

Brimrún Iceland Company, the Furuno dealer, implemented UserGate in the ships' network system



The challenge

- To connect several ships and provide them with a stable Internet connection
- Centralized monitoring
- IP telephony service

The solution

UserGate Proxy & Firewall was selected to manage the employees' Internet usage on all ships and to supply efficient vessel-to-land and vessel-to-vessel IP telephony communication.

"UserGate is allowing us to help our customer provide the ships' crews with suitable Internet access and granting the team access to the Internet at acceptable rates.

The most positive impact was the ability to add funds to users and allowing them to use their funds in a certain period of time."

Jens Jónsson, Repair and installation specialist.

Brimrún Iceland had the goal of assisting the four-ship team (with 30 people on each vessel) connected via satellite.

One issue facing Brimrún was providing up-to-date Internet technology with IP telephony support.

The ships' management systems also needed to be improved to allow monitoring of the vessels' workers.

Brimrún Iceland, as Entensys' Partner, found UserGate to be an excellent fit for those purposes.

After UserGate implementation, it became easy to adjust the rules to meter data downloading and to restrict access for users that have exceeded fixed limits. Additionally, the product allowed the use of SIP phones.