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Pettit Paint Welcomes Jasmine Thomas to Marine Sales Team

Strengthening Customer Support Across New England and Canada

Greensboro, N.C. — June 30, 2026 — Pettit Paint, a global leader in high-performance marine coatings with roots dating back to 1853 and a brand of Modern Recreational Technologies, Inc. (MRT), today announced the appointment of Jasmine Thomas as Sales Representative – Marine. Thomas will support customers across Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, and Canada, helping strengthen relationships, deliver technical expertise, and support the continued growth of the Pettit and ValvTect brands throughout the region.



This addition reflects Pettit's continued commitment to investing in the people and partnerships that drive success across the marine industry. Working closely with boatyards, marinas, retailers, distributors, and marine professionals, Thomas will help expand customer engagement while providing the training, service, and support customers have come to expect from the Pettit and ValvTect organizations.

Thomas brings a unique combination of marine industry experience and hands-on boating expertise to the role. Most recently, she worked with WoodenBoat Publications, supporting editorial initiatives, customer engagement programs, and industry events. Her background also includes experience as a sailing instructor and First Mate, giving her a practical understanding of the challenges and opportunities marine customers face every day. Thomas holds a degree in Small Business Management and a U.S. Coast Guard Master 100-Ton Captain's License.

"This is an important investment in how we support the marine market," said Chick Michaud, Vice President of Marine Sales. "Jasmine brings the right combination of industry knowledge, practical experience, and customer focus. We are excited to have her join the team as we continue building our presence and supporting customers throughout the Northeast and Canada."

"I'm excited to join MRT and build on the strong foundation already in place," said Jasmine Thomas. "I look forward to working closely with customers, helping them succeed, and contributing to the continued growth of the Pettit and ValvTect brands."

As Pettit Paint continues to expand its presence across North America, the addition of Thomas reinforces the company's commitment to delivering industry-leading products, technical expertise, and customer support to the boaters and marine professionals who depend on them every day.

About Pettit Paint:

Pettit Paint is an industry leader in high performance marine coatings, delivering innovative solutions for boat owners, professional applicators, and boatyards across the Americas and beyond. Pettit brings more than 100 years of expertise in antifouling paints, epoxies, primers, and professional topside finishes to the marine industry. A brand of Modern Recreational Technologies, Inc., Pettit is committed to developing advanced coating technologies that protect vessels, elevate performance, and support the professionals who depend on them. For more information, visit www.pettitpaint.com.

About Modern Recreational Technologies:

Modern Recreational Technologies, Inc. (MRT), is an industry leader specializing in advanced coatings for the marine, aquatic, parks, and fuel segments. MRT brings together a portfolio of industry leading brands delivering innovative solutions for boat owners, pool owners, professionals, applicators, park and recreation facilities, and fuel distributors. The MRT team is comprised of passionate individuals dedicated to creating and supporting products that maximize the recreational time customers work hard to enjoy. For more information, visit www.mrtproducts.com.