



MAR, Inc. Selected as Contractor for the Operation and Maintenance of OHMSETT

Rockville, MD —MAR Incorporated has been awarded a contract by the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement (BSEE) for the maintenance and operation of Ohmsett – the National Oil Spill Response Research & Renewable Energy Test Facility in Leonardo, NJ. The contract has a base year and four option years.

MAR has provided Operations and Maintenance for the Ohmsett facility since 1991, assisting in facilitating research and testing projects and training programs, in addition to conducting facility repairs and upgrades. MAR is a professional services firm based in Rockville, MD specializing in Systems Engineering and Integration, Intelligence and Special Programs, Facilities Management, Marine Services, and Cyber Security/Information Technology.

“We are thrilled to be able to continue providing quality support to BSEE and the premier oil spill response testing facility in the world,” said MAR Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Mike Norcio. “Our strong desire is to provide exceptional customer service to BSEE and those who use the Ohmsett facility for research, testing, and training.”

Ohmsett, The National Oil Spill Response Test Facility is located in Leonardo, New Jersey. Ohmsett is the only facility in the world where full-scale oil spill response testing, research and training can be conducted with oil in a realistic simulated marine environment under controlled conditions. With growing emphasis on the development of renewable energy sources, Ohmsett’s mission has been expanded to provide a research and testing venue for marine renewable devices and systems. The facility consists of a large test basin measuring 667 feet long by 65 feet wide by 8 feet deep filled with 2.6 million gallons of crystal clear salt water, conference rooms, maintenance/machine shop, chemistry laboratory, and offices.

Under the new contract, MAR will continue to provide the support to BSEE in providing a testing facility that strengthens awareness of oil spill prevention and response methods, and ongoing developments in marine renewable energy, while also providing an environmentally-safe venue to conduct objective testing.