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## **APPLIED WEATHER TECHNOLOGY OPENS NEW OFFICE**

### ***New York Facility is Largest Weather Routing Operation on East Coast***



SUNNYVALE, Calif. – January 10, 2008 – Applied Weather Technology (AWT), a leading supplier of state-of-the-art weather routing services and software for ships on the high seas, today announced that the company has opened a new facility in Hopewell Junction, N.Y., one hour north of New York City.

The 2,000 square-foot building will house nine staff members, provide all weather routing services – including AWT’s BonVoyage onboard software suite – and act as a complete backup to the Sunnyvale, Calif. headquarters.

“AWT has enjoyed significant developments over the past year, and is expanding to accommodate this growth,” said David Callicott, senior vice president, AWT. “As the largest operation of its kind on the East Coast, our new office will complement and support our facilities on the West Coast to provide dependable and inclusive weather routing services for ships at sea.”

### **About AWT ([www.AppliedWeather.com](http://www.AppliedWeather.com))**

Incorporated in 1994, AWT is a world leader in marine weather forecasting and routing services for ship operators and masters. The company is based in Sunnyvale, Calif., and maintains regional centers on the East and West Coasts of North America, as well as Korea, Hong Kong, the United Kingdom and Germany. Staffed with experts in forecasting, forensic meteorology, oceanography, computing science, naval architecture and shipping operations, AWT provides reliable, authoritative and comprehensive forecasts of weather, winds, waves and currents, permitting ships to avoid potentially damaging weather conditions, optimize fuel performance and maintain schedules. The company also provides comprehensive post-voyage reports and expert services for resolution of charter party disputes or arbitrations. AWT’s BonVoyage interactive onboard weather routing software suite is currently used on more than 2,000 ships worldwide.

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