Updating the Satellite Configuration Files in a TracPhone® V-series Modem

These instructions explain how to upload new satellite configuration files to the TracPhone V-series modem.

Equipment Requirements

To complete this procedure, you will need the following equipment:

- Windows[®]-based laptop PC with the latest configuration files (SED & SSCF) downloaded from the KVH Partner Portal
- Straight-through Ethernet cable

TracPhone System Variants

Your connection to the modem differs depending upon which of the following components is installed as part of the TracPhone system:

CommBox-ACU



Control Unit



Update Instructions

a. If the system is equipped with a CommBox-ACU: Connect your laptop PC to the vessel's network, or connect directly to an available "User Ethernet" port on the back of the CommBox-ACU.

If the system is equipped with a Control Unit: Connect your laptop PC to the "User ENet" port on the back of the modem, either directly or via the switch.

b. Turn on the TracPhone system (both modem and CommBox-ACU/Control Unit). Wait five minutes for system startup, at least until the CommBox-ACU/ Control Unit display indicates "Searching." c. If the system is equipped with a CommBox-ACU: Open your web browser and enter http://minivsat to bring up the CommBox-ACU's web interface. Then, on the Support tab, click the "Modem Web Page" link to access the modem's web interface.

If the system is equipped with a Control Unit: Open your web browser and enter http://192.168.0.1 to access the modem's web interface.

d. Click the **Configuration** tab.

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		Ge	neral Status	
General Forward Link	LOGIN			
Return Link ACU / Antenna	Terminal ID	4.217		
 Tx Disable Stats 	Login State	Logged In	State	Transmit Enabled
Network	Login State Time	0d:6h:31m:15s	Last Login	Wed Apr 7 05:29:40 2010 GMT
	Terminal Uptime	0d:6h:39m:30s	Attempted Logins	0
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e. Click the **Satellite** link.

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f. At the User Login page, enter the following user name and password, then click **Login**:

User: admin

Password: arclight

User Login		
User: Password:		
Login		

g. At the Satellite Configuration page, click **Browse** next to "SED file".

Sa	tellite Configu	uration
SATELLITE CONFIGURATION FILES (SED/SSCF)		
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SED file: SSCF file:		Browse_ Browse_
	Upload	
Reverting will return control of the SED and SSCF files to the Satellite Ground Station. After reverting and rebooting, the Satellite Ground Station will upload the latest versions of these files.		
	Revert	

h. Locate and select the new SED (**sed.csv.agt**) file on your computer.

i. Click Browse next to "SSCF file".

Satellite Configuration		
SATELLITE CONFIGURATION FILES (SED/SSCF)		
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Reverting will return control of the SED and SSCF files to the Satellite Ground Station. After reverting and rebooting, the Satellite Ground Station will upload the latest versions of these files.		

- **j.** Locate and select the new SSCF (**sscf.csv.agt**) file on your computer.
- k. Click Upload.

Satellite Configuration		
SATELLITE CONFIGURATION FILES (SED/SSCF)		
Current SSCF version: 1.81.2 Current SED version: 1.32.5		
SED file: C:\Users\mnelson\Desk Browse_ SSCF file: C:\Users\mnelson\Desk Browse_ Upload		
Reverting will return control of the SED and SSCF files to the Satellite Ground Station. After reverting and rebooting, the Satellite Ground Station will upload the latest versions of these files.		
Revert		

1. Click **Save files**.

SATELLITE CONFIGURATION FILES (SED/SSCF)		
Current SSCF version: 1.81.2 Current SED version: 1.32.5 New SSCF version: 1.82.2 New SED version: 1.32.5		
OR, upload again		
SED file: Browse_ SSCF file: Browse_		
Reverting will return control of the SED and SSCF files to the Satellite Ground Station. After reverting and rebooting, the Satellite Ground Station will upload the latest versions of these files.		

m. When the "Files saved" message appears, click **Revert** to enable future automatic updates via satellite.

Sa	tellite Configur	ration
SATELLITE CONFIGURATION FILES (SED/SSCF)		
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Files saved.		
	Reboot	
SED file: SSCF file:		Browse_ Browse_
	Upload	
Reverting will return control of the SED and SSCF files to the Satellite Ground Station. After reverting and rebooting, the Satellite Ground Station will upload the latest versions of these files.		

n. When the "Revert complete" message appears, click **Reboot** to restart the modem. It will now use the new configuration files.

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Reverting will return control of the SED and SSCF files to the Satellite Ground Station. After reverting and rebooting, the Satellite Ground Station will upload the latest versions of these files.		
Revert complete.		
Reboot		

o. Repeat Steps d-f to bring up the Satellite Configuration page.

Satellite Configuration		
SATELLITE CONFIGURATION FILES (SED/SSCF)		
Cui	rrent SSCF version: 1.82.2 rrent SED version: 1.32.5	
SED file:	Browse_	
SSCF file:	Browse_	
	Upload	
Reverting will return control of the SED and SSCF files to the Satellite Ground Station. After reverting and rebooting, the Satellite Ground Station will upload the latest versions of these files.		
Revert		

p. Verify that the page shows the new SSCF and SED versions are currently loaded in the modem.

The procedure is complete!