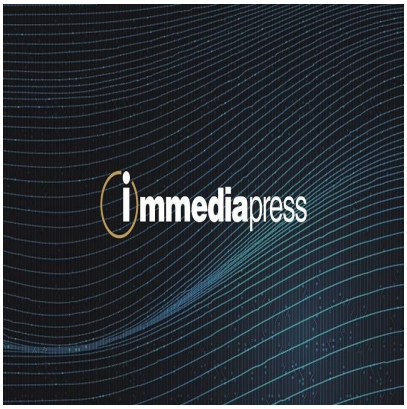


OCIANAÂ® Completes Key Validation Phase for Collaborative Port Call Optimization

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MONTREAL, Nov. 3, 2026 /PRNewswire/ â?? OCIANAÂ® today announced the successful completion of a key phase of Operational Validation Testing (OVT) for its unified digital platform, which enables real-time collaboration and aims to improve global supply chain efficiency while reducing vessel emissions and fuel use. OVT continues with project partners, at a pace set by each partnerâ??s operational priorities, as development of the platform progresses.

Testing of OCIANAÂ® to date has shown that ship operators and portsâ?? stakeholders can work on a single system, exchanging data in real time and coordinating through a transparent, auditable process in place of fragmented email, phone, and spreadsheet exchanges. As development continues, this work lays the foundation for Just-in-Time (JIT) arrivals and more sustainable shipping.

â??In partnership with Canadaâ??s Ocean Superclusterâ??s Core Technology Leadership Program, OCIANAÂ® has demonstrated a platform for real-time exchange of information among a portâ??s many stakeholders,â?• says Richard Kolacz, CEO at OCIANAÂ®. â??This validation is an important step toward giving carriers and portsâ?? stakeholders a single platform that integrates with their existing systems. We will continue developing it with our partners, guided by their operational feedback, towards Just-in-Time arrivals and reduced fuel consumption and vessel emissions.â?•

The project brought together OCIANAÂ® technology experts with Canada Steamship Lines (CSL), the Montreal Port Authority, the St. Lawrence Pilotage Authority, and Clear Seas to develop core scheduling capabilities.

Building on capabilities proven in day-to-day operations, OCIANAÂ® Ports gives portsâ?? stakeholders a centralized command center for berth scheduling: Booking Requests, Pre Arrival Notifications, and Change Requests all land in one place for faster, more confident decisions. Configurable alerts and live dashboards flag ETA variances and rescheduled vesselsâ?? activities before they become problems.

OCIANAÂ® Ships, now being shaped with carrier feedback, gives carriers one workflow for every scheduling action: Initial Requests and Change Requests are submitted through the same guided forms, cutting training time and errors. Real-time status tracking and automated alerts replace manual phone and email follow-up. Next steps include a ship-centric interface for masters and further development of the JIT tool, ahead of onboard testing.

For the wider port community, OVT has shown that a portâ??s other stakeholders can work on the same system as ports and carriers, with vessel and request information exchanged in real time. Designed to grow with the port community, the platform will continue to evolve through operational validation and feedback, supporting each stakeholderâ??s operational needs and integrating with their existing systems as they come on board.

Beyond the role-specific gains, OCIANAÂ® delivers value that compounds across the entire port community:

About OCIANAÂ®

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OCIANAÂ® is a global maritime intelligence provider, helping organizations move from awareness to action. For defence and security missions, OCIANAÂ® helps teams identify the behaviours that need investigation, detect threats earlier, interpret intent faster, and act with confidence. For maritime supply chain organizations, OCIANAÂ® powers smarter voyage and resource planning, reducing fuel consumption, easing port congestion, and streamlining vessel turnarounds. OCIANAÂ® operates as the commercial brand of Global Spatial Technology Solutions Inc.

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Quotes:

â??There are real benefits when everyone involved in a port call can work from the same information. By contributing CSLâ??s operational expertise to OCIANA, we helped advance Just-in-Time arrival capabilities that can reduce unnecessary delays, lower fuel consumption and emissions, and improve the efficiency of port calls.â?• Pascal Larin, CSLâ??s Vice-President of Digital Solutions

â??The Montreal Port Authority is a key hub for international trade, contributing to Canadaâ??s economic development and prosperity. We are proud to have contributed to the development of a collaborative digital platform designed to benefit the entire maritime community. This platform will strengthen our ability to grow, adapt to an evolving environment, and successfully deliver on our mission.â?• Jean-Francois Belzile, Senior Director, strategic projects, marine operations, Montreal Port Authority

â??Better coordination of vessel arrivals can reduce unnecessary waiting and anchoring, giving communities greater assurance that marine traffic is being managed efficiently, transparently, and with fewer environmental and community impacts.â?• Paul Blomerus, Chief Executive Officer, Clear Seas

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