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**Marine Electronics Specialists Shortlisted for Two UK Export Excellence Awards**

* *Multi-award winning NMEA specialists, Actisense, has been shortlisted for two awards at the national finals of the UK Export Excellence Awards 2017.*

Actisense has been shortlisted in the finals of the UK Export Excellence Awards which celebrate exporters of all sizes, in all industries, from across the UK. A momentous achievement, Actisense have been shortlisted in both the Export Excellence in Europe and Export Excellence in the Americas categories.

Chief Executive Officer, Phil Whitehurst said:

“By combining an excellent level of service with sophisticated marine electronic equipment we have successfully broken into new markets around the world. To have now reached the finals of not one but two categories at the national UK Export Excellence Awards is a huge achievement for our company. I look forward to joining the export industry elite at the prestigious London ceremony.’’

Founded by CEO Phil Whitehurst in 1991, Actisense has established an enviable world-wide reputation within the specialist field of marine electronics. Serving both the leisure and commercial marine markets, the Export Excellence Awards represents Actisense’s phenomenal growth as a global distributor. From small beginnings, Actisense has established an extensive network of over 70 distributors in 40 countries, stretching as far afield as the US, New Zealand, Iceland, China and now all of mainland Europe.

Winners of the UK Export Excellence Awards will be announced in London on the 15th June.

The shortlisting follows a number of recent achievements for Actisense who are also finalists in the first ever Small Awards, ‘Home And Away’ Best exporting business category.

For more information on market-leading marine electronics brand Actisense®, visit: [www.actisense.co.uk](http://www.actisense.co.uk)

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If you would like to find out more or would like to interview Phil Whitehurst, please contact Darren Northeast PR (working on behalf of Active Research Ltd) on 01202 676762 or [pr@darrennortheast.co.uk](mailto:pr@darrennortheast.co.uk).

**Editors Notes:**

*Actisense*, based in Poole, United Kingdom, was formed by Phil Whitehurst, a Chartered Electronics Engineer and established in 1997. Actisense has been creating intelligent marine electronic products that have seen them become recognised both nationally, and internationally, marketed in over 40 countries around the globe.