPS-denied environments as a major safety concern. We are delighted to be working with Ground Control as a world leader in this space, bringing assured tracking and navigation to our clients."*

Notes to editors:

About Ambrey

Ambrey is a global leader in maritime security and risk management, offering a comprehensive range of services to prepare, support and respond to crews, vessels and cargoes across the world. With a team of experienced professionals and a commitment to innovation, Ambrey delivers trusted solutions that enhance the safety and security of maritime operations.

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About Ground Control

Ground Control is a CLS Group-backed company specialising in rugged satellite and hybrid IoT communications for remote and mission-critical operations. For nearly 30 years, Ground Control has designed and manufactured compact, low-power satellite IoT devices and two-way messaging trackers used where connectivity must be reliable. The company's Cloudloop platform supports secure device and subscription management, provisioning, and data routing across global asset fleets.

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