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For Immediate Release – Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons and MariTech Industries Become Partners in Safe Boating

Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons (CPS), Toronto, Ontario, and **MariTech Industries** announce the signing today of a three year agreement to partner in the promotion of boating safety practices and MariTech's technology throughout Canada. The signing took place October 27th at the CPS Annual General Meeting in Ottawa

"We are honored to partner for the next three years with such an influential and well-respected organization as CPS," stated MariTech Industries' CEO, Keith Jackson. "Together we will promote safe boating practices and encourage boaters to use MariTech's award winning Virtual Lifeline for falls overboard protection, and its other boating safety devices, including PropStopper, SwimGuard and Carbon Monoxide Protection System (COPS)."

"As part of the agreement, MariTech will provide favorable pricing to CPS's 30,000 members in return for promotional activities and marketing opportunities across Canada. It is our mutual desire to achieve a decline in the number of injuries and deaths associated with boating accidents in Canada. We will closely monitor our efforts and anticipate positive results over the three-year term of this agreement."

About Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons

CPS is a community of passionate boaters across Canada who are committed to safety, boating education, and having fun on the water. It is a national volunteer driven organization with a long-standing reputation for offering high-quality educational courses. With a 69 year history and a membership of over 30,000 in 173 Squadrons across the country, CPS has played a major role in boating culture in Canada and is the established leader for the training of recreational boaters. CPS works co-operatively with Transport Canada, Industry Canada, Fisheries and Oceans, Canadian Coast Guard Auxiliary, and many other organizations involved in safe boating.

About MariTech:

With over 15 years experience, MariTech Industries specializes in the analysis and development of effective solutions for maritime safety issues. As a recognized national and international leader in marine and boating safety engineering, MariTech helps educate decision and policy makers, manufacturers and owners, operators and the public at large on how to minimize risk, increase safety, while ensuring maritime activities remain enjoyable.

MariTech's family of products helps mitigate or eliminate hazards associated with some of the most prevalent boating hazards, such as:

- Falls Overboard • Propeller Strike Accidents • Carbon Monoxide Poisoning

For more information or to purchase any of MariTech Industries' boating safety products, visit ... **www.powerboatsafety.com**

For more information on CPS please visit...**www.cps-ecp.ca**.