

SmartPTT PLUS

Dispatcher User Guide

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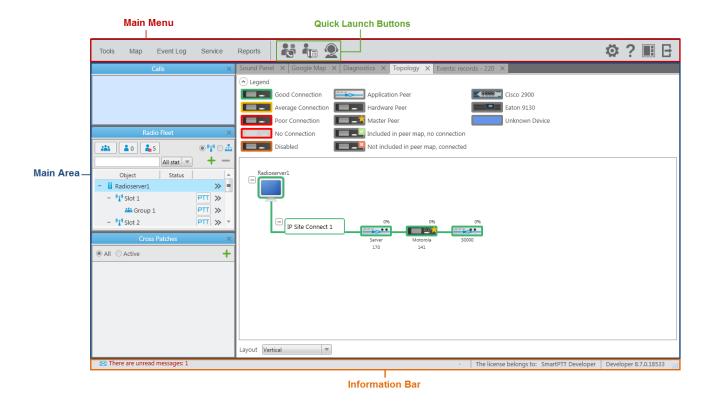
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1 SmartPTT Dispatcher

1.1 SmartPTT Dispatcher Interface



SmartPTT Dispatcher interface can be divided into the following sections:

- 1. Main Menu which also contains Quick Launch Buttons.
- 2. Main Area
- 3. Information Bar

Main Menu

The **Main Menu** bar contains options and commands which allow you to carry out the majority of the functions available in the application.

Quick Launch Buttons provide you a quick access to some functionality of the application. Currently, there are 3 such buttons.



The Conference Call button opens the Conference Call window where you can hold conference calls.

For more information about this function see Conference Calls.

The **Telephone Subscribers** button opens the **Telephone Subscribers** window which allows you to make calls to <u>telephone subscribers</u> from SmartPTT Dispatcher.

The **Dispatchers** button opens the **Dispatchers** window which allows you to make calls to <u>external</u> <u>dispatchers</u> from SmartPTT Dispatcher.

There are also other menu items represented by an icon:

The **Settings** button opens the **Settings** menu which allows you to configure system parameters, create special rules, which will help you manage workers, connect external third-party devices and so on.

The **Help** button opens the **Help** menu where you can read the help file, learn about the application or check for updates.

The **UI Layout Settings** button is very useful as it allows the dispatcher to remember the layout of the **Main Area** (the position of opened windows and panels). Thus, next time the dispatcher opens the application, he or she won't need to open the windows all over again. The dispatcher can simply click the this button and select the layout he or she used earlier. For more information see <u>User Interface Layout</u>.

The **Change Operator** button allows you to change the operator. At clicking on this button the dispatch console is restarted, and you can select another operator in the **Authorization** window.

Main Area

The **Main Area** is a central area of the application window and is used for opening functional windows and panels when operating in the application.

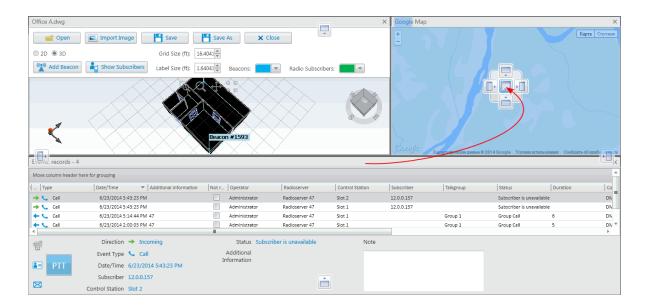
Information Bar



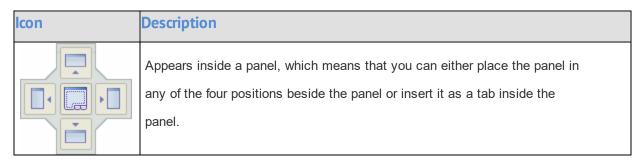
The **Information Bar** was designed to give the user information about the number of unread messages, the selected subscriber, the owner of the license and the application version. Here you can also see a special icon which notifies about the approaching license expiration date.

1.1.1 Change Layout

There is an ability to adjust the layout of the opened panels in the **Main Area**. In order to do that, click on the tab of the opened panel, drag it to the location where you would like to place it and release. As soon as you start dragging the panel, new icons appear on the screen. The icons represent a new location of the panel on the screen.



The table displays description of the icons.



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	The four standalone icons can be used to place the panel in any position of the Main area outside any other panel.

1.2 Map

SmartPTT supports different maps, like Google Map, Open Street Map, vector maps of various formats, raster maps, polish format maps. Together with many useful tools like showing and animating a track, defining points of interest, maps provide the dispatcher with a better control over radio subscribers. You can open **Call Window** by double-clicking on the radio subscriber displayed on the map, or open **Action List** by clicking with the right mouse button.

Polish Format Maps

To open a polish format map, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Map** (**Polish format**). In the opened window select the map file in a MP format.

Google Map

To open the Google Map, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Google Map**.

Raster Map

To open a raster map, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Raster** map > Open map. In the opened window select the file in a MAP format.

To create a map based on a map image, see the Raster Map section.

INGIT Map

To work with INGIT vector maps in SmartPTT Dispatcher, the GWX ActiveX Control application (version 6.1), the registration key (HASP) and INGIT vector maps are required.

Note: The GWX ActiveX Control software is designed to build INGIT vector maps into independent applications as a unit, which provides mapping service as a part of these applications. GWX ActiveX Control is purchased once

and then allows you to use various INGIT vector maps. Each map must be purchased separately. See the purchase conditions on the INGIT company website (http://www.ingit.ru).

GWX ActiveX Control Installation

To install GWX ActiveX Control:

- 1. Insert the disk with maps into your CD or DVD drive and insert your HASP into the USB.
- 2. Click Proceed with the installation of GWX Active-X Control.
- 3. Click Install GWX-6.1 ActiveX Control.

Read carefully and accept License Agreement.

- 4. Follow instruction of Setup Wizard:
 - Upgrade your HASP driver if Setup Wizard asks you.
 - If manual installation is required, download the latest HASP driver installer from the <u>supplier</u> site and follow the instructions provided.
 - Select the maps you want to add. Make sure that GWX-6.1 ActiveX Control is also selected.
- 5. After the installation run Register GWX ActiveX Control.

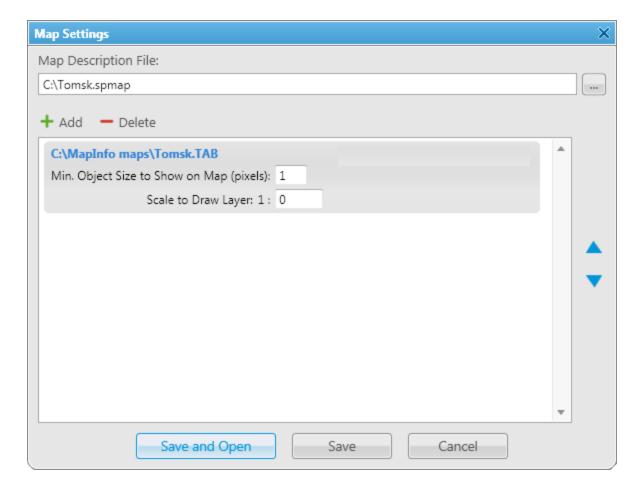
When GWX ActiveX Control is installed and the software components are registered, it is possible to work with the maps, allowed by licenses embedded in HASP. HASP must be plugged into the USB of your PC.

To open an INGIT map, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **INGIT Map**. In the opened window select the map file in a CHART format.

Note: If the map failed to load, restart Register GWX ActiveX Control.

MapInfo Map

To set a MapInfo map for SmartPTT Dispatcher, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and click **MapInfo Map > Map Settings**. In the **Map Settings** window click **Add** and in the opened window select a map layer – a file in a TAB format. You can add multiple TAB-files and determine the drawing order of the layers using the arrows on the right. To delete a layer, select the TAB-file and click **Delete**.



Min. Object Size to Show on Map (pixels) – minimum size of the object displayed on the map in pixels.

Affects the detail level of the displayed map.

Scale to Draw Layer: 1: – scale factor for a layer. The layer objects will not appear on the map when you are zoomed in or out beyond the specified scale.

In the **Map Description File** field specify the path to the map file. Click **Save** when you are finished. The file will be saved in a SPMAP format. To open the map right after you saved it, click **Save and Open**.

To open a MapInfo map, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and click **MapInfo Map > Open Map**. In the opened window select the file in a SPMAP or TTKGP format. You can create a map in the TTKGP format using the TatukGIS Viewer free version (http://www.tatukgis.com/Products/EditorViewer/Editions/Viewer.aspx).

Open Street Map

To open the online Open Street Map, expand the Map menu in the Main Menu bar and click Open Street map > Open Online Map.

To open the offline Open Street Map, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and click **Open Street Map > Open Map from File**. In the opened window select a map file in an OSM or TILESURL format.

To open the Open Street Map from local server, expand the Map menu in the Main Menu bar and click Open Street Map > Settings. In the Data Source for OpenStreetMap Online field specify the path to the local server. If you want to get back to the default address, clear Data Source for OpenStreetMap Online and click OK.



MapPoint Map

To work with MapPoint maps in SmartPTT Dispatcher, you must first install Microsoft MapPoint on this PC. Europe or North America version depends on required target coverage area.

Note: All versions of Microsoft MapPoint show a simple outline map of the world when zoomed and scrolled outside of their target coverage area. National borders and a large number of cities are shown outside the target coverage area. For the target coverage area, road detail and internal subdivisions such as provinces, parishes, counties, states are shown.

To open a MapPoint map of Europe or North America, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **MapPoint Maps > MapPoint "Europe"** or **MapPoint "North America"**.

To open a MapPoint map file created in Microsoft MapPoint earlier, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **MapPoint Maps > Open MapPoint Map File**. In the opened window select the map file in a PTM or PTT format.

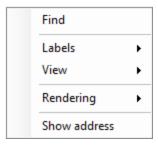
How to Use Maps

To move the map press and hold the left mouse button, and move where necessary. Or use arrow keys to move (this is applicable to the offline map).

To zoom in scroll the mouse wheel forward. To zoom out scroll the mouse wheel back. You can also use the keys "+" and "-" to zoom in and zoom out.

Majority of maps allow you to display the object address. To do this, right-click at any place on the map—the object address will be shown.

Certain types of maps may have the additional functions such as a context menu. Right-click on the map. At that, the context menu appears.

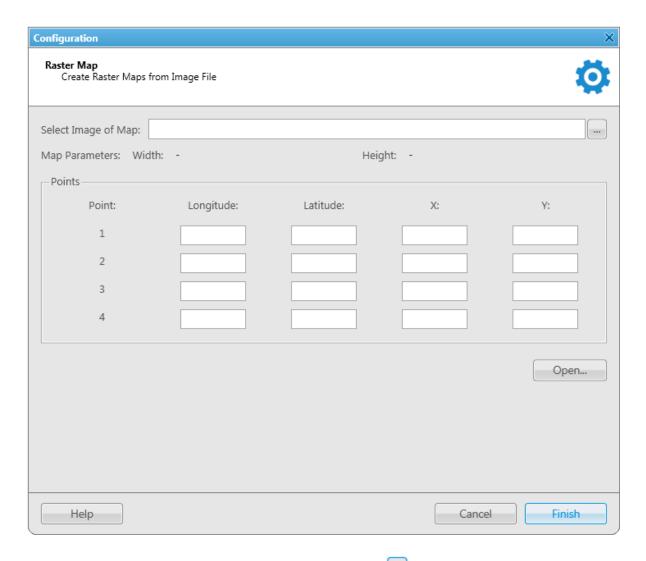


Using this menu you can:

- 1. Search on the map
- 2. Select elements to be labeled on the map.
- 3. Change the map's appearance.
- 4. Select the map's rendering type.
- 5. Display the object address at any place on the map, where the given menu is opened.

1.2.1 Raster Map

To set raster map settings, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Raster Map** > **New Map**. At that, the configuration window is displayed for creating geographic raster maps based on an image.



To create a map, select the map image using the browse button

On the selected map image mark reference points (crossroads, places of interest, etc.) with the help of Google Earth and calculate their coordinates. Coordinates are calculated in the following way:

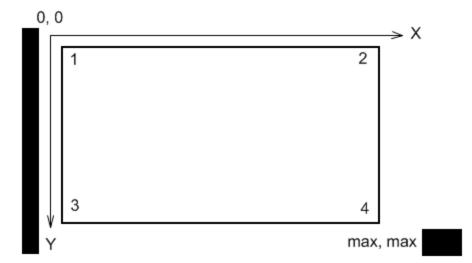
Longitude and Latitude = Degree + ((Minute * 60) + Second) / 3600 (this s a conversion from degrees, minutes and seconds into normal values), where X and Y are corresponding coordinates (in pixels) on the image.

The longitude corresponds to the horizontal coordinate (X) and the latitude corresponds to the vertical coordinate (Y). The longitude value can range from -180 degrees (the most distant longitude to the west from the Greenwich Meridian set to 0) to +180 degrees (the most distant longitude to the east from the Greenwich Meridian). In fact -180 degrees and +180 degrees are the same longitude. The latitude value can range from -90 degrees (the South Pole) to +90 degrees (the North Pole).

Longitude and Latitude coordinates, already converted into normal values and corresponding to the subscriber's current locations, are also shown in the subscriber's **Call Window**.

You need four points. Point selection criteria are:

- Point 1 is located as close as possible to the top left image corner.
- Point 2 is located as close as possible to the top right image corner.
- Point 3 is located as close as possible to the bottom left image corner.
- Point 4 is located as close as possible to the bottom right image corner.



After all coordinates are entered, click **Finish**. In the opened window set the raster map name and click **Save**. To edit or check object locations in the created raster map, click **Open**. Locate the raster map in the window which is displayed.

Note: The created raster map files and the image map file must be in the same folder.

1.2.2 Raster Maps From Database

SmartPTT Dispatcher allows you to work with large raster offline maps with a size of more than 5000x5000 pixels.

The functionality is used for displaying SmartPTT system objects located at a long distance from each other. This

is achieved by dividing the original raster image into pieces and storing them in the database.

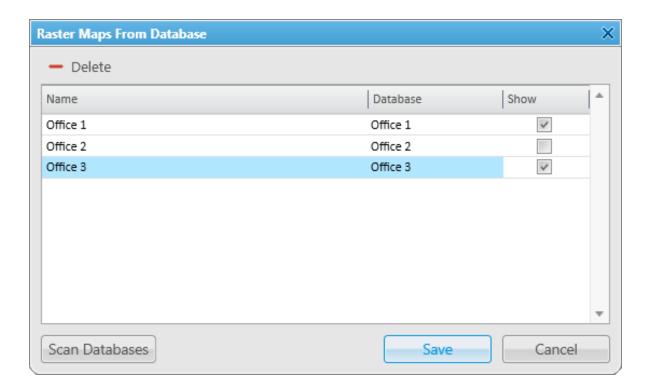
To create the database for the raster map, send your query to our <u>technical support service</u> and attach the raster map image in a JPEG format with the list of geographical positions on the map (e.g., in a TXT or MAP format). Geographical positions are necessary to anchor image points to the geographical coordinates. The list of geographical positions must contain four points at the corners of the map. In response to your request our technical support specialist will provide you the database backup of the map in a BAK format.

Note: If the attachment(s) size exceeds the limit of 50 MB, split the file to several small files using the archiver or file manager, or upload it to the file hosting service. In the latter case include a link to the file in your query message.

Then restore the database from the received backup. For more information see <u>How to restore from SmartPTT</u> Dispatcher <u>database backup</u>.

After the database is restored, expand the Map menu in the Main Menu bar and click Raster Map From

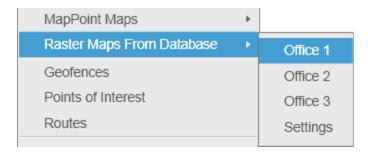
Database > Settings. Click Scan Databases in the opened window, and you will see a list of all available maps stored in the databases of the selected server (see <u>Database Settings</u>, the Database Server Name field).



Name – name of the map stored in the database. To change the name of the map, double-click on the name in the **Name** field and enter a new name.

Database – name of the database.

Show – if the check box is selected, the map is available in the **Map** menu. To open the map, expand the **Map** menu and select the required map under **Raster Maps From Database**.



To remove the map from the list, select the map and click **Delete**. To save your changes, click **Save**. If you want to undo the last changes, click **Cancel**.

1.2.3 Indoor Tracking

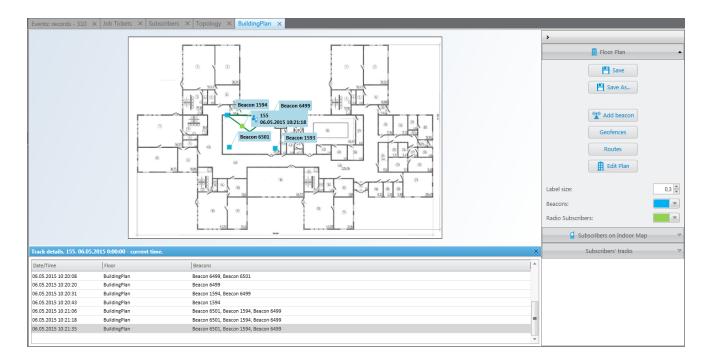
Big organizations with huge premises require constant control over their employees' displacement inside buildings. For this purpose Indoor Tracking system was implemented. Indoor Tracking system allows getting data from special beacons and transmitting it to SmartPTT Dispatcher or any other client application using API.

Contact our technical support (http://support.smartptt.com/hc/en-us) for SmartPTT Client API documentation.

Currently, SmartPTT system supports the following technologies and products:

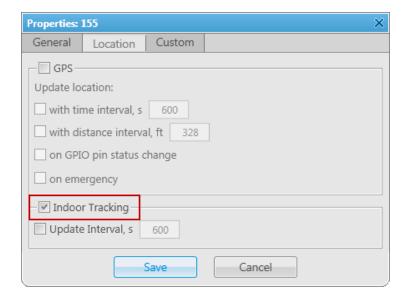
- iBeacon technology: with the use of MOTOTRBO radios with the firmware version 2.6 and above and the beacons that support iBeacon technology,
- Blufi option boards (RF800) with special beacons (Connect-RTLS RF800), and

• Kilchherr option boards (K-TERM 44) with special beacons (K-TERM 70IC Beacon Transmitter).



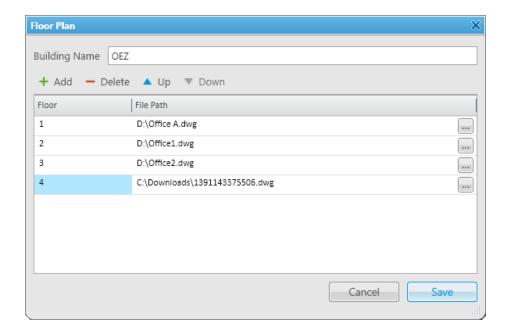
Note: The Indoor Tracking feature is available only for MOTOTRBO radios with the firmware version 2.6 and above or for radios with special option boards (see above). Also, it is necessary to configure special settings in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator and SmartPTT Dispatcher. The required settings for SmartPTT Radioserver are described in the **Indoor Tracking** section of the SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator help file.

To enable Indoor support for a radio subscriber in SmartPTT Dispatcher, open the <u>Properties</u> window of the radio subscriber and in the **Location** tab select **Indoor Tracking**.



Note: If you use *Motorola* source (iBeacon technology), the **Update Interval** field must be selected and specified together with the **Indoor Tracking** field for enabling Indoor support for a radio subscriber.

To create a building plan, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Indoor Tracking** > **New**. In the **Floor Plan** window you can create a plan of the building floor or of a multistorey building.



Building Name: A name of the building plan.

To add a floor of a building, click the **Add** button. To remove a floor of a building, select it from the list and click **Delete**. To change the floor order inside the building, use the **Up** and **Down** buttons.

Floor: A name or an ordinal number of a floor in a building. To change the name of the floor, click the old name in the **Floor** field and type a new value.

File Path: A path to the floor plan file. You can use a floor plan in a DWG format or a raster image. To attach a plan to the floor, click the button and select the required file.

Note: DWG (DraWinG) is a binary file format used for storing two and three dimensional design data and metadata. It is the native format for several CAD packages including nanoCAD, AutoCAD, IntelliCAD.

Save: You can save the floor or the building plan changes to a SPLANX (archive) format.

To open a building plan, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Indoor Tracking > Open**. To control more than one building at the same time in SmartPTT Dispatcher, you can open several **Indoor Tracking** panels.

Building Floor Plan

Save: You can save the building plan changes to a SPLANX file.

Save As: You can save a copy of the building plan with another name.

View Mode (2D or 3D): A mapping of the building plan in a two- or three-dimensional form. This feature is available only for floor plans in a DWG format.

Add Beacon: You can add a beacon to the building plan. For that, in the Beacon Settings window specify the beacon number and name in the corresponding fields and click **OK**. At that, the beacon icon appears instead of the mouse cursor. Place it on the map where the beacon is located and left click. If you use *Motorola* source, specify the number of the beacon in the Beacon Number field in the *Major.Minor* format, where the *Major* value is separated from the *Minor* value by a dot. *Major* stands for the group number of the beacons and *Minor* stands for the individual number of the beacon in the group. If you use the *BluFi* or *Kilchherr* source, specify the Beacon IDs in the Beacon Number field. If the beacon name is not specified in the Beacon Name field, the value from the Beacon Number field will be shown as a beacon name on the building plan. To remove the beacon from the plan, double-click on the beacon and in the opened window click Delete.

Geofences: Allows you to unite the existing beacons to control the radio subscriber's moving about the building. These geofences are used in Indoor positioning rules.

Routes: Allows you to create routes for radio subscribers. These routes are used in Indoor positioning rules.

Edit Plan: Opens the **Floor Plan** window that allows you to change the floor name, the floor order inside the building, or the floor plan file.

Grid Size: The grid size of the building plan. For building plans based on raster images, the **Grid Size** option is not available.

Label Size: The size of the radio subscriber and beacon labels displayed on the building plan.

Beacons: Select a color for a beacon label.

Radio Subscribers: Select a color for a radio subscriber label.

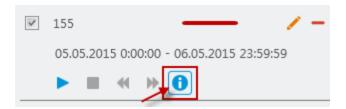
Subscribers on Indoor Map: A list of radio subscribers who support the <u>Indoor Tracking</u> feature. Select the check box, to display the radio subscriber's label on the building plan.

Subscribers' tracks: Here you can record tracks of radio subscribers and watch them in real time, or check old records. To watch the radio subscriber move about the building, click **Add Track**. In the opened window specify the following parameters:

- Subscriber: The name or radio ID of the radio subscriber.
- **Source:** The radioserver whose data will be used for building a track. If the drop-down list is empty, check that Event log is created and activated in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.
- Color: The color of the future subscriber's track.

- Start Date: Start time and date of the track record.
- End Date: End time and date of the track record. To watch the radio subscriber moving in real time, select Update in real time.

Show All: Shows tracks of all the radio subscribers from the Subscribers on Indoor Map list. You can see details of each track. To open Track details, click



Clear All: Removes all the track records displayed at the moment.

The following buttons allow user to control the way the building plan is displayed:

Button	Description
Q	Zooming up the marked area of the building plan. Click the button, then left-click on the building plan and mark the necessary area.
Q	Zooming up or zooming out the entire building plan. To zoom in, click the button and withholding the button pressed move the mouse pointer up. To zoom out – move the mouse pointer down. Also, use the wheel button to change the scale of the building plan.
क्	Moving the building plan. Click the button and withholding the button pressed relocate the plan.
8 2	Fits the scale of the building plan to the size of the Indoor Tracking Overview Map panel.

Available only for three-dimensional building plans. Allows changing the angle of the displayed building plan.

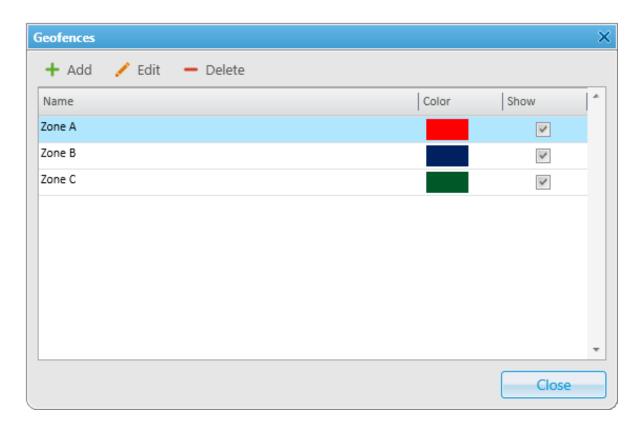
1.2.4 Geofences

Geofences help dispatchers to keep an eye on the radio subscribers. A dispatcher can define the area of the geofence on his or her own and attach <u>Positioning rules</u> to it.

You can add a geofence in two ways:

- 1. By drawing a geofence on the map. For more information see Geofences.
- 2. By specifying coordinates of the geofence. You will learn about it in this article.

To add a geofence by specifying its coordinates, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Geofences**. In the opened window you can add a new geofence or modify settings of the existing one – name, color, and whether it should be displayed on the map:



Name – the geofence name.

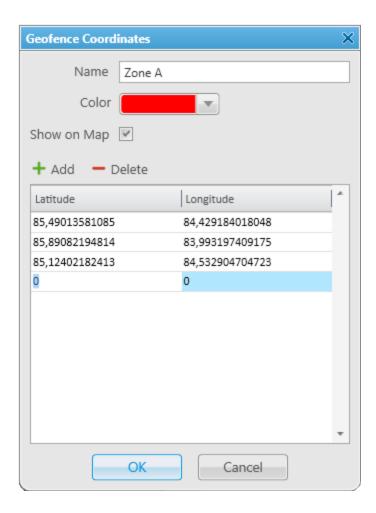
Color - the geofence color on the map.

Show – enables the option to display the geofence on the map.

Note: Whether the geofence is displayed on the map or not, the rules set for the geofence are enabled. To assign a rule to the geofence, go to <u>Positioning Rules</u>.

Add the zone-forming points of the new zone. To do that, click **Add** in the **Geofences** window. To edit the zone-forming points, select the zone and click **Edit** or double-click the required zone in the list.

In the **Geofence Coordinates** window type the name of a new zone, specify the color of a new zone and a pair of longitude and latitude values for a zone-forming point. To edit point coordinates, place the cursor into the required field and type new value. You can't create a zone with less than 3 longitude and latitude pairs. To delete the points, click **Delete**.



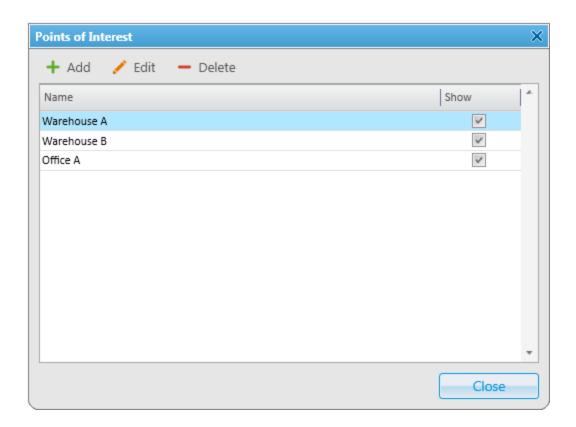
To delete a geofence from the list, select the geofence and click **Delete**.

1.2.5 Points of Interest

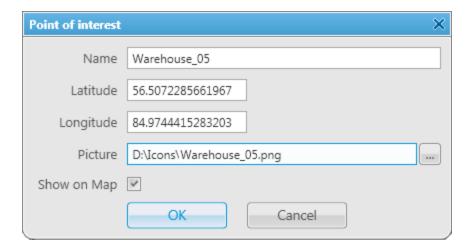
Points of interest (POI) identify location of special interest which are shown on the map and can be quickly found in SmartPTT Dispatcher. A point of interest consists of the point name, location coordinates and the picture.

To add a point of interest, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Points** of Interest.

The **Points of Interest** window allows you to change the name of the existing point of interest and whether it should be displayed on the map. To modify the existing point of interest, select it and click **Edit** or double-click the required point of interest in the list. To delete the point of interest, select it and click **Delete**.



To add a new point of interest, click **Add**.



Name – name of the point of interest.

Latitude – latitude coordinate of the point of interest.

Longitude – longitude coordinate of the point of interest.

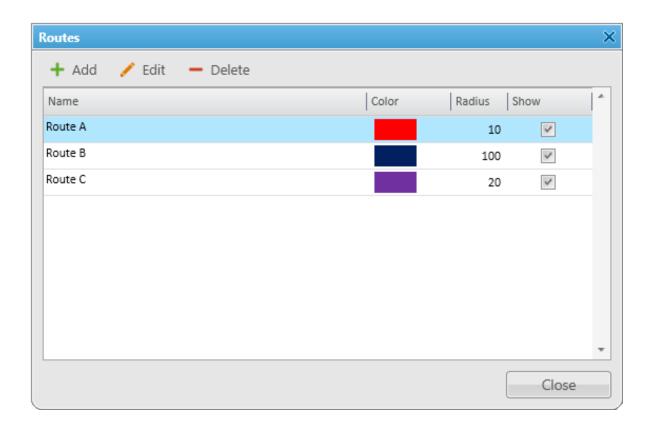
Picture – the image which represents the point of interest on the map. Maximum image size of the point of interest is 64×64 pixels. Images of the bigger size are be automatically cropped to 64×64.

Show on Map – enables the option to display the point of interest on the map.

You can also create a point of interest from the **Tools** menu. For more information see <u>Points of Interest</u> panel.

1.2.6 Routes

The route is a polyline connecting key points of the network coverage area. Subscriber location near the key points is identified by the specified radius of the route and can be summarized in the <u>Subscriber Location Report</u>. To specify the route parameters (Color, Radius, Coordinates), expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Routes**. In the opened window you can add a new route or modify settings of the existing one.



Name – the route name.

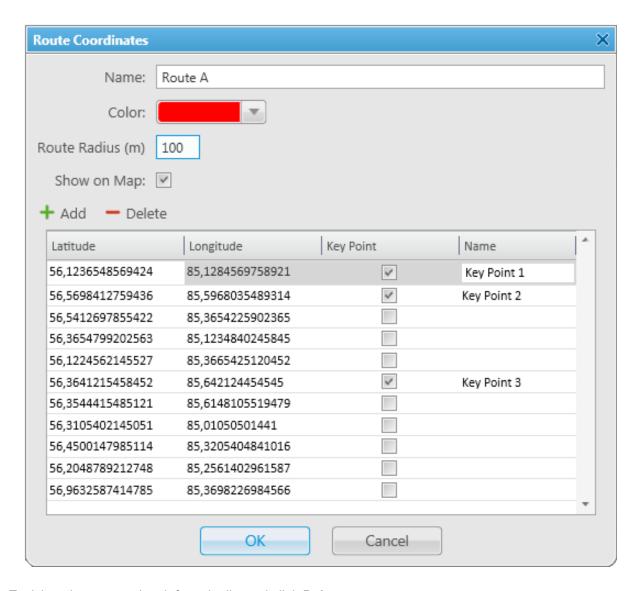
Color – the route color on the map.

Radius – the allowed deviation from the route.

Show – enables the option to display the route on the map.

To add a new route, click **Add**. To modify route settings, select a route from the list and click **Edit** or double-click the required route in the list.

In the **Route Coordinates** window specify the route name, the route line color, the acceptable deviation from the route for the radio subscriber, coordinates of the route points and its properties. **Key Point** is used for singling out particular places of the track on the map. You can give a name to each key point to be displayed on the map. The key points are represented by small white squares on the map. Select **Show on Map** to display the route on the map.



To delete the route, select it from the list and click **Delete**.

The route example:



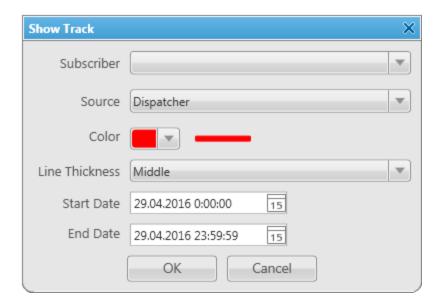
You can also create a route from the **Tools** menu. For more information see <u>Routes</u> panel.

1.2.7 Show Track

GPS tracking is very helpful for seeing real-time positions of the radio subscribers you are tracking. In addition, the **Show Track** feature allows the dispatcher to see where a radio subscriber was during a particular time period.

Note: By default, GPS coordinates are not saved in the database. If you want to save GPS coordinates, open the **Positioning Systems** window in the **Settings** menu and select **Save GPS Locations in Database**.

To specify draw parameters of the track, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Show track**. The **Show Track** window opens.



Subscriber – defines subscriber whose track is to be displayed.

Source – defines the source, which database will be used for drawing the track. If *Dispatcher* is selected, the data is taken from the local database. Apart from *Dispatcher*, any available radioserver can be chosen as a data source. In that case all data is taken from the database of the chosen radioserver.

Color – the track color on the map.

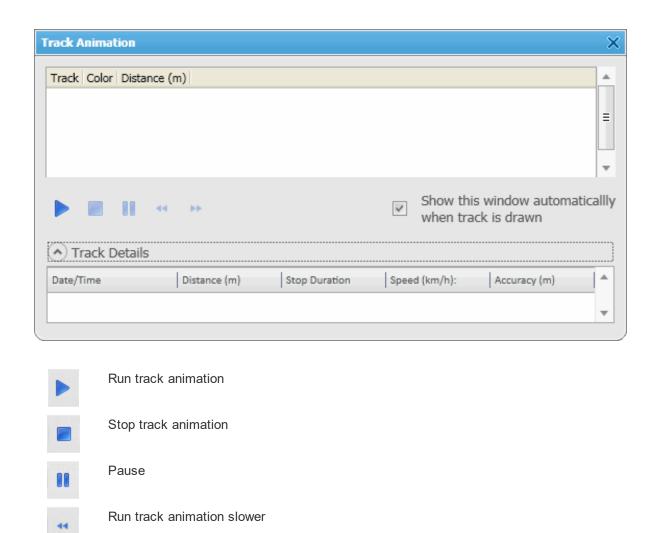
Line Thickness – thickness of the track line on the map.

Start Date, End Date – the time frame of the track.

1.2.8 Animate Track

To animate displayed tracks, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Animate Track**.

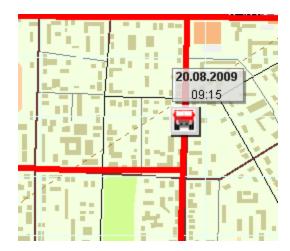
The **Track Animation** window opens.



During track animation you can slow it down or make it faster. The system remembers the last track animation speed and uses it during next track animation.

Run track animation faster

Here is an image of a sample track on the map.



To clear the tracks shown on the current map, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Clear Shown Tracks**.

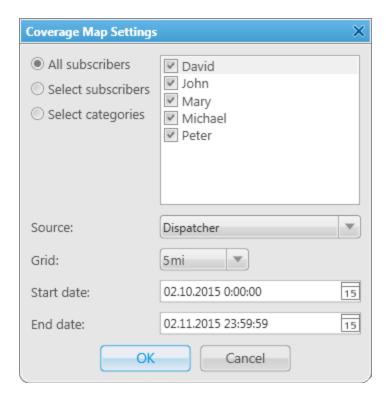
To clear the shown tracks on all maps, expand the **Map** menu in the **Main Menu** of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Clear Shown Tracks on All Maps**.

1.2.9 Coverage Map

Coverage maps give you information about signal strength (RSSI) of a particular radio in a particular place. To build a coverage map for a radio subscriber, make sure that he has GPS enabled, and there is GPS data in the database.

Warning! SmartPTT 9.0 supports the "Coverage Map" function in systems with MOTOTRBO Network Interface Service 2.60 or earlier. Support for newer MOTOTRBO Network Interface Service versions is implemented in SmartPTT 9.1.

To build a coverage map, click Map > Coverage map > Show.



All subscribers: Select this option to build a coverage map for all the subscribers on the list.

Select subscribers: Select this option to build a coverage map for the selected subscribers only.

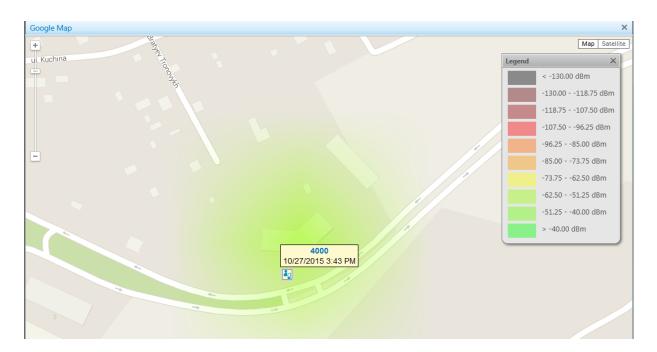
Select categories: Select this option to build a coverage map for all the subscribers of the selected category.

Source: Defines the source, whose database will be used for drawing the track. If *Dispatcher* is selected, the data is taken from the local database. If a radioserver is selected, the data is taken from the database of the chosen radioserver.

Grid: Defines a radius for checking signal strength. The system of units selected in **Settings > Positioning** systems > System of Units will be applied to this field.

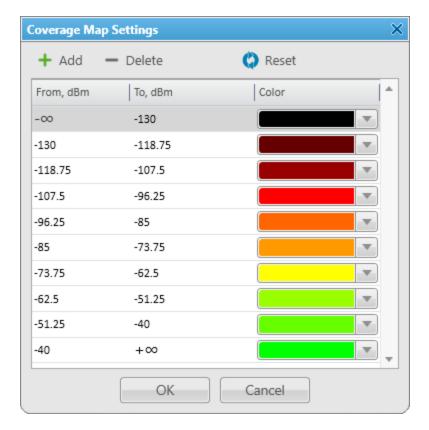
Start date / End date: Defines over which period the data will be used for the map.

The example of the coverage map:



The **Coverage Map Settings** window identifies the colors used for different RSSI ranges in the coverage map.

You can adjust the legend on your own, change colors for different RSSI ranges, add and delete RSSI ranges. To do it, click **Map > Coverage map > RSSI ranges**.



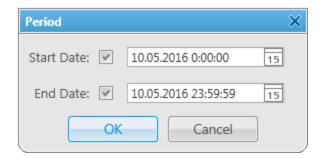
To clean the map, select **Map > Coverage map > Hide**.

1.3 Event Log

The **Event Log** allows you to see what is going on in the system. The event log displays status and event messages from SmartPTT system, and other useful information.

To open the event log, click **Event Log** in the **Main Menu** bar and then **All Events**. To tune **Event Log** settings, see **Event Log**.

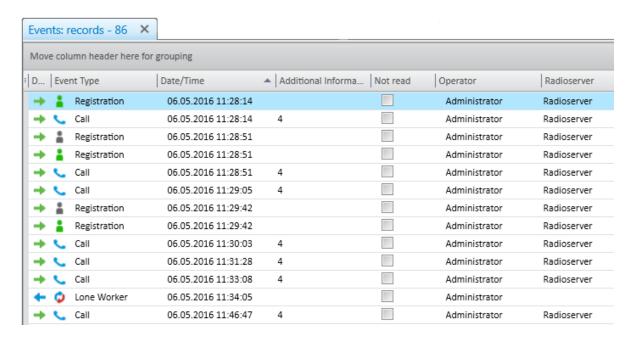
You can limit the number of displayed data by setting a period of time. To do this, click **Events for Period** in the **Events** menu. The **Period** dialog is displayed. Specify start and end date for entries displayed in the log.



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To display only not read messages in the log, select Unread Messages.

The system event log appears as follows.



Alerts and event initiated in the emergency mode colored red in Event Log.

The event log of SmartPTT Dispatcher contains the following columns:

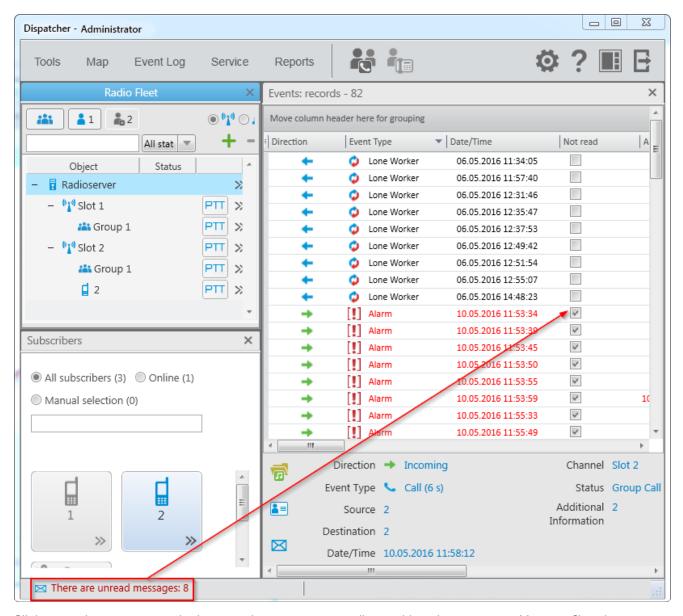
√ Event Type √ Date/Time √ Not read √ Additional Information √ Operator √ Radioserver √ Channel √ Subscriber √ Source √ Talkgroup √ Status √ Duration √ Connection Type √ Repeater IP √ Destination √ Record √ Lone Worker Note

By default, all the columns are displayed in the log. To hide or show columns in the log, right-click on the menu with column names and select the necessary columns.

t is incoming or outgoing. You can tell the direction by the	
ands for the incoming event, and the blue one—for the outgoing	
vent. It can be a call, registration, a block command, a	
tatus, an alarm, a telemetry command, a job ticket, enabling or	
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cludes: text messages, titles and description of tasks, initiators	
o calls, and other.	
Shows the operator of the dispatch console who participated in the event.	
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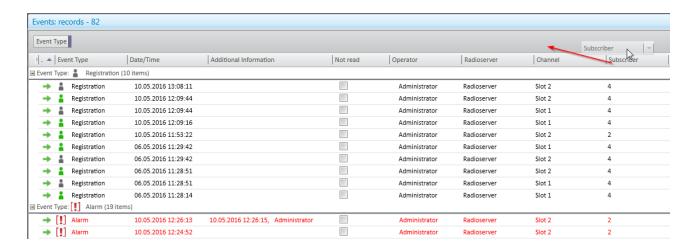
Column Name	Description
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the event log of the	
dispatch console only.	
Repeater IP	
This column exists in	Shows the IP address and port of the repeater which was used.
the event log of the	
dispatch console only.	
Destination	Shows the radio ID or name of the target radio subscriber or talkgroup.
Record	Shows if you can play the record or not.
Lone Worker	Shows if the lone worker profile is assigned to a radio subscriber.
Note	Contains the text which the dispatcher added to a record.

You can filter the event log by any of these columns. You can also filter the event log by the **Not Read** column by clicking **There are unread messages:** in the **Information bar.**

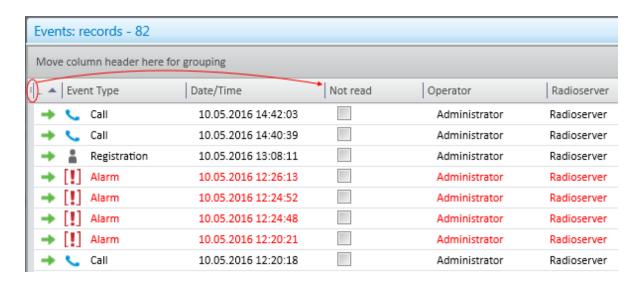


Click any column name, so the log sorts its contents according to this column content. You can filter the content displayed in the log using filters.

To group the log entries, click the column title and drag it to the area labeled as "Move column header here for grouping".



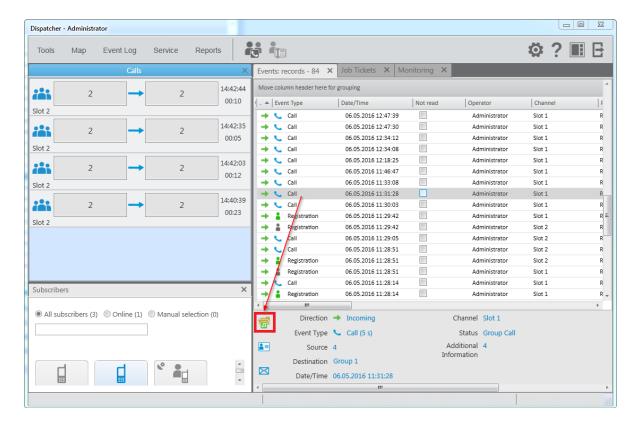
If you want to have particular columns to be always seen in the log regardless of the scroll position, use the special element in the column titles. Just drag it after the column you want to be always there.



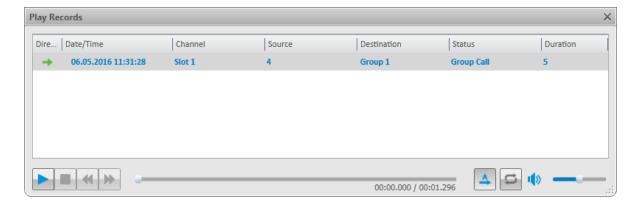
To listen to audio records of the calls, select the call in the event log and click the Play Selected Records button



Note: To enable recording of calls, go to Settings and select Records. There select Record Calls.



The Play Records window for selected records opens.



After the record playback window opens, selected records are reproduced automatically, starting from the earliest date.

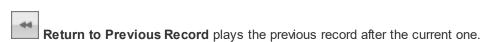
Player buttons:



Start Playback plays the selected record and all the records of the list without stopping.

Pause Playback pauses playback of the current record. Clicking the **Start Playback** button resumes playback of the record from the place of suspension.

Stop Playback stops playback of the current record. Clicking the Start Playback button enables playback of the record from the beginning.





Settings:

Play All Records enables the mode of all records reproduction in turn. Playback is controlled by the previously described buttons.

Replay enables the mode of replaying the current record or all the records in turn if the Play All Records mode is activated.

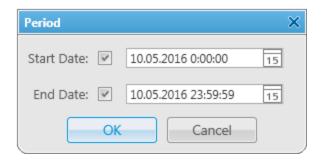
Button opens a subscriber call window. Button opens a window for message sending.

Opening Radioserver Event Log

Depending on SmartPTT system configuration the event log can be saved either on the dispatcher side or the server side, or both.

To open the event log saved at the radioserver:

1. Open the radioserver Action List and select Show Radioserver Event Log.



2. Select the **Start** and **End Dates** to show events of the period. The **Radioserver Event Log** is displayed in the same way as the **Dispatcher Event Log** in a separate tab.

To make subscriber radio activity report based on the radioserver data, in the Main Menu select Reports >

Radio Activity Report. In the opened window specify the period of time, source, channel, grouping and click OK.

1.4 Tools

From the **Tools** menu you can open all the panels used in SmartPTT Dispatcher.

These are the following panels:

- Calls panel displays the ongoing call activity and call history in the radio network.
- Sound panel allows you to monitor and adjust the signal volume.
- <u>Cross Patches</u> panel allows you to connect talkgroups from different frequency bands or from different network types dynamically.
- Radio Fleet panel displays a list of radio subscribers registered in the system.
- Subscribers panel for quick access to the subscribers.
- Job Tickets panel from where you can create and supervise job tickets.
- <u>Lone Workers</u> panel to show lone workers' status, for example, that a lone worker did not call for a longer period than expected, etc.
- <u>Latest Incoming Calls</u> panel, which gives you information of the recent voice calls made.
- <u>Notifications</u> panel to get information about the alarms configured by the dispatcher.
- System Messages panel, which displays errors, disconnection of the radioserver, etc.
- Server Tasks panel to display server tasks in the background

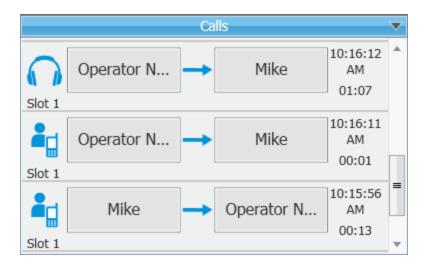
Map Tools contains all the available map tools of the dispatch console: <u>Points of Interest</u>, <u>Routes</u>,
 <u>Geofences</u>, <u>Subscriber Location</u> panels.

 <u>Custom Console</u> panel created by the SmartPTT Dispatcher to manage subscribers, talkgroups or control stations.

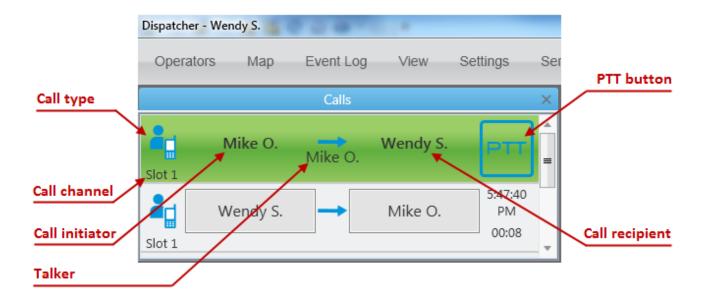
1.4.1 Calls

The **Calls** panel displays the ongoing call activity and call history in the radio network.

The first time you install SmartPTT, the **Calls** panel opens automatically. The panel can also be opened or closed manually. To do this, expand the **Tools** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Calls**.



A call record in the **Calls** section contains several elements.



In the Capacity Max systems, a call record in the **Calls** section also contains the **Cross** button that is used to end the call during the hang time or to decline the call.



From the **Calls** panel the dispatcher can do the following:

- · Answer the ongoing call by clicking anywhere on the call record.
- See the ongoing call activity. The call status can be determined by the color of the call record.
- See history of all registered calls, time of call and its duration.
- Make all types of call by clicking the button with the subscriber name.
- Decline the incoming call by clicking the **Cross** button or right-clicking the call record (in the Capacity Max systems only).
- End the call during the hang time by clicking the Cross button or right clicking the call record (in the Capacity Max systems only).

Call status is determined by the color of the call record:

1. Light yellow – outgoing call attempt, or a call in the queue (in conventional systems).

- 2. Yellow all outgoing radio calls.
- 3. Green all incoming radio calls or radio monitoring.
- 4. Light green incoming call to SmartPTT Dispatcher in the Capacity Max systems only.
- 5. Blue none of the parties transmit or receive voice (hang time). The subscriber or the dispatcher can continue the call by pressing the PTT button within hang time. After the hang time expires, pressing the PTT button will initiate a new call. In the Capacity Max systems the dispatcher can end the call during the hang time by clicking the Cross button or right clicking the call record.

If the **Calls** section is empty, to make a call to a radio subscriber, select the subscriber under **Radio Fleet** and click the **PTT** button. The corresponding call record will appear in the **Calls** section and the call will be initiated.

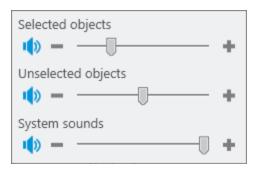
1.4.2 Sound

The **Sound** panel allows you to monitor and adjust the signal volume.

To open **Sound** panel, expand the **Tools** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Sound**.



The button allows you to adjust the speaker volume.



Selected objects: allows you to adjust the volume for selected objects.

Unselected objects: allows you to adjust the volume for unselected objects.

System sounds: allows you to adjust the volume for system sounds.



button allows you to adjust the microphone volume.

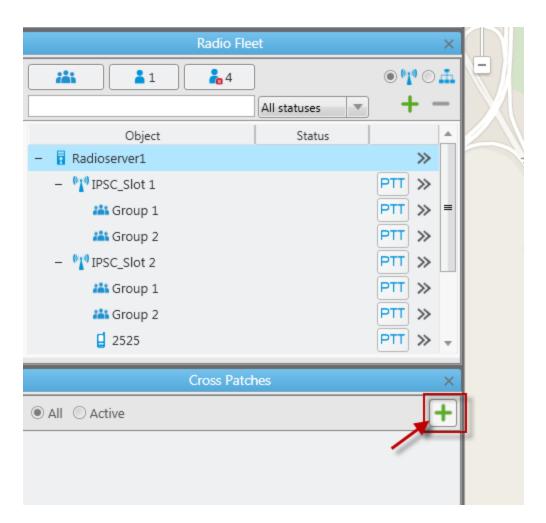
1.4.3 Cross Patches

Cross Patches allow you to connect talkgroups from different frequency bands or from different network types very quickly. A call made to a cross patch will be heard by all participants of this cross patch. Also, a call made to a talkgroup included in the cross patch will be heard by all participants of this cross patch (this is true even for a call made by the dispatcher).

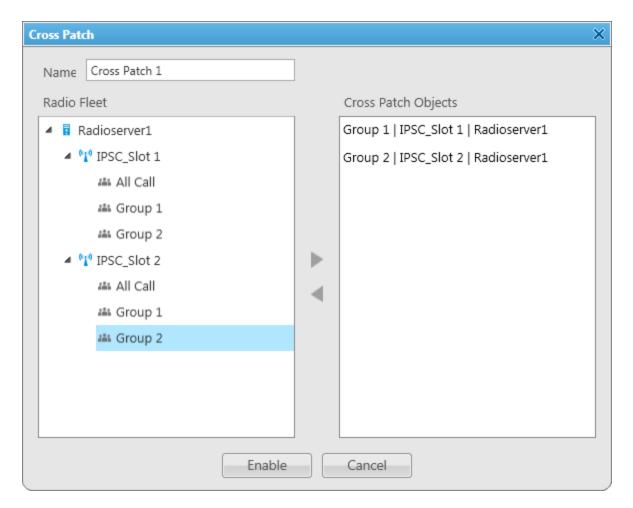
A cross patch is created in the dispatch console and controlled by the dispatcher. When the dispatch console gets closed, all the cross patches created in this dispatch console will be saved.

To create a cross patch, do the following:

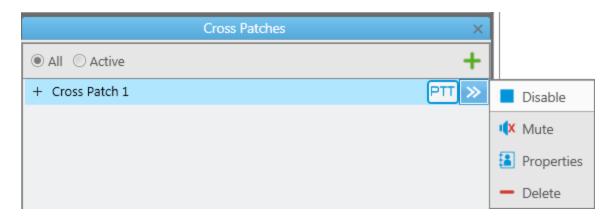
- 1. Open the Cross Patches panel from the Tools menu (if it's not open).
- 2. Add a cross patch. To do this, in the Cross Patch panel click on the Add Cross Patch button:



3. In the new **Cross Patch** window select objects of the future cross patch. To add the selected object to the cross patch or to remove it from the cross patch, click the corresponding arrows or double-click on the mouse button. Then click **Enable**.



The new cross patch will appear in the Cross Patches panel.



In the Cross Patches panel you can do the following:

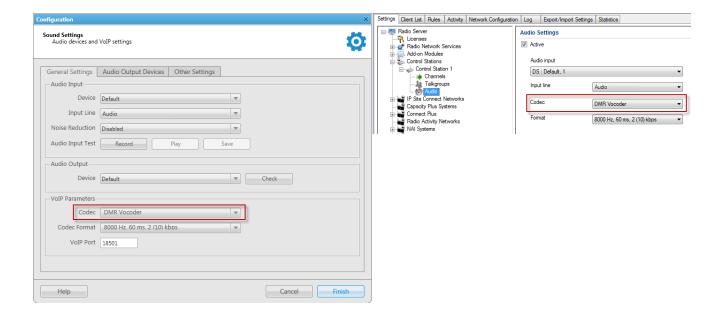
• Filter the list of cross patches to see active cross patches or all cross patches (the Active and All options).

- Make a call to all the parties of the cross patch by clicking on the PTT button.
- Perform actions from the Action List of the cross patch: enable or disable the cross patch, edit its properties,
 mute or unmute it, and delete it from the list. To open the Action List, click

Enable / Disable - turns on/off the cross patch.

Mute / Unmute – turns on/off the sound for all parties of the cross patch. If the cross patch is muted, the dispatcher won't hear any party, but all the cross patch participants will hear the dispatcher. If the cross patch is unmuted, but one of the participant talkgroups is muted, the dispatcher will hear all the others, but not this talkgroup.

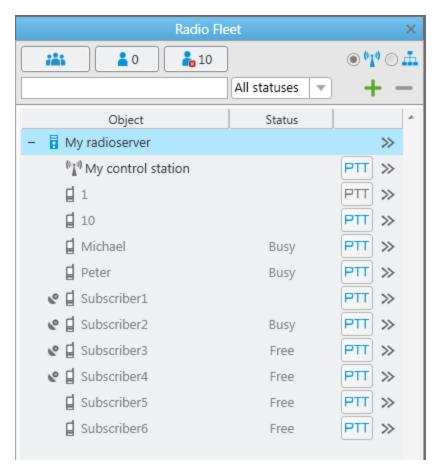
Note: If the cross patch contains groups from network topologies based on control stations and direct connection, and you can hear hoarse voice, select *DMR Vocoder* as a codec in the sound settings in the dispatch console (**Settings > Sound**) and in the audio settings of the control station (SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator > **Control stations > Audio**):



1.4.4 Radio Fleet

The Radio Fleet panel displays a list of radio subscribers registered in the system.

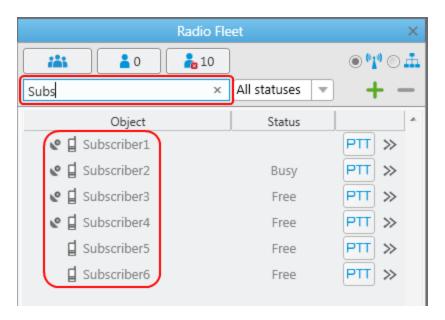
The first time you install SmartPTT the **Radio Fleet** panel opens automatically. To open or close the **Radio Fleet** panel manually, expand the **Tools** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Radio Fleet**.



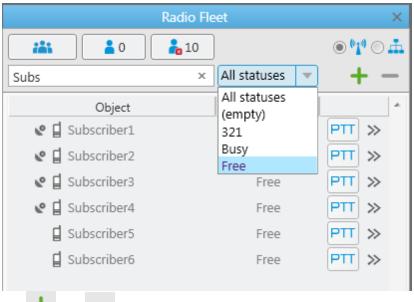
The radio subscriber list consists of the following columns – object, status and the **PTT** button. The **Object** field shows the name of the subscriber or radioserver. The **Status** field displays the current status of the radio subscriber. The **PTT** button initiates a call.

To edit the list of subscribers, use the buttons. You can show or hide talkgroups, show or hide online or offline radio subscribers. Also, you can filter radio subscribers by the categories. To do that, click **Filter by category**. To filter radio subscribers by the channels, click **Filter by channel**.

The entry field under the buttons allows you to search a radio subscriber by name or ID.



To filter the radio subscribers by a status, select the required status form the list.



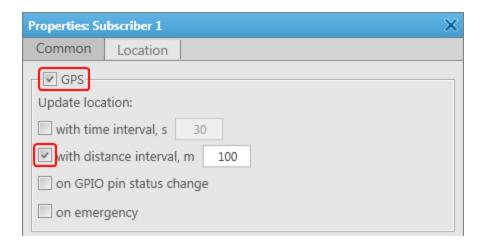
The 🚺 and 🗂 allows the dispatcher to add a new radio subscriber or delete the existing subscriber.

Radio subscribers not added in SmartPTT Dispatcher are considered unregistered and displayed in italic in the **Radio Fleet** panel. Unregistered subscribers are displayed in the list of subscribers after a radio is turned on and registration on the radioserver is successfully completed.

- GPS coordinates of a radio subscriber are outdated or missing.
- GPS coordinates of a radio subscriber are valid. Validity period of GPS coordinates is defined by the

Validity of GPS coordinates parameter in Settings > Positioning Systems.

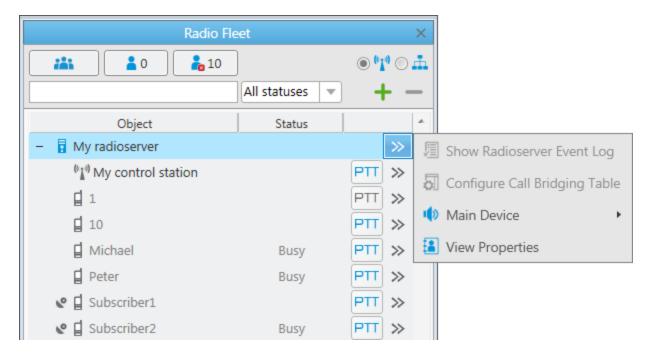
Note: The icons and are displayed if GPS support is enabled in the **Properties** window of a radio subscriber and at least one location update criterion is selected.



Action List

The button opens the **Action List** including a list of actions which can be applied to a radio subscriber, the radioserver, a control station or a talkgroup.

The Action List of the radioserver



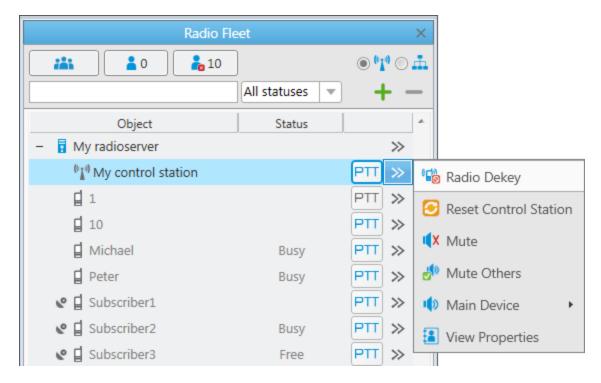
Show Radioserver Event Log – displays the radioserver event log for the specified period of time. For more information on the event log see <u>Radioserver Event Log</u>.

Configure Call Bridging Table – redirects to the routing configuration window.

Main Device – shows what audio output device is currently used for the radioserver. You can also change to another device.

View Properties – opens the radioservers's Properties window.

The Action List of a hardware control station



Exit Emergency Mode – disables emergency mode.

Note: The Exit Emergency Mode action becomes available after a radio subscriber sends the emergency signal.

Radio Dekey – forced interruption of calls on the channel. This option is available only for hardware control stations and in IP Site Connect network.

Reset Control Station - resets the control station. Only hardware control stations can be reset.

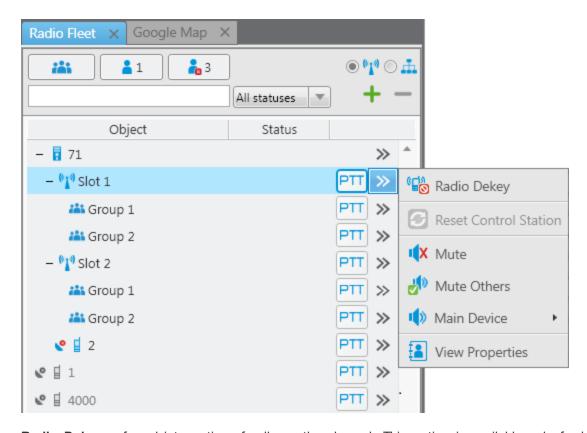
Mute or Unmute – turns off/on the control station mute mode.

Mute Others – leaves sound on only for this control station; other control stations are muted.

Main Device – shows what audio output device is currently used for the control station. To change to another device, select a specific output device or **Inherited device**, i.e., the device selected for the higher level, in this case, for the radioserver.

View Properties - opens the control stations's Properties window.

The Action List of a virtual control station



Radio Dekey – forced interruption of calls on the channel. This option is available only for hardware control stations and in IP Site Connect network.

Reset Control Station - resets the control station. Only hardware control stations can be reset.

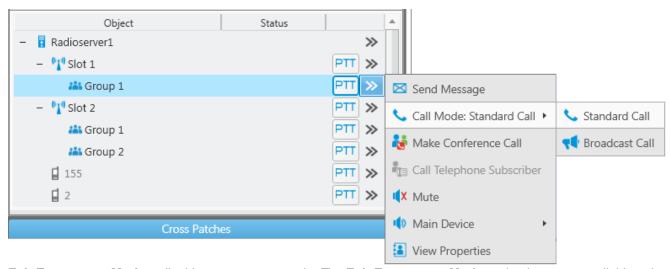
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Mute Others - leaves sound on only for this control station; other control stations are muted.

Main Device – shows what audio output device is currently used for the control station. To change to another, select a specific output device.

View Properties – opens a window there you can specify some information.

The Action List of a talkgroup



Exit Emergency Mode – disables emergency mode. The **Exit Emergency Mode** action becomes available only after a radio subscriber has sent the emergency signal.

Send Message – opens a window for creating and sending messages.

Call Mode – available only in the Capacity Max systems and shows the current call mode for the talkgroup:

- Standard Call stands for the two-way Group Call
- Broadcast Call stands for the one-way Group Call.

Note: All talkgroups in the Capacity Max systems are broadband groups. So, the Group Call for these talkgroups in any call mode is broadcasted over all the sites associated with the talkgroups.

Make Conference Call – opens the Conference Call window and starts the conference call.

Call Telephone Subscriber – opens the window with the list of registered telephone subscribers.

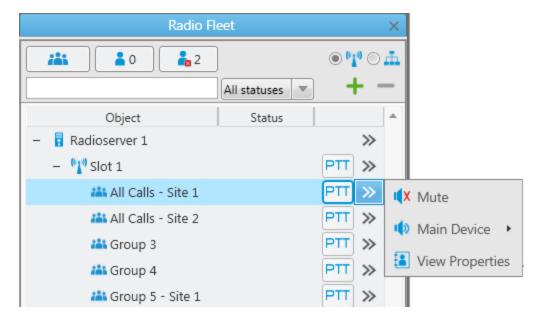
Mute / Unmute – turns on/off mute mode for this group.

Main Device – shows what audio output device is currently used for the talkgroup. To change to another device, select a specific output device.

The **Call Window** of a talkgroup contains some of the actions available to the talkgroup. The main function of the **Call Window** is to give the ability to apply actions to the talkgroup and to view the action log. To open the window, double-click on the talkgroup.

View Properties – opens the Properties window of the talkgroup.

The Action List of an All Call limited to a site

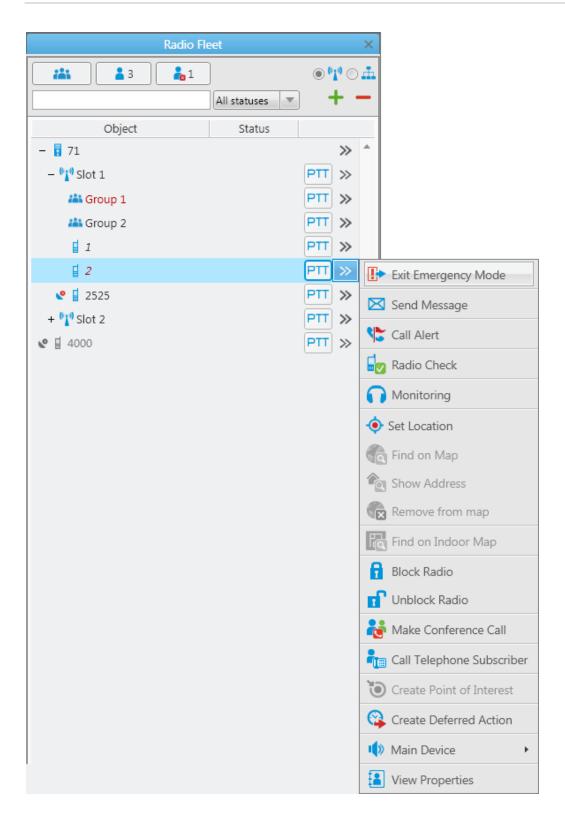


Mute / Unmute – turns on/off mute mode for the All Call. This can be useful if you don't want to hear the All Call initiated by another dispatcher.

Main Device – shows what audio output device is currently used for the All Call. To change to another device, select a specific output device.

View Properties – opens a window where you can add a comment about the All Call.

The Action List of a radio subscriber



Exit Emergency Mode – disables emergency mode. The **Exit Emergency Mode** action becomes available after a radio subscriber sends the emergency signal.

Send Message – opens a window for creating and sending messages.

Send Call Alert – sends a call alert to the subscriber.

Radio Check – sends the radio check command to the subscriber radio.

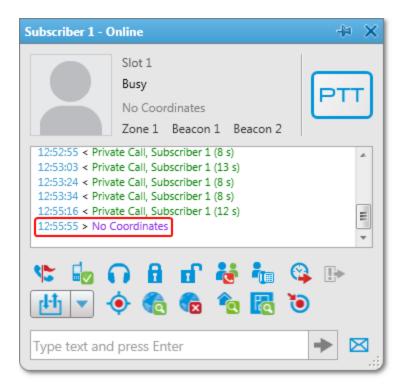
Note: If the connection to the Capacity Max system is performed via control station, the **Radio Check** command will be unavailable.

Monitoring – allows you to listen to the radio subscribers without their awareness.

Set Location – allows you to define location of a radio unit on the map manually, without GPS data. If GPS support is enabled in the radio subscriber's **Properties** window (in the **Location** tab), the location set manually has a validity period which is defined in the **Positioning Systems** settings in the **Validity of GPS coordinates** field. If GPS support is not enabled in the radio subscriber's **Properties** window, the location set manually is always valid.

Find on Map – shows the subscriber on the map. If there are more than one subscriber on the same position on the map, the subscriber's label will placed above all other labels.

Show Address – displays the subscriber address based on the current GPS coordinates. If it is impossible to define the address, the notification **No Coordinates** appears. When you reopen **Call Window** (after it was closed), previously received information on the address is not displayed.



Remove from Map – removes the subscriber from the map.

Find on Indoor Map – shows the subscriber on the building map. The **Find on Indoor Map** action is available for a radio subscriber if the **Indoor Tracking** check box is selected in the <u>Properties</u> window of the radio subscriber.

Block Radio – sends the Block Radio command to the subscriber radio.

Unblock Radio – sends the Unblock Radio command to the subscriber radio.

Make Conference Call – opens the Conference Call window and starts the conference call.

Call Telephone Subscriber – opens the window with the list of registered telephone subscribers.

Create Point of Interest – creates POI at the current place of the subscriber. If there are no coordinates, the system uses the latest coordinates received from the radio. If coordinates are absent altogether, nothing happens.

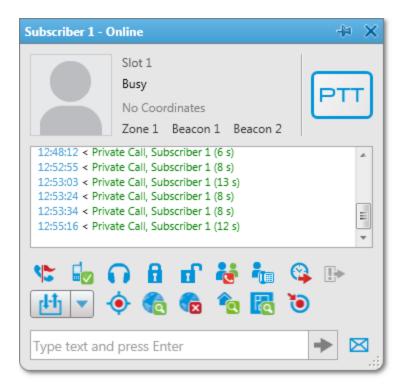
Create Deferred Action – opens a window for creation of a deferred action.

Main Device – shows what audio output device is currently used for this radio subscriber. To change to another device, select a specific output device.

View Properties - opens the subscriber's Properties window.

Call Window

The **Call Window** of a radio subscriber contains some of actions available for the radio subscriber. The main function of the **Call Window** is to give the ability to apply actions to the subscriber and to view the action log. To open the window, double-click on the radio subscriber. To customize the appearance and behavior of the **Call Window**, to the <u>Call Window settings</u>.



Making a call

The PTT button is located in several places: in the Radio Fleet panel and in the Call Window. Depending on the call status, the PTT button can be displayed in the following colors:

- 2. Yellow all outgoing radio calls.
- 3. Light green incoming call attempt to SmartPTT Dispatcher in the Capacity Max systems only.
- 4. Green all incoming radio calls or radio monitoring.
- 5. Blue none of the parties transmit or receive voice (hang time). The subscriber or the dispatcher can continue the call by pressing the PTT button within hang time. After the hang time expires, pressing

the PTT button will initiate a new call. In the Capacity Max systems the dispatcher can end the call during the hang time by right clicking **PTT** in the **Call Window**.

To call a radio subscriber in any system, except Capacity Max:

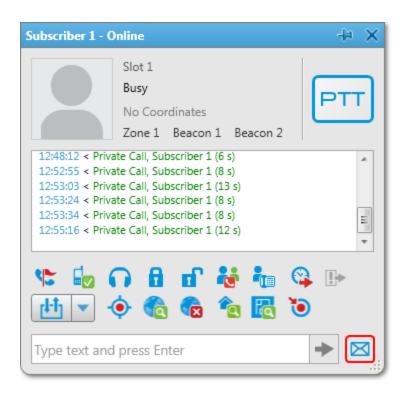
- 1. Select the subscriber from the Online Subscribers list
- 2. Click **PTT** next to the subscriber name or press the specified keyboard <u>hot key</u>. At that, the **PTT** button changes its color to light yellow, and then to yellow. The caller subscriber will hear your voice.
- 3. Click **PTT** again to give the subscriber an opportunity to respond. At that, the color of the **PTT** button changes to blue.
- 4. When the subscriber starts to respond, the color of the **PTT** button changes to green.

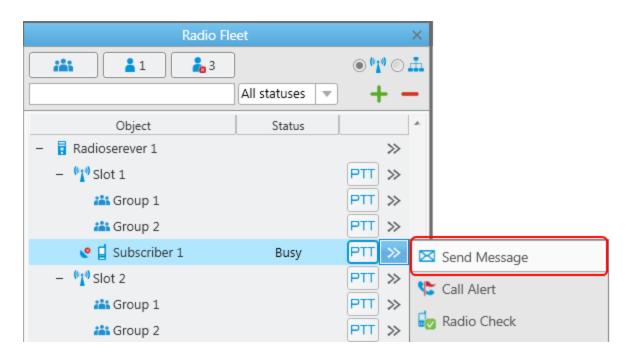
To call a radio subscriber in the Capacity Max systems:

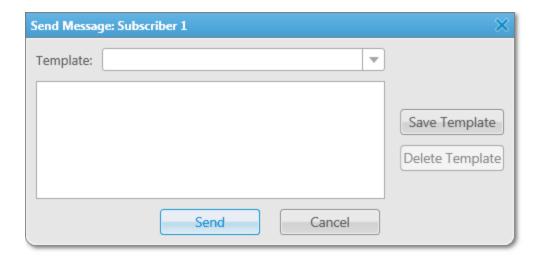
- 1. Select the subscriber from the Online Subscribers list.
- Click PTT next to the subscriber name or press the specified keyboard hot key. At that, the PTT button
 changes its color to light yellow. The subscriber will not hear your voice and will see two options on the radio
 display: Accept or Reject.
- 3. When the subscriber presses **PTT** on his radio and accepts the call, the color of the **PTT** button on your console changes to green. At that, you can hear the subscriber.
- 4. When the subscriber finishes to talk and releases **PTT** on his radio, the **PTT** button on your console changes to blue (hang time). During the hang time you can either continue or end the call.
- 5. To continue the call, click **PTT** again. At that, the **PTT** button changes to yellow. The caller subscriber will hear your voice.
- 6. To end the call, click the **Cross** button in the **Calls** panel or right-click the corresponding call record or **PTT** in the subscriber's **Call window**.

Sending messages

To send a message to a subscriber, click in the Call window of the radio subscriber or click Send Message in the Action List.







Save Template – saves the typed message as a template.

Delete Template – deletes a template selected in the list of templates.

Send – sends the typed message to the subscriber

Cancel – the Text Message window closes and the message is not sent.

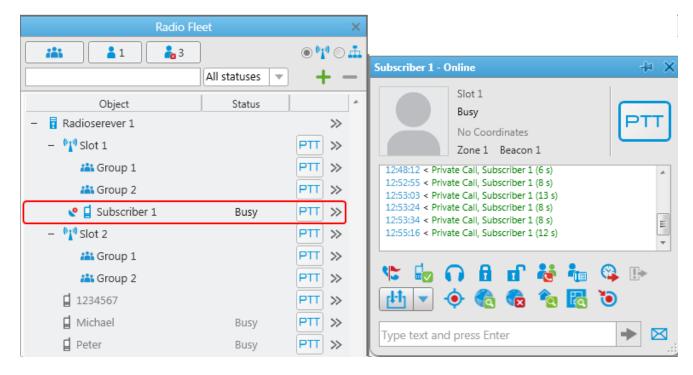
You can also send a message using the **Type text and press Enter** field.

How to change subscriber name using radio

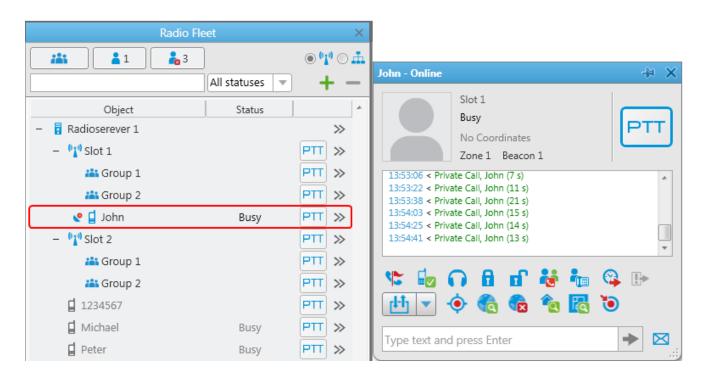
A subscriber can easily change his or her name by using the radio. At that, the new name will appear in the **Subscriber panel**.

To do it, you need to send the text message *profile%name:<new name>* to the Slot ID set in your system.

Before sending:



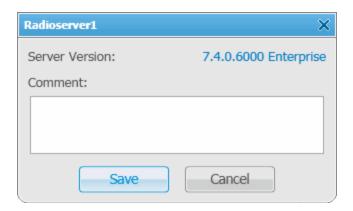
After sending the message:



The Properties Window

To open the **Properties** window of the radioserver, control station, talkgroup, radio subscriber, dispatcher or telephone subscriber, right-click on the corresponding item.

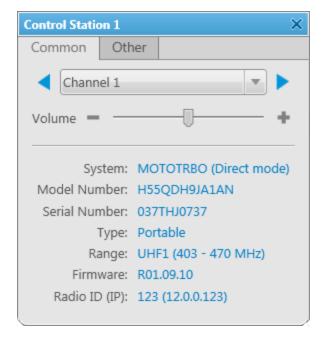
The Properties window of the radioserver



Server Version – the version of the radioserver. If the version of SmartPTT Radioserver does not match the version of SmartPTT Dispatcher, the version number is displayed in red.

Comments – text field for additional information.

The Properties window of the hardware control station

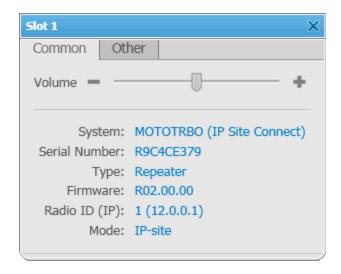


The window displays information on the control station, for example, model number, serial number, control station type, frequency range, firmware version, control station identifier.

You can change the channel of the control station by selecting it from the list or clicking arrow buttons.

The **Volume** slider allows you to set a volume on the channel. This option also effect on the emergency alert and subscriber voice at the emergency call.

The Properties window of the virtual control station

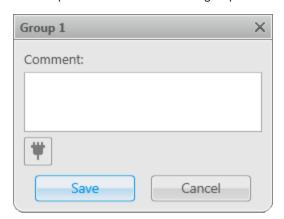


The window displays an information about the control station, for example, serial number, firmware version, control station identifier, type of network configuration.

The Volume slider allows you to set a volume on the channel. It also regulates the volume of the emergency alert.

Note: The adjusted volume level of the selected channel affects the volume of all incoming voice calls (including emergency calls) on all the audio devices of the given channel.

The Properties window of the talkgroup

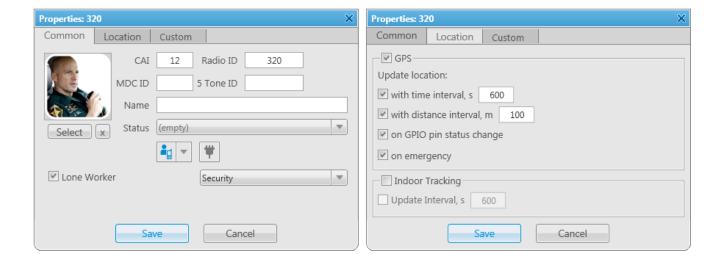


Comments – text field for additional information.

Click the **Telemetry** button to

to select telemetry command for the talkgroup.

The Properties window of the subscriber



The **Common** tab:

IP – IP address of the radio subscriber to identify the subscriber radio. If the IP field is absent, specify CAI and Radio ID.

MDC ID – the identifier used to identify Motorola Data Communication (MDC) messages. You cannot type more than 4 hexadecimal numbers into this field. It is used in the analog and the mixed modes.

5 Tone ID – the radio subscriber identifier. If the radio works on the analog channel and supports the 5 Tone signaling (SelectV). It must match the **5 Tone Radio ID** in the **General Settings** tab of the radio MOTOTRBO CPS settings. To be set in the range from 0 to 9 or from A to G.

Note: Several IDs can be used as the radio identifier. If the radio is used on the analog channel only, just 5 Tone ID or MDC ID must be filled, and the CAI and Radio ID or IP fields must be empty.

Name – the subscriber's name.

Status - the subscriber's status.

Select – click to upload the radio subscriber's image if there is any. To delete the selected image of the user, click the cross symbol on the left to **Select**.



- click the button to select the icon of the subscriber.



- click the **Telemetry** button to specify telemetry actions to the radio subscriber.

Lone Worker – select the check box to assign the **Lone Worker Profile** to a radio subscriber. Select from the list the profile of the lone worker.

Note: You can add lone worker profiles in SmartPTT Dispatcher in the Settings menu under Lone Worker Rules.

The **Location** tab:

GPS – select the check box to see the subscriber on the map. The subscriber radio must support GPS.

Note: To set up GPS for the SmartPTT Radioserver, specify the required settings described in the **GPS** section of the SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator help file.

The **Update location** area allows you to specify the location update criteria:

with time interval, s – the time interval in seconds after which the GPS coordinate request will be sent to the radio subscriber.

Note: You can set the main time interval for receiving GPS coordinates in the subscriber **Properties** window. The minimum interval for receiving GPS coordinates is set in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator (**Radio Network**Services > GPS > Minimum location update interval). Therefore, if the interval set in the **Properties** window is less than that set in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator, GPS coordinates will be received at the interval set in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.

with distance interval, m – the distance interval in meters or feet after which the GPS coordinate request will be sent to the radio subscriber.

on GPIO pin status change – the GPS coordinate request will be sent to the radio subscriber when the status of telemetry contacts changed.

on emergency – the GPS coordinate request will be sent to the radio subscriber when the radio subscriber sends an emergency alarm.

Indoor Tracking – select the check box to see the subscriber on the building plan by the dispatcher request (the Find on Indoor Map action) or after the predefined time period (the Update Interval, s field in the Location tab of the radio subscriber Properties window). The subscriber radio must support Indoor Tracking. If you use Motorola source (iBeacon technology), the Update Interval field must be selected and specified together with the Indoor Tracking field for enabling Indoor support for a radio subscriber

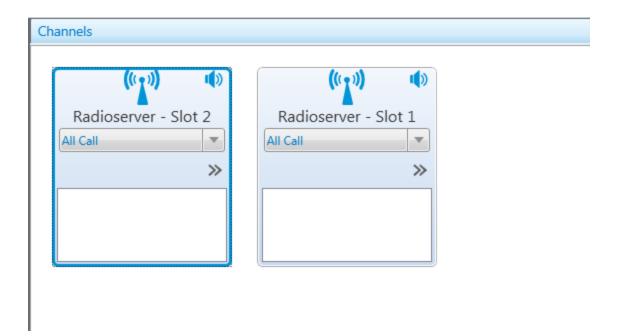
Note: To set up Indoor Tracking for SmartPTT Radioserver, specify the required settings described in the **Indoor Tracking** section of the SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator help file.

Update Interval, **s** – the time interval in seconds for location data update from special beacons, which are installed in buildings. The field is mandatory in case of *Motorola* source (iBeacon technology) use.

The **Custom** tab contains subscriber's custom properties, which were added by the system administrator. If there are no any added custom properties, the **Custom** tab is absent.

1.4.5 Channels

The Channels panel allows you to see all the active control stations available in the system.



You can do the following in this panel:

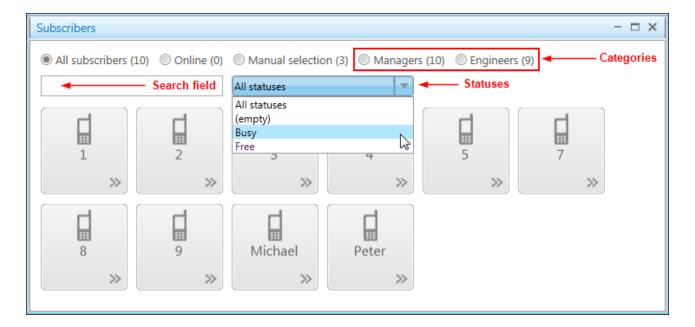
- Make an All Call or a group call depending on the selected type of call.
- Mute or unmute the channel. If the channel is muted, the dispatcher won't hear the talkers on the channel.
- View information about the current call on the channel: the call state, the called party and the call originator.

Perform other actions from Action List. The actions in Action List may be different. This depends on
whether the channel is physical or virtual. For more information on Action List of control stations see Radio
Fleet in the Help file of SmartPTT Dispatcher.

1.4.6 Subscribers

The **Subscribers** panel provides convenient interface to perform voice calls, to edit properties of radio subscriber and to filter the list of radio subscribers by generating a list of control buttons for radio subscribers.

To open the Subscribers panel, click Main Menu > Tools > Subscribers.



You can perform the following actions on the **Subscribers** panel:

- filter the list of radio subscribers by various criteria,
- customize the list of radio subscribers,
- call to a radio subscriber,
- find the necessary radio subscriber in the filtered list by its name or radio ID, using the Search field.
- open the radio subscriber **Call Window**, by right clicking the corresponding control button on the panel, and
- open the radio subscriber <u>Actions List</u>, by clicking the button ...

The **Subscribers** panel contains the following filter criteria:

All subscribers: All registered radio subscribers (online and offline).

Online: Online radio subscribers only.

Manual selection: Customized list of radio subscribers.

Categories: Radio subscribers of the specific category, predetermined in the <u>Categories</u> window. If there are no any added categories, this filter is absent.

The **All subscribers**, **Online**, **Manual selection**, **Categories** filter criteria show in brackets the number of radio subscribers in the list, filtered by one of these criteria.

Statuses: Radio subscribers with the selected status. The statuses are predetermined in the <u>Statuses</u> window. If there are not any added statuses, this filter is absent.

Note: The **Statuses** criteria is applied to the list of radio subscribers already filtered by one of the following criteria: **All subscribers**, **Online**, **Manual selection**, or **Categories**.

To customize the list of radio subscribers, select the **Manual selection** radio button and drag the necessary radio subscribers to the panel from the **Radio Fleet** panel. To delete the radio subscribers from the customized list, select the radio subscriber and press the **Delete** button.

To make a call to a radio subscriber, click the radio subscriber button, or select the radio subscriber and press the PTT button. The PTT settings defined in **Control Devices** are applied to this panel.

You can distinguish between radio subscribers' states on the panel. Different states differ by color of the control button and the frame around it. The colors are the same as in **Custom Consoles**.

: the icon on the subscriber button shows that the dispatcher did not answer the radio subscriber call. The figure next to it shows the number of missed calls.

1.4.7 Job Tickets

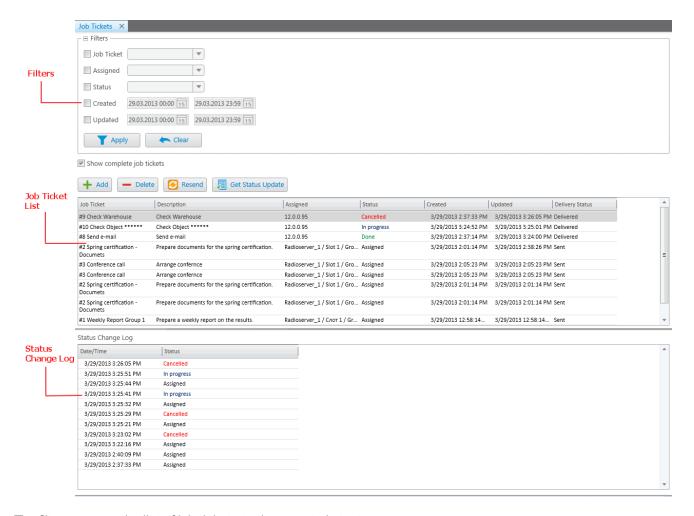
The **Job Tickets** panel allows creating special assignments for radio subscribers or talkgroups and tracking their performance.

Note: This functionality is supported only by MOTOTRBO SL Series portable radios. When a job ticket is sent to the radio, which does not support this functionality, it comes as a message, for example, <*JTS> Job Ticket? 1*Create weekly report.

To create a job ticket, expand the **Tools** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Job Tickets**.

The **Job Tickets** panel can be divided into three parts:

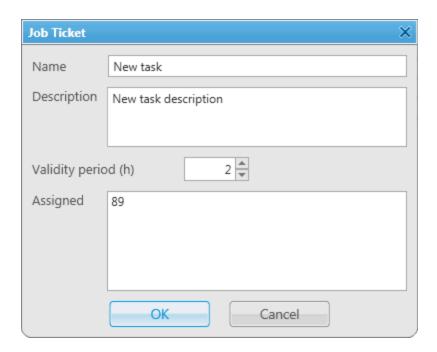
- Filters
- Job Ticket List
- Status Change Log



The filters arrange the list of job tickets to the operator's taste.

You can hide job tickets from the job list after the particular status is achieved. To do that, deselect the **Show** complete job tickets check box.

To create a job ticket, click Add.



Name - job ticket name. It is a required field.

Description – description of the job ticket. Also required field.

Validity period – defines the time period during which a job ticket can be assigned to offline radio subscribers.

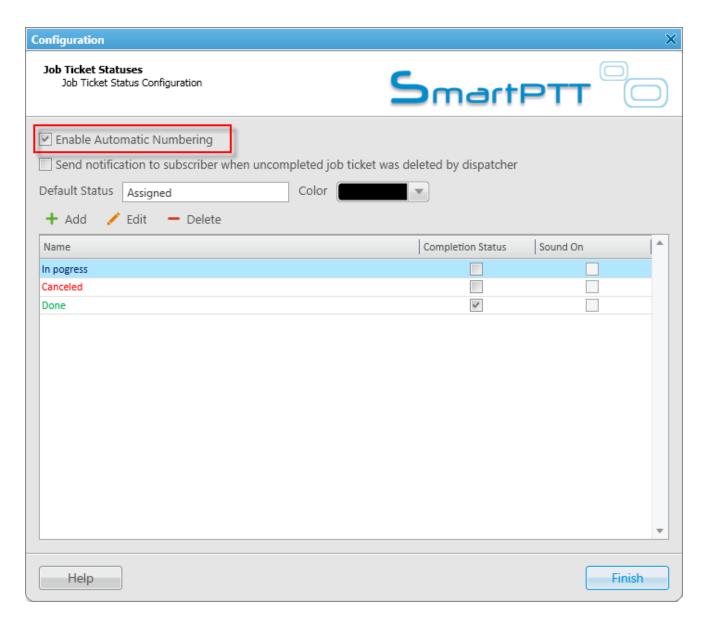
After this validity period expires, the job ticket is never sent. If a job ticket is not completed before the validity period has expired, the job ticket gets the status "Outdated".

Assigned – job tickets can be assigned to an individual radio subscriber or to a talkgroup. To do this, simply drag a subscriber or a talkgroup in this field. To remove the assigned subscribers, select the subscribers from the list and press DELETE.

After creation, the job ticket will be displayed in the job list with the default status value. When the radio subscriber changes the job ticket status, the status in the job list will be changed accordingly. If the job ticket is assigned to a talkgroup, the job ticket table will contain the name of the radio subscriber, who changed the job ticket status. Job tickets can be assigned to offline subscribers too. As soon as offline subscribers become online, they get the job tickets (if the validity period has not expired).

To see the history of changes for job ticket statuses, click on the job ticket status. At that, the **Status Change Log** table will display the information about status updates.

To cancel the job ticket and delete it from the job list, click **Delete**. At that, the radio subscriber, to whom the job ticket was assigned, will receive a text message that the job ticket was canceled (only if **Send notification to subscriber when uncompleted job ticket was deleted by dispatcher** is checked in **Job Ticket Statuses**). If the job ticket has not been delivered (see **Status Delivery**) for some reason, or if you want to resend the existing job ticket to a radio subscriber or a talkgroup, click **Resend**. In this case, the edit window will open, and after clicking **OK**, a job ticket with a unique number will be sent. Use of unique numbers is important for job ticket resending, because radios ignore job tickets with same titles. Therefore, before resending a job ticket, make sure automatic numbering is enabled (**Settings** > **Job Ticket Statuses**).



To get information about job ticket statuses for a period, when the dispatch console was turned off, click **Get Update Status**.

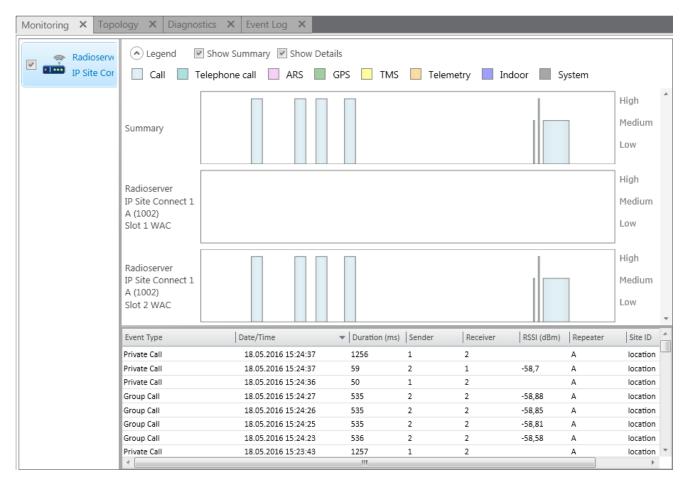
1.4.8 Monitoring

Monitoring

The **Monitoring** panel is a complex tool which gives a comprehensive outlook on the whole radio system. It includes four panels:

- 1. Monitoring
- 2. Topology
- 3. Diagnostics
- 4. Event Log

Monitoring – graphical representation of data and voice received from MOTOTRBO repeaters, which allows observing the ongoing system operation. Each logical channel has a section for displaying transmitted packets in the form of colored vertical bars. The height of the bar corresponds to the level of the received signal; and the color corresponds to the event type according to the legend. In order to see the radioserver and its network in the **Monitoring** tab, make sure that the Monitoring service is enabled for this radioserver in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.



To use Monitoring in "SmartPTT Dispatcher" you should activate it in the "SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator" program. You can learn how to activate and configure it from "SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator User guide". Graphical representation of data packets is displayed only for the selected network.

Note: The list on the left shows only active networks (IP Site Connect, Capacity Plus, Linked Capacity Plus) of SmartPTT Radioserver. If a network becomes inactive, it disappears from the list.

Show Details – when selected, events from different slots appear in separate blocks.

Show Summary – when selected, events from different slots appear in one block.

When checking both parameters, all the three blocks are displayed.

Data displayed in blocks:

Name	Description
Call	All Call, group calls, private calls, remote monitoring, emergency calls

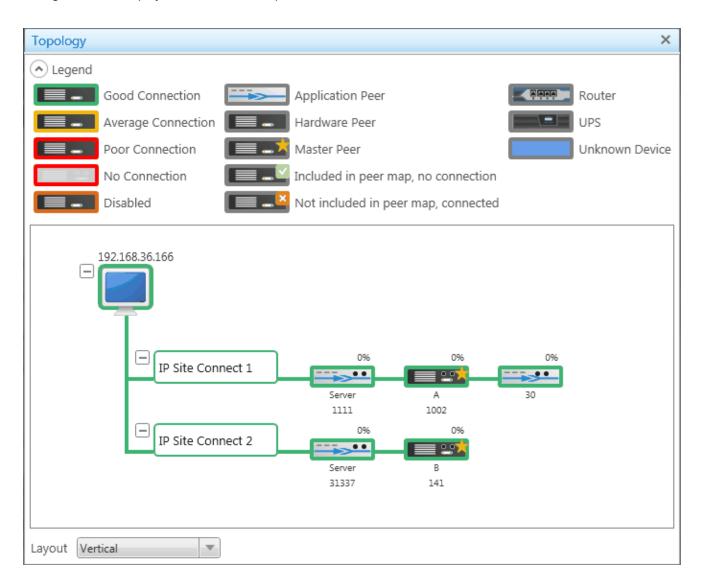
Name	Description
Telephone call	Telephone calls
ARS	Registration information, that is information about radio availability in the network (ARS service).
GPS	GPS coordinates of the radios (GPS service)
TMS	Text messages (TMS service)
Telemetry	Telemetry commands and signals
Indoor	Data from beacons showing radios' locations inside a building (i.e., <u>Indoor Positioning</u>).
System	System events from and to MOTOTRBO equipment (data confirmation, private call confirmation, alarms, remote monitoring (only a command), Radio Check and some other).

Levels displayed on the right to the blocks (*High*, *Medium*, *Low*) correspond to the RSSI level ranges: -80 or more (*High*), -80 to -100 (*Medium*) and -100 or lower (*Low*).

The event log at the bottom of the screen gives more detailed information, namely the type of transmitted data (ARS, GPS, Message, Emergency Call, etc.), date and time of the event, its duration, initiator's and addressee's IDs, repeater ID and RSSI level, site ID (applied to LCP systems only), network name.

Topology

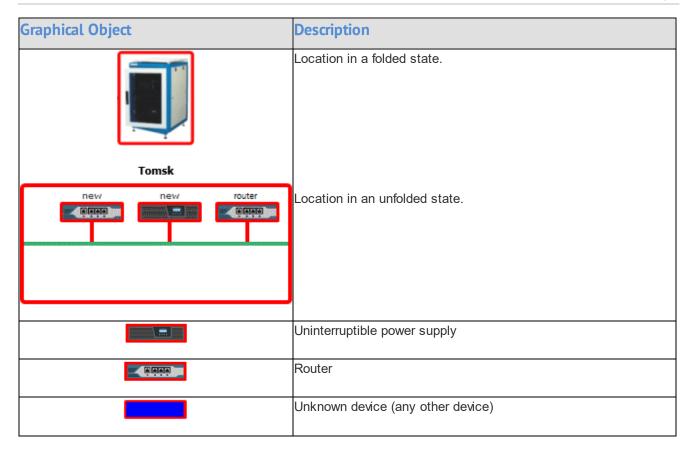
Topology – schematic representation of active networks. A network topology is set in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator and displayed in SmartPTT Dispatcher.



Note: In order to see the radioserver and its network in the **Topology** tab, make sure that the **Monitoring** service is enabled for this radioserver in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.

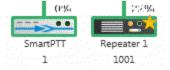
Graphical objects used in topology:

Graphical Object	Description
	Major alarm on device or no connection
	Device is connected or no alarms registered on device.
	Minor alarm is registered on device or there are more than 5
	packets lost or corrupted.
	Repeater is turned off.
Table	Repeater is not connected. This symbol is used only for the
	repeaters added in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator in the
	Network Configuration tab.
	SmartPTT Radioserver
IPSC 1	Network in folded state
	Virtual repeater (i.e., SmartPTT Radioserver), or MNIS
= 2	Slave hardware repeater
	Master hardware repeater
	Master virtual repeater
	Repeater is not connected, but it is included in the peer map.
	Repeater is connected, but it is not in the peer map.



Note: Network configuration is set in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator. Repeaters, which are added but not active, are marked red. If network configuration is not set in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator, the network topology will be generated automatically based on the information received from the available network repeaters. If the radioserver is stopped, it disappears from the topology screen.

Repeater loading on both logical channels is displayed above each repeater.

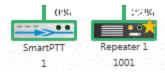


Loading grows steadily, not sharply, until the maximum value. When both logical channels are used, the maximum value is 100%, when only one logical channel is used— 50%.

A busy channel is represented by a yellow LED on the repeater.



Repeater ID is displayed under repeater.



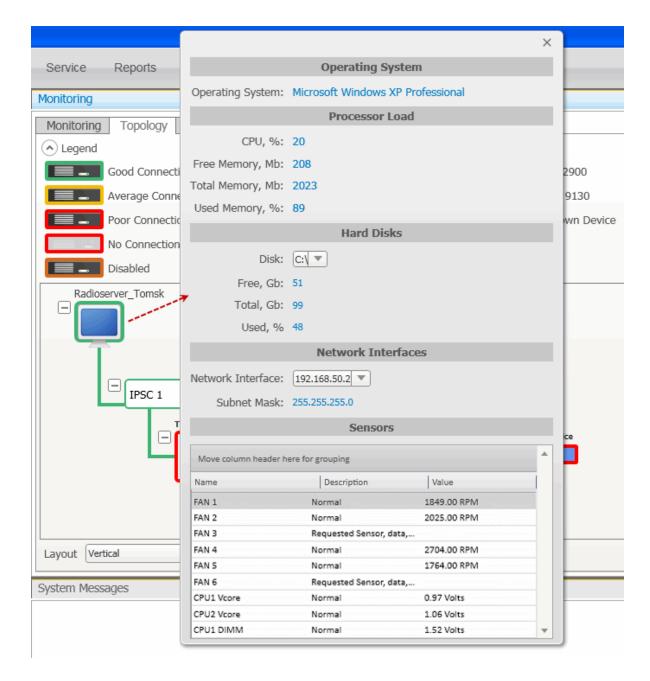
Application peer ID is specified in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator (Peer ID).

Note: All the repeaters used in one network should have unique ID's.

1. Radioserver

To fold and unfold the network, right-click on the radioserver and select Fold or Unfold respectively.

To view radioserver parameters and the ongoing performance information, right-click on the radioserver image and select **Information**.



Operating System – provides information on the OS used on the server.

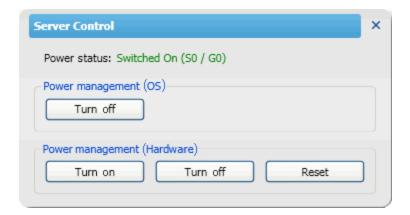
Processor Load – displays current CPU load and other information about PC memory.

Hard Disks – provides information on the the available hard disks of the PC and their characteristics.

Network Interfaces - displays the network interface and the sub network mask of the PC.

Sensors – displays platform status (for example, system temperatures, voltages, fans, power supplies and chassis intrusion).

To operate remotely, right-click on the radioserver image and select **Control**. To be able to control the radioserver remotely, make sure that <u>IPMI parameters</u> are set in the settings of the radioserver. If the IPMI settings are correct, the following window will open:



Power Status – shows the current status of the radioserver. There can be three statuses:

- Switched On
- Switched Off
- N/A Unknown (in this case check that IPMI settings are correct)

Power Management (OS) – allows users to turn off the radioserver at the OS level.

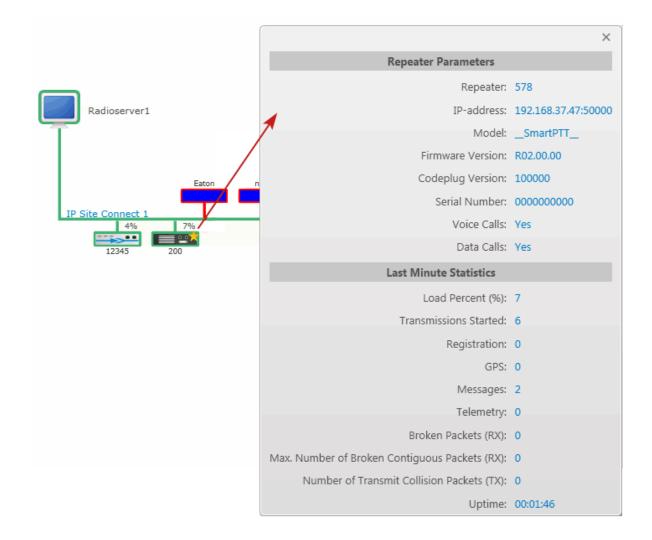
Power Management (hardware) – allows users to turn on/off or to hard reset the radioserver computer at the hardware level.

Note: If the radioserver computer is blocked, you can turn off the radioserver computer only at the hardware level.

If you have more than one radioserver, you can arrange them in the **Topology** tab either vertically or horizontally. The layout can be selected in the **Layout** dropdown at the bottom of the **Topology** tab. The selected layout is applied not only to radioserver elements, but to all elements, which can be folded and unfolded.

2. Repeater

To view repeater parameters and statistics, right-click on the repeater element and select **Information**.



Repeater parameters:

Name	Description
Repeater	Repeater ID
IP-address	Repeater IP-address
Model	Repeater model number
Firmware Version	Version of firmware used in repeater
Codeplug Version	Repeater parameter block version

Name	Description
Serial Number	Repeater serial number
Voice Calls	Ability to transmit voice (Yes, No)
Data Calls	Ability to transmit data (Yes, No)

Statistics:

Name	Description
Channel Loading (%)	Channel loading on repeater for the last 10 seconds
Transmissions Started	Number of times the PTT button was pressed
Registration (ARS)	Number of registration packets transmitted for the last minute
GPS	Number of GPS coordinates transmitted for the last minute
Messages	Number of text messages transmitted for the last minute
Telemetry	Number of telemetry packets transmitted for the last minute
Broken Packets (RX)	Number of packets (Rx) with errors, received for the last minute
Maximum Number of Broken	Maximum number of broken packets (Rx) in a row
Contiguous Packtes (RX)	
Number of Transmit Collision	Number of not transmitted packets due to collisions on the
Packets (TX)	channel
Uptime	The time during which the repeater is available in the network

To operate remotely, right-click on the repeater element and select **Control**. At that, the following window opens.



Note: You cannot operate virtual repeaters remotely, therefore, the **Repeater Control** window is available only for hardware repeaters connected to the radioserver.

Current Channel – channel used by the repeater. Channels are set in repeater settings with the help of MOTOTRBO Customer Programming Software (MOTOTRBO CPS).

Power, TX – transmitter power of repeater. There are high and low modes. Bands for both modes are specified in MOTOTRBO CPS.

State – allows switching the repeater to "active" or "not active" mode. When in the "not active" mode, repeater does not transmit any signals. To switch the repeater to the "active" mode, select *On* in the **State** field.

Restart – allows restarting repeater remotely.

Apply – applies settings specified in the Repeater Control window.

Close – closes the Repeater Control window without making changes in the repeater settings.

3. Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS)

To view parameters and status information of a UPS, right-click on its symbol and select **Information**. Identification:

Name	Description
Model	UPS model
Serial Number	Device serial number
Firmware	Firmware version
IP-address	IP-address

Name	Description
Network Mask	Network mask

State:

Name	Description
Alarm Details	Informs about issues in UPS operation
Input Power Source	Input Power Source
Output Power Source	Output Power Source
Last Battery Replacement	Date and time when battery was replaced last time

Parameters:

Name	Description
Input Voltage (V)	Input voltage level (V)
Input Frequency (Hz)	Input frequency level (Hz)
Output Voltage (V)	Output voltage level (V)
Output Frequency (Hz)	Output frequency level (Hz)
Output Current (A)	Output current level (A)
Output Power (W)	Output power level (W)
Load (%)	Eaton UPS loading in percent
Battery Charge (%)	Battery charge left in percent
Charge Left (hh:mm)	Battery charge left in hours and minutes

4. Router

To view parameters and other information of a router, right-click on the element and select **Information**.

 ${\bf Alarms}-{\bf gives}$ information about issues in the router operation.

5. Unknown Device

Unknown device is any kind of device.

To view information on the device, right-click on the element and select **Information**.

Parameters:

Name	Description
System Name	Name of the device
System Description	Description of the device
Alarm Details	Informs about issues in the device operation

6. Location

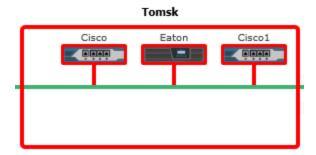
To change the way **Location** is displayed, right-click on the **Location** element, or click on the **Plus/Minus** icon. There are two display modes:

- Folded
- Unfolded

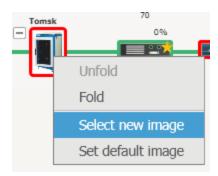
Folded – location is displayed as an image inside a box.



Unfolded – displays which devices, repeaters and routers are used in this location.

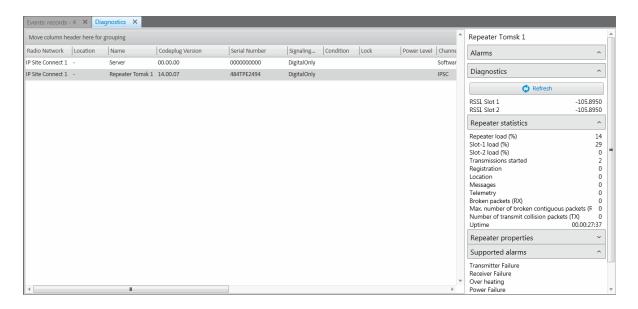


To change the default image of **Location**, right-click on the object. At that, a drop-down will appear where you can either upload your own image or set the default image.



Diagnostics

Diagnostics – provides information about the current state of the connected MOTOTRBO repeaters and alarms.



To select columns to be displayed, right-click on the menu bar with the column names. At that, the following list opens.

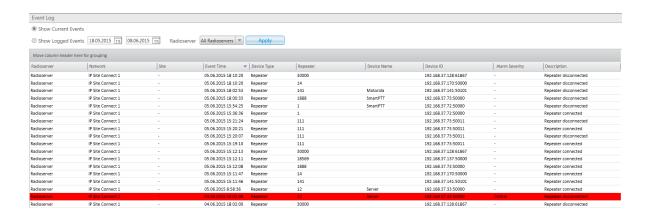


Note: By default, all columns are enabled.

On the right side of the panel you can find all the technical information about the repeater selected in the table, including the repeater's statistics, its properties, and alarms (if there are any). You can also get the latest information on RSSI levels per slot and other parameters by clicking the **Refresh** button under **Diagnostics**.

Event Log

The event log of monitoring is one of the best ways to learn about hardware alarms, for example, it informs about repeater connection or about the states of connected routers and UPS.



Note: Events with severity "Critical", "Major" and "Minor" are highlighted with red, pink and yellow respectively.

Besides reviewing current events, **Event Log** provides the ability to view saved events for the particular time period.

To review events for a time period, select **Show Logged Events**, define the period limits by using the calendars for start and end dates, select the radioserver from the drop-down and click **Apply**.

1.4.9 Lone Workers

The **Lone Workers** panel displays the list of subscribers who are in the **Lone Worker** mode and their current status. This was designed for a better supervision over lone workers.

To open the **Lone Workers** panel, expand the **Tools** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Lone Workers**. At that, the following window opens.



The Lone Workers panel shows radio subscribers working in the Lone Worker mode marked with specific color.

The color shows if the subscriber meets the requirements set for the lone worker profile the subscriber belongs to:

- Light gray the lone worker did not violate the rule.
- Yellow rule violation: the event, described by the rule, has occurred. Alert Timer starts.
- Red the lone worker did not react in a specified way after Alert Timer expired.

Note: For more information how to set rules for lone workers, please see Lone Worker Rules.

To turn off the Lone Worker mode, click the cross button.

1.4.10 Latest Incoming Calls

The "Latest Incoming Calls" panel shows the latest subscribers who made a call in the radio network. It also provides quick access to the call window of the subscribers.

To open the panel, on the Tools menu click Latest Incoming Calls.



To call a subscriber, click it in the panel. This opens the Call Window of the subscriber.

To change the number of subscribers in the panel, change the Notification Panels settings.

1.4.11 Notifications

The **Notification** window informs the dispatcher that the set of rules were not fulfilled and the alarms were activated.

The following rules are displayed in the **Notifications** window:

- Rules and Alerts
- GPS Rules

• Lone Worker Rules

When the specified event happens and one of the rules triggers, the notification window opens up automatically to display the alarm notification.

The usual notification is composed of the following parts:

- Caption
- Subscriber name and time
- · Text of the alarm



1.4.12 System Messages

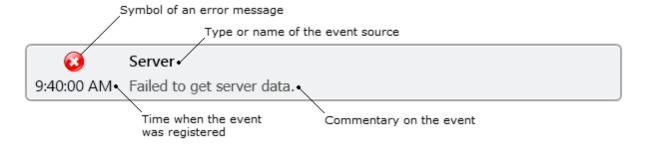
The System Messages panel shows you messages on events related to the radio network functionality.

Messages inform you about:

- the statuses of the connections to the radio networks,
- the statuses of the connections to the radio network components,
- the activity statuses of the network components,
- the statuses of the connection to the server and more.

You can see three types of messages:

• error messages for losing a great functionality, for example:



• warning messages for losing a minor functionality, for example:



• information messages about getting or restoring functionality.

You can configure rules for message appearance in the Events and Notifications menu.

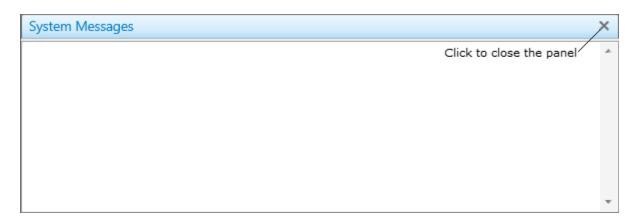
You can learn a source of the event from the message:

- Client, i.e. the SmartPTT Dispatcher program,
- Server, i.e. the SmartPTT Radioserver program,
- Client-Server Connection,
- Database, i.e. the SmartPTT Dispatcher database,
- Your radio network and its components.

You can also see a time of the event and commentary on it.

You can show the **System Messages** panel in two ways:

• On the Tools menu, click System Messages. The System Messages window appears.



• by configuring its automatic showing in the **System Messages** menu.

To close the **System Messages** panel click **Close** X.

Examples of warning messages:



Database

9:40:00 AM

Database SmartPTT Dispatcher is 90.01% full. The program can be instable. Please, activate the automatic database cleanup.

This message appears when amount of records in the database exceeds 90% of the maximum size of the database. It will appear at the start of SmartPTT Dispatcher and will reappear every 30 min until database is not cleaned up.

In rare cases you can see a message that database in 100% full. It appears only when 0.005% of free space left in the database.

Examples of error messages:

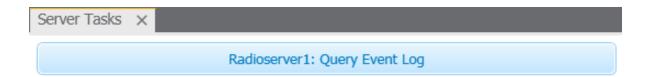


This message indicates that amount of records in the database reached its maximum. It will appear at the start of SmartPTT Dispatcher and will reappear every 30 min until database is not cleaned up.

1.4.13 Server Tasks

The **Server Tasks** window shows the list of commands from the dispatch application the radioserver is processing at a given moment of time.

For now, only a few commands are displayed in the **Server Tasks** window, for example, the command to create the radioserver event log.



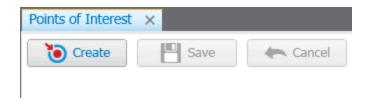
1.4.14 Map Tools

Points of Interest

The **Points of Interest** panel displays all the existing points of interest. You can also create, modify or delete a point of interest from the panel.

To view points of interest (POI) to be displayed on the map, expand the **Tools** menu in the **Main Menu bar** of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window, click **Map Tools** and then **Points of Interest**.

At that, the **Points of Interest** panel opens.



In the panel window you can do the following:

- Create a new POI
- · View the list of created POIs
- Hide or show POIs on the map

To create a new POI:

- 1. Open a map.
- 2. Click Create.
- 3. In the opened window type the name of the POI and upload its picture. Click OK.
- 4. Place the new POI on the map by clicking the left mouse button.
- 5. To save the position of the POI click Save in the panel window. To call off the changes, click Cancel.

You can also create the POI from the Map menu. For more information see Maps.

To hide or show the POI on the map, select the check box next to the POI title.

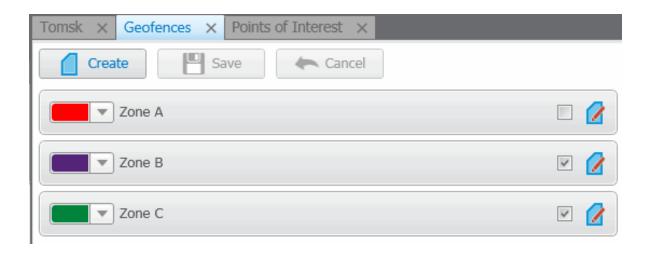
Geofences

The **Geofences** panel is used to create, modify and display geofence on the map. Geofences help dispatchers keep an eye on subscribers. A dispatcher can define the area of the geofence on his or her own and attach special rules to it.

You can add a geofence in two ways:

- 1. By drawing a geofence on the map. You will learn about it in this article.
- 2. By specifying coordinates of the geofence. For more information see Geofences.

To open the **Geofences** panel, expand the **Tools** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window, click **Map Tools** and then **Geofences**. At that, the following window opens up.

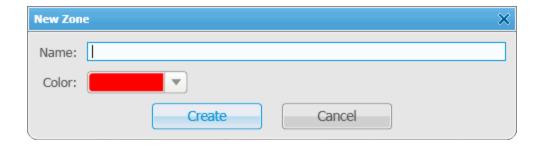


To create a new geofence:

1. Open a map.

Note: Geofence creation with Map Point is not supported.

- 2. Click Create in the Geofences panel window.
- 3. In the opened dialog box type the name of the geofence and select the color. Click Create.



- 4. Draw the geofence on the map with the help of mouse and the keyboard. The geofence must have at least 3 points. To undo the last added point press the **ESC** key. You can also stop drawing the geofence by double-clicking on the last point of the zone.
- 5. Click Save in the Geofences panel window.

- 6. The record about the new geofence will appear in the **Geofences** panel.
- 7. You can activate the geofence in this panel by selecting the check box next to the name of the geofence and edit it by clicking **Edit**. You can also change the color of the geofence.

To call off creation of the new geofence, click Cancel. To modify the existing geofence, click Edit.

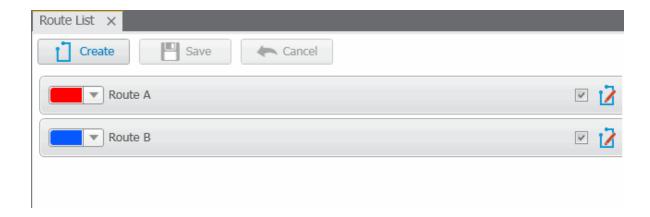
To assign a rule to the geofence, go to GPS Rules.

Routes

Route is a tool of SmartPTT that significantly extends functionality of the dispatch system, especially for monitoring and controlling networks of highly mobile subscribers moving along the predefined route (for example, employees of transportation companies). Its meaning radically differs from the pre-existing concept of a "Route" as the trajectory of subscriber's movement that, from now on, is called "Track".

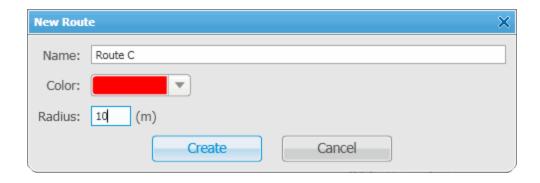
The route, starting with version 7.1.0 is a polyline connecting key points of the network coverage area. Subscriber location near the key points is identified by the specified radius of the route and can be summarized in the **Subscriber Locations** report.

To open the **Routes** panel, expand the **Tools** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window, click **Map Tools** and then **Routes**. At that, the **Routes** panel opens.



To create a new route:

1. Open the map window and click **Create**. At that, the **New Route** window opens.



- 2. In the field **Name** type the name of the new route.
- 3. Set the color of the new route.
- 4. In the **Radius** field enter allowed deviation from the route.
- 5. Click Create.
- 6. Go to the map window and draw the route.

Route points are created by clicking with the left mouse button on the map area. To create the first route point, point to the place where the route starts and left-click on it. To create next route points, point to the appropriate place on the map and left-click on it. Route points connect sequentially drawing a new route on the map. To undo the last added point, press Esc.

You can stop drawing the route by double-clicking the last point of the route.

7. To save the route, click **Save** in the **Routes** panel window. To call off the route, click **Cancel**. To modify the existing route, click the **Edit** button

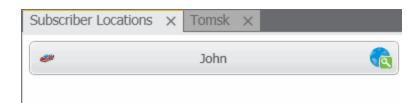
Subscriber Location Panel

Subscriber Location panel shows the subscribers inside the selected area on the map.

To select area on the map, press **CTRL** and click with the left mouse button and draw the area covering subscribers.

Note: The **Subscriber Location** panel will be opened automatically if it is hidden at the moment of subscriber selection.

Opened Subscriber Locations panel.





to find the subscriber on the map.

To open the **Subscriber Location** panel manually, click the **Tools** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and then open **Map Tools**.

1.5 Settings

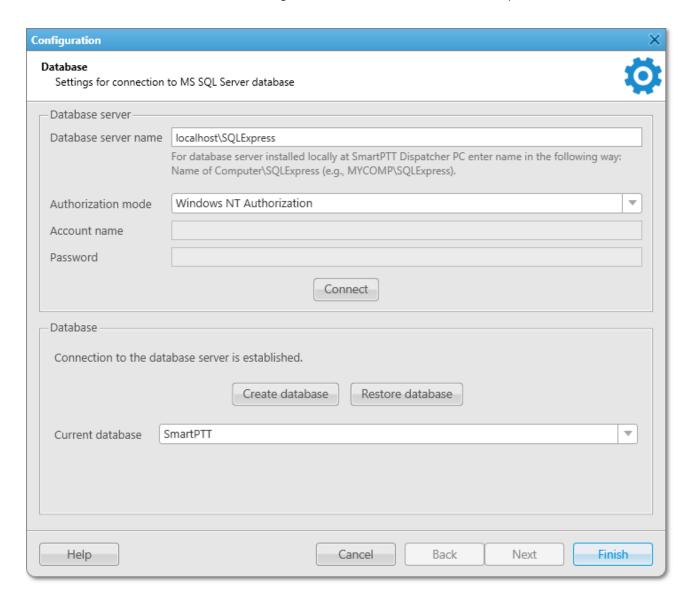
The **Settings** menu allows you to configure system parameters, create special rules, which will help you manage workers, connect external third-party devices and so on:

- <u>Database</u> allows you to manage the system database, i.e., create new database or connect to the existing database.
- Licenses allows you to install licenses.
- General Settings allows you to tune the dispatch console, e.g., define the PTT button behavior, enable
 automatic system updates, select language, etc.
- Subscribers allows you to add, edit and delete radio subscribers.
- <u>Control Devices</u> allows you to select and configure control devices to be used in SmartPTT Dispatcher, like the mouse, touchscreen and other devices.
- <u>Radioservers</u> allows you to manage available radioservers, e.g., add new radioservers to be seen in the dispatcher console, assign profiles to the available radioservers.
- Operators allows you to add operators and manage their rights.
- <u>Statuses</u> allows you to add statuses for radio subscribers displayed in the Subscribers Management panel.
- Event Log allows you to manage the event log and the system messages.
- <u>Call Windows</u> allows you to configure Call Window parameters, e.g., specify the type of event that triggers the window opening.
- Sound Settings allows you to configure sound settings and set up multichannel sound.

- Records allows you to enable call recording and set up recording parameters.
- <u>Positioning Systems</u> allows you to configure GPS and Indoor settings.
- <u>Telemetry</u> allows you to configure telemetry commands to be available.
- Categories allows you to create categories.
- <u>Dispatchers</u> allows you to add other dispatchers and configure parameters of your own dispatcher console.
- <u>Telephone Interconnect</u> allows you to configure telephone settings and <u>Telephone Subscribers</u> allows you to create a list of telephone subscribers.
- Job Ticket Statuses allows you to add statuses for job tickets.
- Third-Party Equipment allows you to configure Tipro settings.
- Hot Keys allows you to customize keyboard shortcuts for making calls to subscribers.
- Database Auto Backup allows you to set the SmartPTT Dispatcher database auto backup.
- Rules and Alerts allows you to set up rules based on general events.
- Positioning Rules allows you to set up rules based on GPS and Indoor data.
- Lone Worker Rules allows you to create and set up rules for lone workers.
- <u>Subscriber Custom Properties</u> allows you to add additional properties to be displayed in subscriber Properties window.
- Custom Consoles allows you to create custom consoles with necessary elements.

1.5.1 Database

To connect to the database, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Database**. At that, a configuration window for database creation opens.



Before creating a new database, connect to the database server. For this, fill in the **Database server name** field, and click **Connect**. In case of a successful connection, you will see the following message in the **Database** section: "Connection is established successfully!". If connection was not established, you will see a message with the error description at the bottom of the window.

Note: For the database server installed together with the SmartPTT Dispatcher application enter the name using the format: Name of PC\SQLExpress (for example, *MYCOMP\SQLExpress*).

Authorization Mode – allows you to select authorization mode with the database.

SQL Server Authorization – you must have the login and password of the account which has access to the SQL server.

Windows NT Authorization – the user who has logged into the Windows system, must be listed in the SQL server's list of users to make connection.

To create a new database, click **Create Database**. In the window that opened enter the name of the new database and click **Save**.

Current database - allows you to connect to one of the created databases.

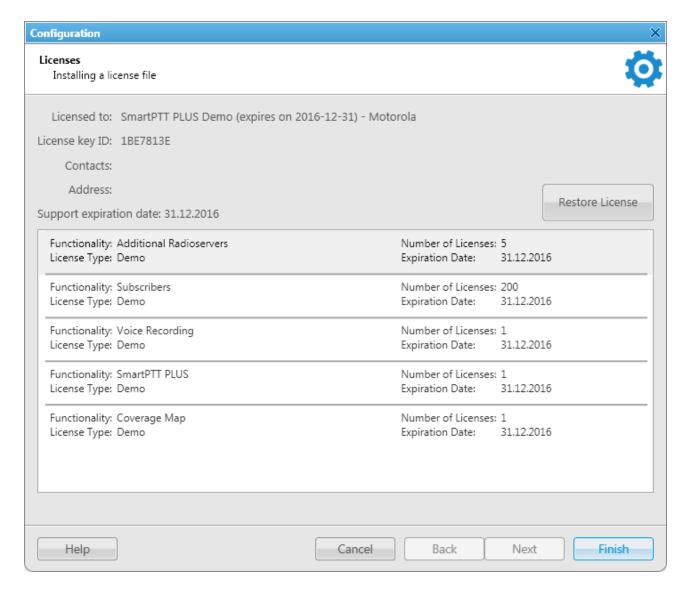
Restore Database – allows you to restore the current database using automatic backups. You can set up auto backups of the database in **Settings** > **Database Auto Backup**.

To save the changes, click Finish. To apply the changes with the database, restart the dispatch console.

1.5.2 Licenses

To use the SmartPTT application you need to install licenses. There are licenses for basic features which allow you to run the application and licenses for additional features, like telephone connection support, bridging, SNMP service, etc.

To install licenses, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Licenses**. The configuration window opens from where you can load license files which define functions available in the system.



Click Install License – the browse window will open. Specify the license file's location and click Open.

The license is installed, and the system licensing window displays information on the license type and scope of functions.

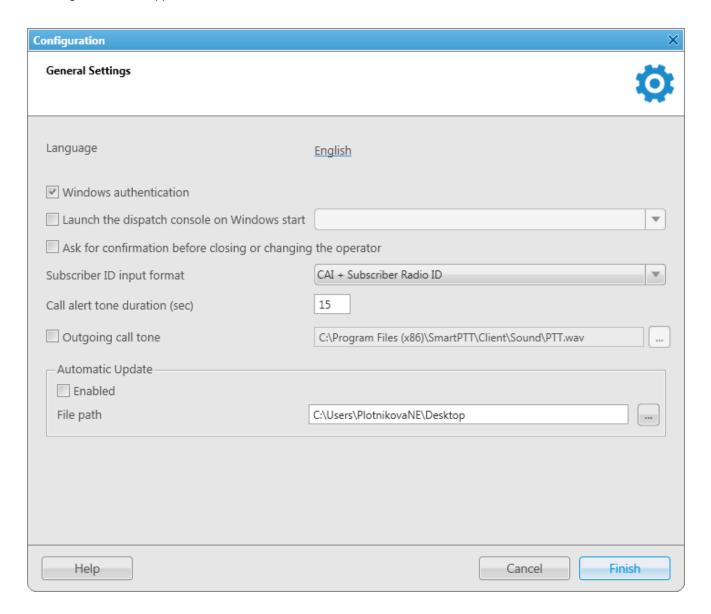
After the license is installed, the **Install License** button will change to the **Restore License** button. Clicking the **Restore License** button, you return to the previous license. After the **Licensing** window is closed, the latest displayed in the window license will be applied.

Note: If the radioserver and the dispatch console are installed on one and the same machine, you can install the licenses either in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator or in SmartPTT Dispatcher. If the radioserver and the dispatcher console are installed on different PCs, you need to install the licenses in both applications.

1.5.3 General Settings

In the **General Settings** window you can configure the global settings of the SmartPTT Dispatcher application (e.g., user interface language, automatic update, etc).

To set the settings, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and select **General Settings**. At that, the following window will appear.



Language: Allows you to change the language used in the dispatch console. After selecting a new language, restart SmartPTT Dispatcher to apply the change.

Windows authentication: It enables Windows authentication within the dispatch console. For that, <u>create the operator</u> with the name of the Windows user, or the Windows group to which the Windows user is assigned.

Note: In Windows 7, for the domain Windows user only domain Windows groups will be checked. Starting from Windows 8, for the domain Windows user all Windows groups will be checked (whether domain or local).

If **Windows authentication** is selected, the dispatch console is opened under the operator's account, whose name matches the name of the logged in Windows user, or Windows group to which this logged in Windows user is assigned. At that, the **Authorization** window will be skipped and the operator's password ignored. In the dispatch console, the button **Change Operator** will be unavailable and the user will not be able to change operator.

If **Windows authentication** is not selected or the operator's name does not match the name of the logged in Windows user, or the Windows group, the **Authorization** window will open, and the user will need to select the operator and type the password.

Launch the dispatch console on Windows start: Enables automatic launch of SmartPTT Dispatcher on Windows start with the selected operator. This feature does not work if <u>Windows authentication</u> is selected. Subscriber ID input method sets the input and display methods used for showing subscriber ID in the radio subscriber <u>Properties</u> window: IP address or CAI + subscriber ID.

IP Address – IP address is entered and displayed in the subscriber's **Properties** window:

CAI + Subscriber ID (CAI network ID and a unique radio ID) are entered and displayed in the subscriber's

Properties window: CAI 12 Radio ID 15

Call alert tone duration (s): Sets the duration of the call alert sound in SmartPTT Dispatcher.

Outgoing call tone: This alert tone plays after the PTT button is pressed and the operator is able to transmit on the channel. This is to prompt the operator to begin speaking.

Ask for confirmation before closing or changing the operator: If selected, you will need to confirm before closing SmartPTT Dispatcher, or before changing the operator.

To enable automatic update, select the **Automatic Update** check box. If the check box is selected, the system will be checking for updates on a regular basis.

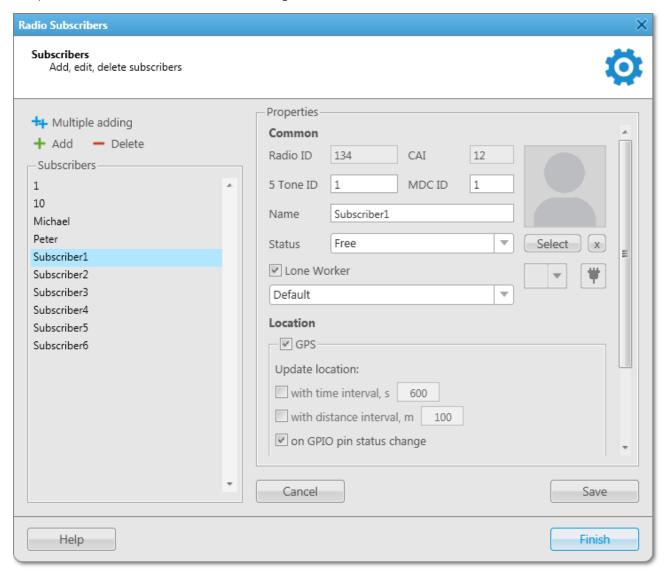
In the **File path** field specify the path to the **ClientSetup.exe** file, which you download together with SmartPTT Software Installation Package. If a new SmartPTT version is available, when you launch SmartPTT Dispatcher (or when you choose **Check for Updates** from the **Help** menu), the notification window will appear.

Note: After downloading the new version of the system, it is not necessary to uninstall the previous version.

1.5.4 Subscribers

In the **Subscribers** window, you can add, edit and delete radio subscribers. The **Subscribers** window allows you to perform these actions with one radio subscriber or with several subscribers simultaneously.

To open the Subscribers window, click Settings > Subscribers.

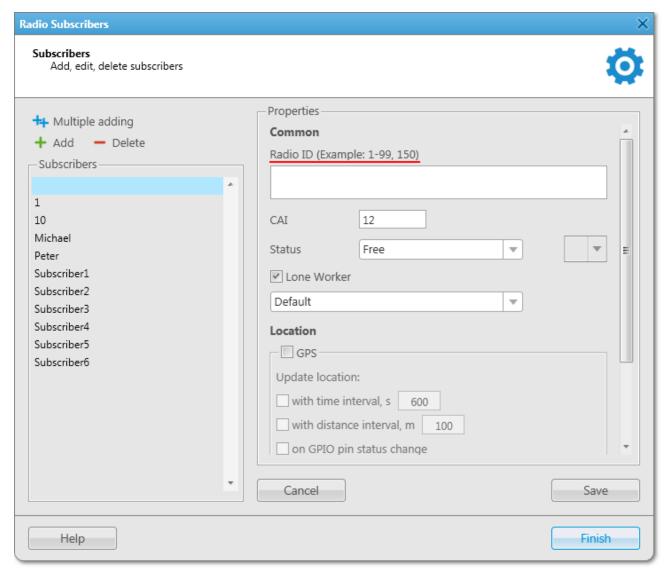


To add one radio subscriber, click **Add**, specify its <u>properties</u> in the **Properties** section on the right and click **Save**.

To edit one radio subscriber, select this radio subscriber in the **Subscribers** list, change the required data in the **Properties** tab on the right and click **Save**.

To delete one radio subscriber, select this radio subscriber in the **Subscribers** list, click **Delete** and click **OK** in the **Confirmation** window that will open.

To add several radio subscribers, click Multiple adding.



In the **Radio ID** field of the **Properties** section, input the range of the radio identifiers that are added or specify them separated by comma. Specify other <u>properties</u>, common for all radio subscribers, that are added, and click **Save**.

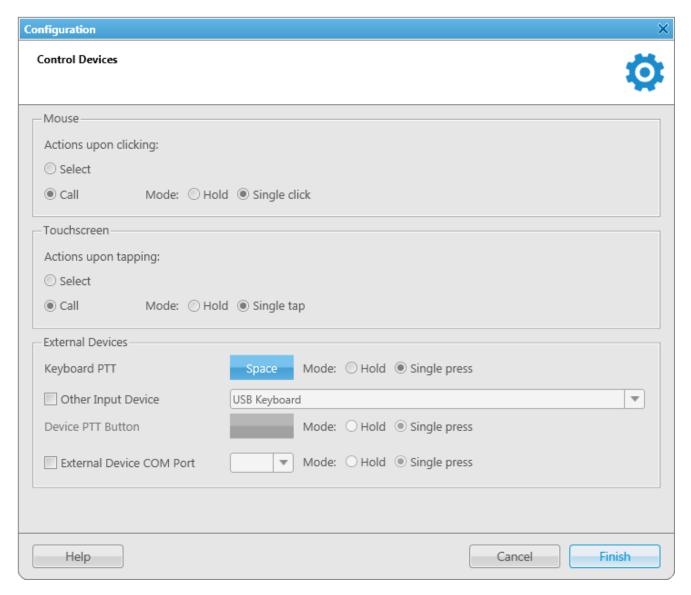
To change the properties of several radio subscribers, select the required radio subscribers in the **Subscribers** tab, change theirs <u>properties</u> and click **Save**.

To delete several radio subscribers, select the required radio subscribers in the **Subscribers** tab, click **Delete** and click **OK** in the **Confirmation** window that will open.

1.5.5 Control Devices

In the **Control Devices** window you can select and configure the control device to be used in SmartPTT Dispatcher. This can be a mouse, touchscreen, keyboard or other external input device.

To define the control device, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and select **Control Devices**. At that, the following window appears.



The window is divided into three group boxes, devoted to a mouse, a touchscreen, and to external devices.

Under **Mouse** and **Touchsreen** you can select the action that will be performed at clicking or tapping, and PTT mode. These settings will be applied to several panels: Radio Fleet, Subscribers, Call Windows, Custom Consoles, Emergencies. The Calls panel does not support these settings—single click is applied there.

The **External Devices** group box allows you to set up the following devices:

- keyboard;
- external input USB device;

• external input device connected via COM port.

To assign PTT to a keyboard button, click on the button space next to **Keyboard PTT**, and press a

keyboard button. At that, the pressed button will appear. To define the PTT mode (i.e., pressing and release), select **Hold**, or **Single press**.

To set up the PTT button on any external input device connected via USB, select **Other Input Device** and choose the required device from the list. Then, click on the blue button next to **Device PTT Button** and press any button on the device.

External Device COM Port – COM port used to connect to the external PTT device.

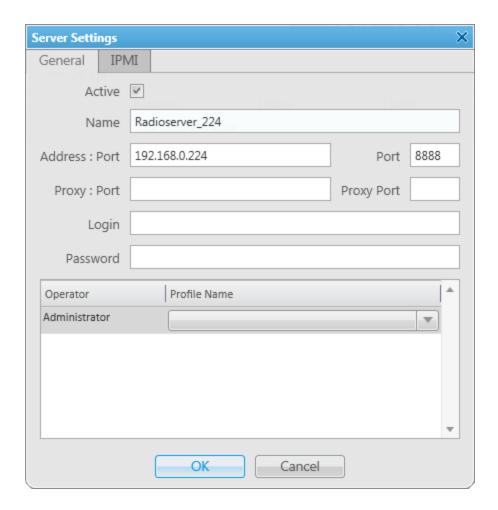
There are two modes available for the PTT button on external devices: **Hold** and **Single press**. To save changes, click **Finish**.

1.5.6 Radioservers

To connect the existing radioserver to the dispatcher console, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and click **Radioservers**. The configuration window for setting up and configuring radioservers opens up.



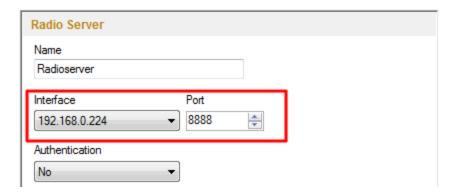
By default, the list of radioservers is empty. Click Add to open the window for adding radioservers.



Name – radioserver name displayed in the list of radioservers.

Address, Port – radioserver IP address and port number to connect with the dispatcher (the default radioserver port number is 8888). Make sure that the Address and Port you enter match the Address and Port specified in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.

In this example we use port 8888.



Proxy:port – is a proxy server IP address and port number of the connection.

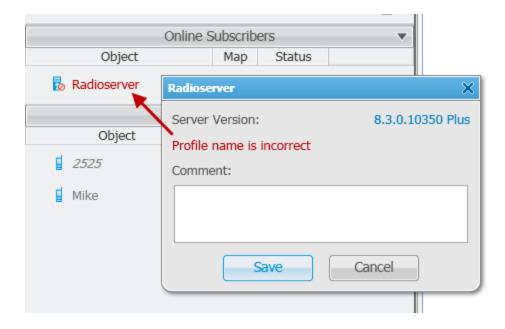
Fields **Login** and **Password** must be filled if authentication is enabled on the radioserver side. To enable authentication on the radioserver side, run SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator, click **Radioserver**, select *Windows* in the **Authentication** field. Currently, you can select only Windows authentication. If Windows authentication is selected, you can't connect the dispatcher console and the radioserver without indicating valid credentials in the **Login** and **Password** fields. If the radioserver computer makes part of a domain, indicate the domain login and password, if not – indicate local login and password.

Note: If *No* is selected in the **Authentication** field, make sure that the fields **Login** and **Password** in the dispatcher console are empty. Otherwise, the dispatcher console and the radioserver can't connect.

Active – if selected, the radioserver is available for connections. You should also remember that you do not have to remove the radioserver from the list to disable it. It is enough to clear the check box.

Operator – list of all active operators created in SmartPTT Dispatcher.

Profile Name – enter profile name defined for the dispatcher in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator. If **Profile Name** is not specified, the dispatcher has access to all radios, talkgroups and services provided by the radioserver. If the profile name is incorrect, the radioserver will be marked red.



Note: Profile management is described in the SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator help file.

After all the fields are completed, click **OK**. At that, the new radioserver appears in the list of radioservers.

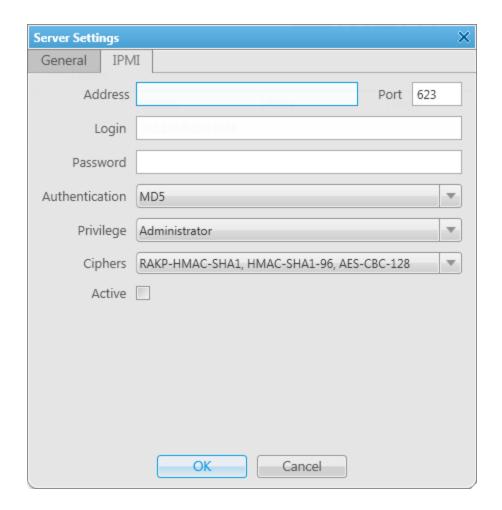
To edit the radioserver settings, select it in the list of radioservers and click **Edit**. To delete the radioserver, select it in the list of radioservers and click **Delete**. To find all the running radioservers in the network, click **Search**.

IPMI Settings

Intelligent Platform Management Interface (IPMI) is a standardized computer system interface used for out-of-band management of computer systems and monitoring of their operation.

SmartPTT system uses IPMI for managing and monitoring remote radioservers. With the help of IMPI you can not only learn about the hardware characteristics of the radioserver machine, but also turn it on/off remotely.

To set up IPMI open the Server Settings window of the selected radioserver and then open the IPMI tab.



Address, Port – IP address and port number of the radioserver PC that are used to establish IPMI connection.

Login and **Password** are obligatory fields. They must match the login and password set in IPMI configuration settings on the radioserver PC.

Authentication – authentication types. Use **MD5** as default authentication type.

Privilege – depending on the privilege used, the user has different permissions. Use Administrative as default. For more information about the privileges, check the official IPMI documentation.

Ciphers – the list of ciphers to be used. Select the default cipher, that is *RAKP-HMAC-SHA1*, *HMAC-SHA1-96*, *AES-CBC-128*.

Active – select the check box to activate IPMI functionality for the radioserver.

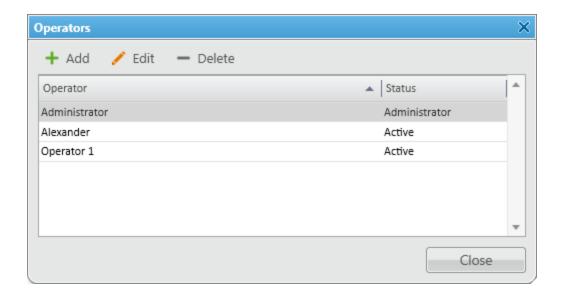
Note: For more information about managing the radioserver with the help of IPMI, see Monitoring.

1.5.7 Operators

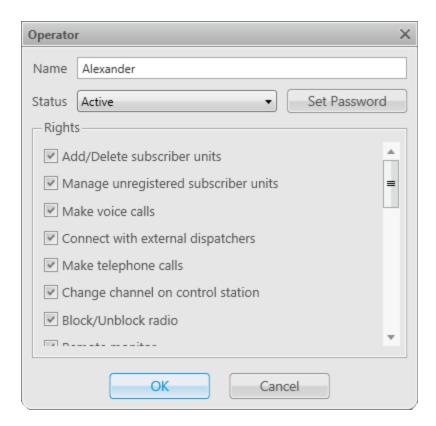
By default, an operator with the name **Administrator** and no password is created in SmartPTT Dispatcher. The Administrator has full access to SmartPTT management functions.

The Administrator can add new system operators and customize their access to specific functionality.

To add a new operator, click **Settings** > **Operators** in the **Main Menu** bar. At that, the **Operators** window will be displayed.



To add a new operator, click Add. A new window for adding operators opens up.



Name: The operator's name. If <u>Windows authentication</u> is selected (**Settings > General Settings**), make sure that the new operator's name matches the name of a Windows user or Windows group.

Status: The operator's status ("Active" or "Archived"). Status *in the archive* is used for registered operators which are not used any longer, but cannot be removed from the system as the event log contains entries referring to them.

Rights: A list of permissions which can be selected or cleared for each operator individually. The following rights can be assigned to the operator:

Right	Description
Add/Delete subscriber units	allows/denies adding, changing properties and deleting radio subscriber in the Radio Fleet window and in the
	Subscribers panel
Manage unregistered subscriber units	shows/hides subscribers which were not added in the Radio Fleet window or in the Subscribers panel

Right	Description
Make voice calls	allows/denies making calls to radio subscriber except
	conference calls
	Note: This option does not have visual effect in SmartPTT
	Dispatcher
Connect with external dispatcher	allows/denies the connection of the dispatchers to each
	other
	Note: Requires preliminary configuration in the each
	dispatch program
Make telephone calls	allows/denies making call to the telephone subscriber
Change channel on control station	allows/denies changing the channel of control station
Block/Unblock radio	allows blocking/unblocking subscribers listed in the Radio
	Fleet window
Radio Kill	allows to block a radio irreversibly by means of the Radio
	Kill command
Remote monitor	allows/denies the remote monitoring of radio subscriber
	(remote turning on the microphone of the radio unit)
	Note: Permission must be configured on the radio
	subscriber unit
Reboot control station	allows/denies rebooting the control station
Manage subscriber location settings	enables/disables configuring regular requests for radio
	subscriber location in the Location tab
Request subscriber location	allows/denies requesting and deleting current location of
	the <u>radio subscriber</u> :
	Set Location Find on Map
	Show Address Remove from Map
Send text message	allows/denies sending text messages to the subscriber
Send telemetry commands	allows/denies sending telemetry commands

Right	Description
Manage bridging settings	enables/disables configuring call bridging table
Manage routes	enables/disables managing <u>routes</u>
Manage geofences	enables/disables managing geofences
Manage points of interest	enables/disables managing points of interest
Manage tracks	enables/disables showing, animating, and clearing tracks
View coverage map	enables/disables showing and configuring coverage map
Build reports	allows/denies managing <u>reports</u>
Edit custom subscriber properties	enables/disables configuring additional properties of the
	subscriber
Attach radios to selected channel	enables/disables displaying subscribers as attached to
	the particular slot in Radio Fleet window. This option is
	recommended to be set for Capacity Plus systems
Make conference calls	enables/disables making conference calls
View radioserver event log	enables/disables showing radioserver event log
Create deferred action	enables/disables creating <u>deferred actions</u> for subscriber
Manage statuses	enables/disables creating, editing and deleting statuses;
Manage rules and alerts	allows/denies creating, editing and deleting rules and
	<u>alerts</u>
Manage positioning rules	allows/denies managing positioning rules
Manage Ione worker rules	allows/denies managing lone worker rules

Set/Change Password: Sets new operator's password or changes the old one.

To edit an operator, select it in the list of operators and click **Edit**. The edit window is displayed where you can change **Name**, **Status** and **Password** parameters.

To delete an operator from the operators list, select it and click **Delete**.

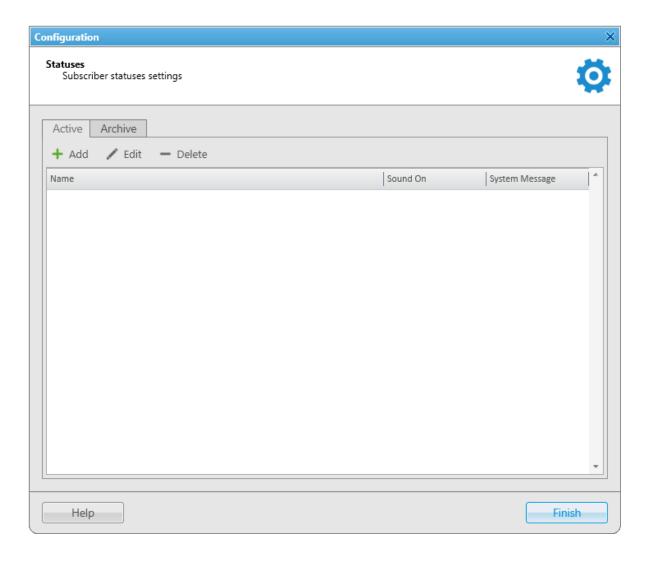
Note: You cannot delete the Administrator from the system.

To switch operators, click in the **Main Menu** and after the dispatch console has restarted, select a new operator.

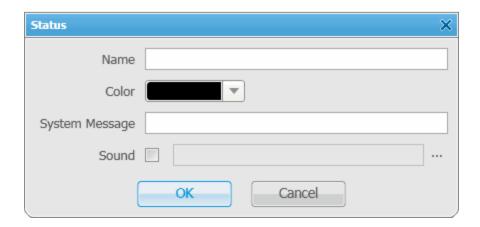
1.5.8 Statuses

You can create statuses to assign to radio subscribers (for example, Available, On Call, In Place or Busy). Each radio subscriber can have a status showing their current state. The status is set either by the dispatcher or by the radio subscribers themselves.

To set up statuses, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Statuses**. At that, the configuration window opens.



To add a new status, click **Add** in the **Active** tab. A window for adding a new status opens.



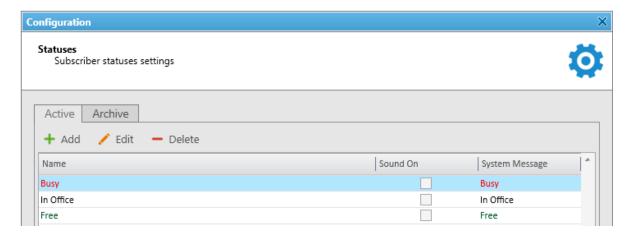
Name – status name to be displayed in SmartPTT Dispatcher.

Color – status color to be displayed in SmartPTT Dispatcher.

System Message – message which triggers status change, that is if a radio subscriber sends this message to the dispatcher, the subscriber receives the status.

Sound – audio file played back if the status is activated.

Click **OK**, and the new status is added to the list of statuses.



To edit the existing status, select it in the list of active statuses (the Active tab) and click Edit.

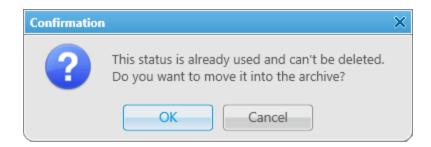
To delete the status, select it in the list of active statuses and click **Delete**. You can delete a status only if it was never assigned to a subscriber. If the status is currently assigned to a subscriber or used to be assigned, it can't be deleted. But, it can be moved to an archive. Characteristics of the archive statuses are:

- They can't be assigned to radio subscribers.
- They can't be used in the alert rule definitions. However, the archive status remains valid as an alert rule criteria for a particular rule, if it was selected as such before being moved to the archive.
- They are displayed in the event log entries.
- They can be restored from the archive.

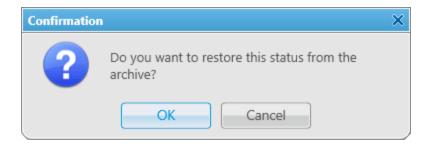
To see the list of archive statuses, open the **Archive** tab of the **Statuses** window.



To move the status to the archive, select the status from the active status list, click **Delete** and click **OK** in the opened dialog box to confirm the action.



In order to restore the status from the archive, select the status from the archive list, click **Restore** and then click **OK** in the opened dialog box to confirm the action.

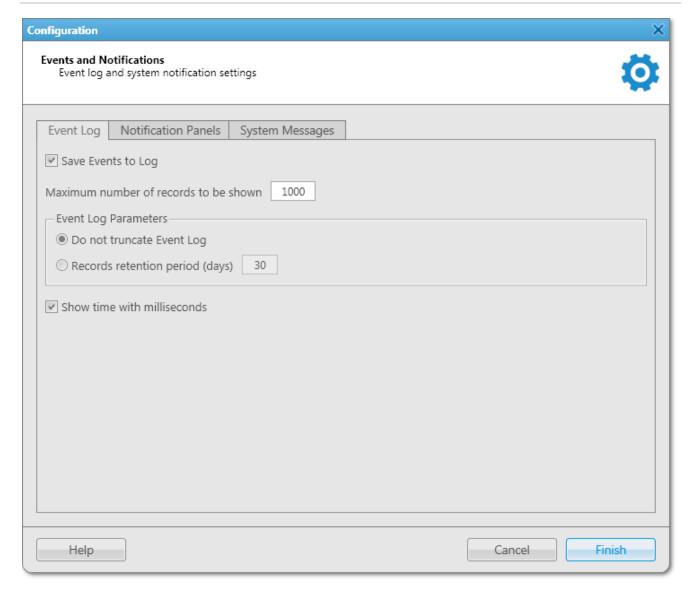


1.5.9 Events and Notifications

The "Events and Notifications" window provides the following settings:

- Event log settings,
- Settings for the Emergencies panel,
- System message settings.

To open "Events and Notifications" window on the **Settings** menu **©** click **Events and Notifications**. The **Configuration** window appears. You can switch between tabs here to configure the event processing in the system.



Event Log

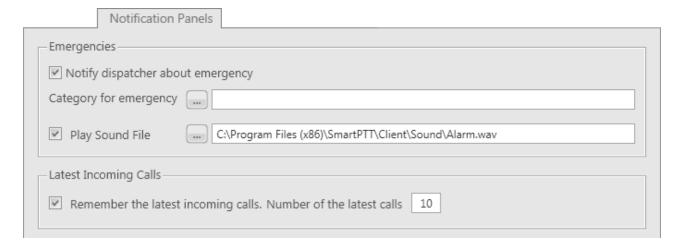


The following settings are available to you:

• Save Events to Log: Select to make records on the event in the SmartPTT Dispatcher database.

- Maximum number of records to be shown: Enter the maximum number of the latest events you want to see in the Event Log.
- Event Log Parameters: Configure the deletion of records from the Dispatcher database:
 - Do not truncate: Click to add new records to the database until it reaches it maximum space on the hard drive.
 - Records retention period (days): Click to delete records which older that particular number of days.
 Enter the number of days in the field next to this option.
- Show time with milliseconds: Select to show milliseconds in the Event Log.

Notification Panels



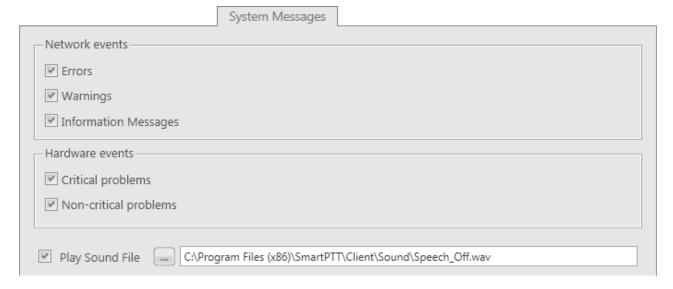
The following settings are available to you:

- Emergencies: Configure the emergency situation processing:
 - Notify dispatcher about emergency: Select to open the <u>Emergencies</u> panel automatically and/or show the subscriber on the map if <u>Maps</u> are opened.
 - Category for Emergencies: Click Browse to select the category (only one) of emergency situations (see <u>Categories</u>).
 - Play Sound File: Click Browse to select the audio file, which should be played at the emergency situation.

Note: The **Emergencies** panel appears only when emergency signal is registered. You cannot open it manually.

- Latest incoming calls: Configure the latest calls processing:
 - Remember the latest incoming calls: Select to make records about the latest incoming calls (see <u>Latest Incoming Calls</u>).
 - o **Number of the latest calls:** Enter the maximum number of records about the latest incoming calls.

System Messages



The following settings are available to you:

- Network events: Configure network events processing:
 - o **Errors**: Select to show error messages in the **System messages** panel.
 - o Warnings: Select to show warning messages in the System messages panel.
 - o Information Messages: Select to show information messages in the System messages panel.

Note: If you unselect **Errors**, you will get error messages in separate windows instead of that in the **System** messages panel.

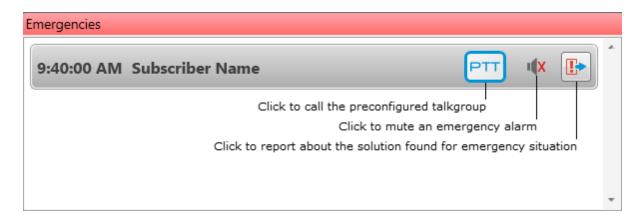


- Hardware events: Configure hardware events processing (works only if Monitoring is active):
 - o **Critical problems**: Select to show errors in the **System messages** panel.
 - o **Non-critical problems**: Select to show warnings in the **System messages** panel.
- Play Sound File: Click Browse to select the audio file, which should be played when system messages appears.

To save changes and close the window, click Finish. To cancel changes and close the window, click Cancel.

Emergencies

The "Emergencies" panel appears in SmartPTT Dispatcher when subscriber sends an emergency alarm.

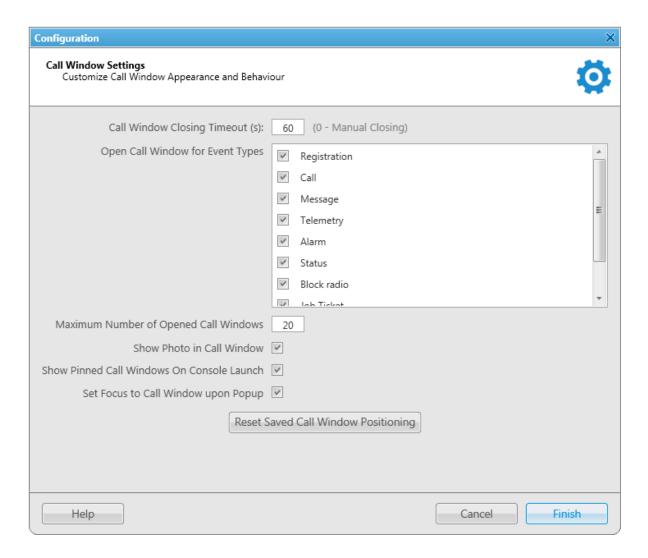


Operator can make the following actions:

- Call the talkgroup which is preconfigured in the radio via the MOTOTRBO CPS program. To start the call it should click **PTT**.
- Mute the emergency alarm by clicking Mute [™]x.
- Report about the solution found for the situation. When operator clicks **Close Emergency** •, the panel closes. However, the emergency mode of the radio stops only when subscriber turns it off on the radio.

1.5.10 Call Windows

To configure the parameters of the **Call Window**, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Call Windows**. At that, the configuration window opens where you can configure the appearance and functions of the **Call Window**.



Call Window Closing Timeout (s) — sets the time period in seconds at the end of which the **Call Window** closes automatically.

Note: If you enter 0 in the field, the Call Window won't close automatically.

Open Call Window for Event Types — specifies types of events triggering the Call Window opening (Registration, Call, Message, Telemetry, Alarm, Status, Block Radio, Job ticket, Radio Check).

Maximum Number of Opened Call Windows — allows you to set up the maximum number of call windows opened automatically.

Show Photo in Call Window — select to display the subscriber's photo in the Call Window.

Show Pinned Call Windows on Console Launch — if selected, the position of the Call Windows, pinned before the SmartPTT Dispatcher application closing, will be restored during next launch.

Set Focus to Call Window upon Popup — select the check box to focus on the **Call Window** when it is opened or have a new activity.

Reset Saved Call Window Positioning — click the button to reset the current position of the call windows.

1.5.11 Sound

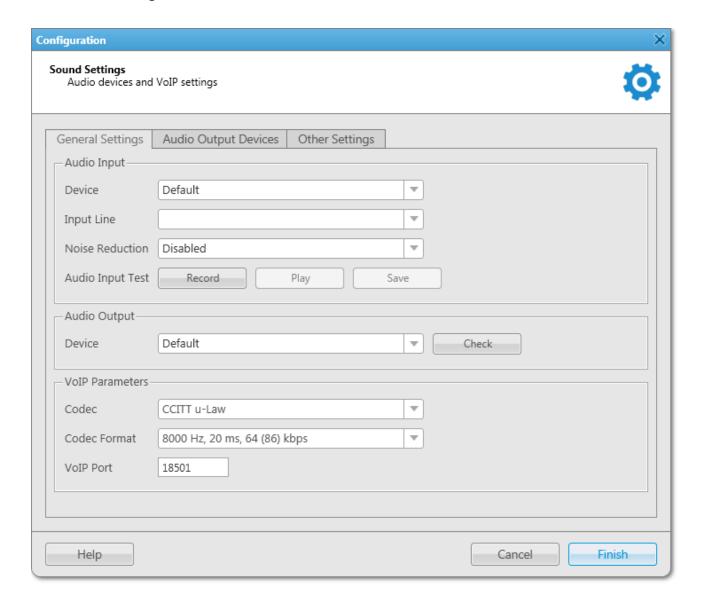
Warning! For proper operation, make sure that you have a working microphone. If not, you won't be able to make or answer calls.

To set audio device settings and VoIP parameters, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Sound Settings**. At that, the configuration window opens up.

The **Sound Settings** window includes:

- 1. General Settings tab
- 2. Audio Output Devices tab
- 3. Other Settings tab

The **General Settings** tab:



Audio Input parameters:

Device – audio device to which the microphone is connected. It is recommended to select the audio input device explicitly.

Input Line – audio mixer line used to connect a microphone.

Noise Reduction – allows making dispatcher sound clearer by reducing noises. You can choose several levels starting from 3 to 18 dB. If voice and noise levels are the same or close, do not enable noise reduction.

Audio Input Test – allows checking quality of microphone performance. To test your microphone performance, click **Record** and then talk into the microphone. Stop recording by clicking **Stop**, which appears instead of

Record. To listen to what you have just recorded, click **Play**. You can also save the recording in MP3 format by clicking **Save**.

Audio Output parameters:

Device – audio device to which headsets or speakers are connected. To check quality of the audio output device performance, click **Check**. At that, you will hear a sound. To stop the sound, click **Stop**.

VolP Parameters:

Codec - audio stream compression method.

Codec Format – audio stream sampling frequency.

VoIP Port – audio stream receive port.

Specifications of the codec format 8000 Hz, 20 ms, 64 (86) kbps:

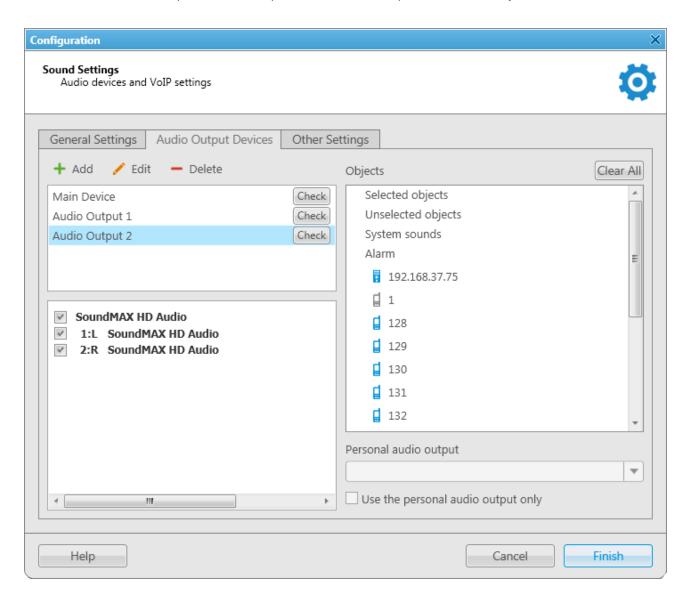
8000 Hz – the sampling rate

20 ms – the frame size

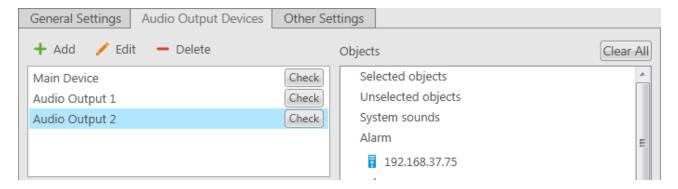
64 kbps – the voice data bit rate

86 kbps – a full bit rate (required network bandwidth)

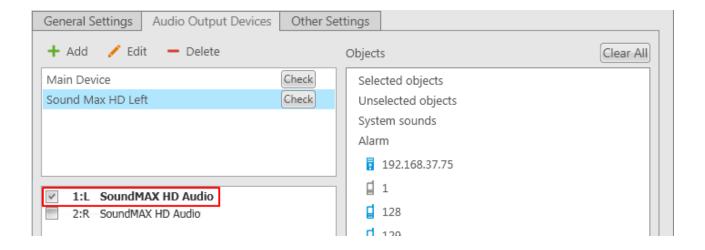
Starting from version 8.3, dispatch console allows you to set up different audio output devices, including multiple channels, for different subscribers, talkgroups, slots, etc. e. g., you can listen to radio subscribers on the headset, and the external dispatcher on the speakers. To do that, open the **Audio Output Devices** tab.



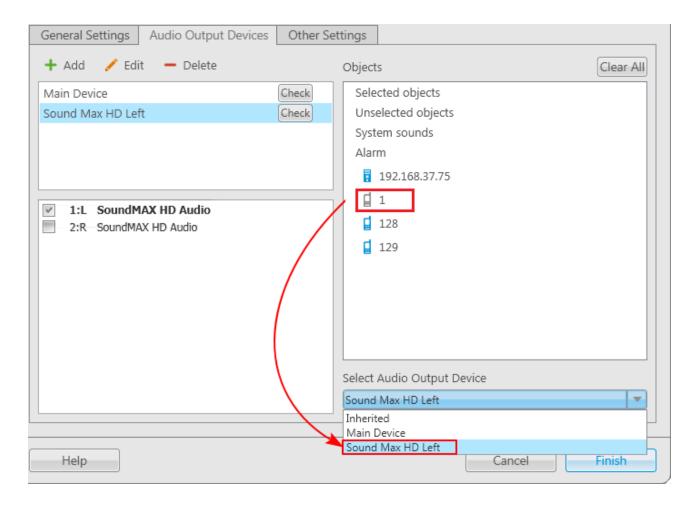
Add audio output devices in the first box on the left. These are not real output devices and are used only
in dispatch console. To do that click on Add. A new record will appear on the list. Change its name, if
necessary, by clicking Edit, and then select it.



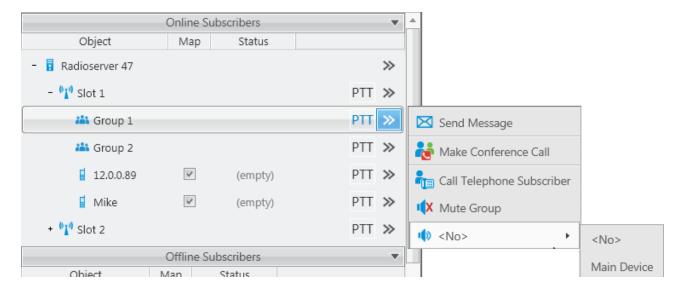
2. In the list below, select the real devices or device channels which will correspond to the added output device.



3. In the Objects list select the network object, for which you want to set up the new audio device or channel. And in the Select Audio Output Device dropdown list select the created output device. Thus, you assign the audio output device or channel to a network object.



To assign another device to an object, you can do it in its Action List in the Subscriber Panels.



The **Objects** section contains also the following categories of objects that may use personal audio output:

Selected objects: selected radio objects or radio objects with opened call window, including call windows of telephone calls, dispatchers calls and conferences. The volume of the selected objects is adjusted on the **Sound** panel.

Unselected objects: unselected radio objects with inactive call windows. The volume of the selected objects is adjusted on the **Sound** panel.

System sounds: outgoing call tone, play sounds alerts for incoming calls from dispatchers and telephone subscribers, play sounds when the rule is triggered, record from the event log, sound of the system message, call alert. The volume of the system sounds is adjusted on the **Sound** panel.

Alarm: emergency sound and voice of emergency call. The volume of emergency sound cannot be adjusted and muted. The volume of voice of emergency call can be adjusted in the **Properties** window of a slot in the **Common** tab (it is also possible to mute the volume of a slot and/or talkgroup).

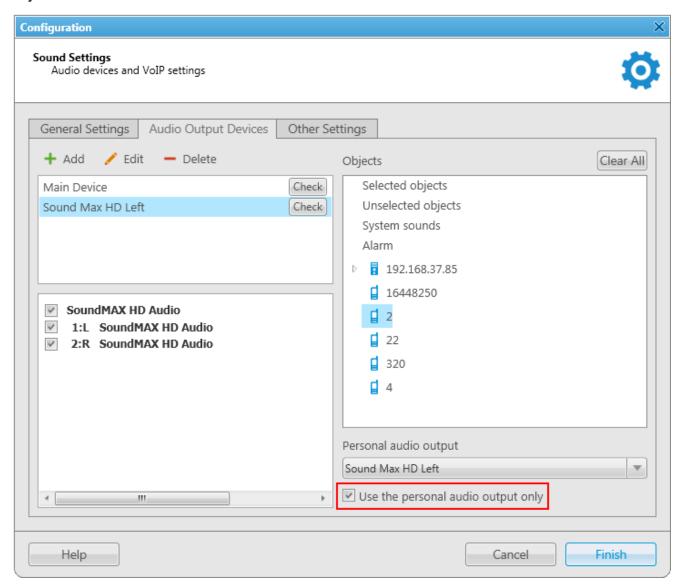
Selected objects, **Unselected objects** and **System sounds** always have the <u>Main Device</u> audio output assigned by default. The **Alarm** object does not have any audio output device assigned by default.

Note: If the **Alarm** object does not have any assigned audio output device, in a case of alarm situation sound of the **Alarm** object will be played back on the audio device of either the selected objects or unselected objects (it depends on whether the object which sends the alarm signal is selected or not).

Thus, sound of the radio fleet object can be played back on the following audio devices:

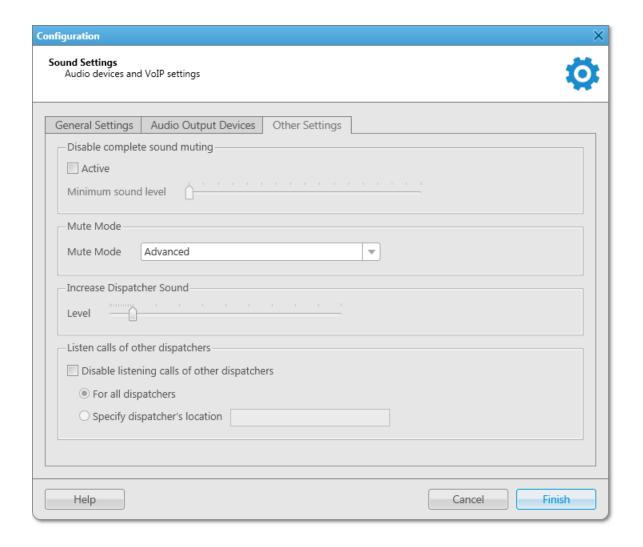
- Audio device assigned to **Selected objects**, if the object is selected.
- Audio device assigned to **Unselected objects**, if the object is unselected.
- Personal audio device assigned to the particular radio fleet object.
- Parent audio device, i.e. the audio device assigned to a parent object.
- Audio device assigned to the Alarm object, if there is an alarm signal (emergency sound, voice of emergency call).

If the **Use the personal audio output only** check box is selected, the assigned audio output will be used only by this object independently of any conditions. The **Use the personal audio output only** option disables audio playback of the given object on the audio devices assigned to parent object and **Selected objects/Unselected objects**.



To reset all settings of audio output devices, click Clear All.

The **Other Settings** tab allows the operator to improve receiving and transmitting the sound:



Disable complete sound muting allows/denies muting in **SmartPTT Dispatcher**. The minimal sound level is 10% (left position of the slider control) and the maximum is 90%. This setting effects only on **SmartPTT Dispatcher** and depends on the sound level in your operating system.

Mute Mode provides options for the muted station (setting **Mute** is active in the <u>action list for the control</u> station):

In ${\it Basic}$ mode all sounds from this control station will be muted,

In *Advanced* mode muting will not be applied for incoming private calls, dispatcher-initiated calls and dispatcheranswered calls.

Increase Dispatcher Sound allows/denies amplifying the voice of the dispatcher on subscriber unit. It can be adjusted by the slider control.

Listen calls of other dispatchers allows muting other dispatchers:

Disable listening calls of other dispatchers activates/deactivates muting other dispatchers,

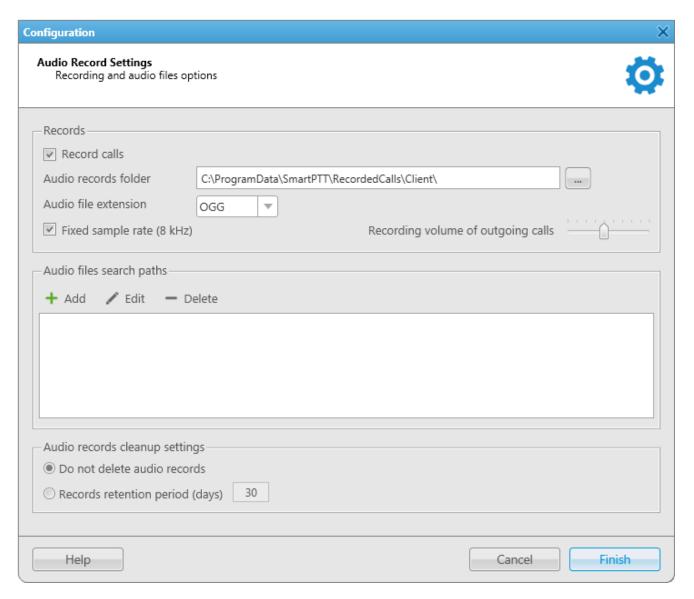
For all dispatchers mutes voices of all dispatchers connected to radioserver,

Specify dispatcher's location mutes dispatchers who entered the same location name into the text field.

Location is to be one-line text containing up to 50 symbols including unprintable signs.

1.5.12 Records

To set audio record settings, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Records**. The **Audio Record Settings** window opens.



- Records: Set the parameters of call recording.
 - o **Record calls**: Select this option to record all the incoming and outgoing calls.
 - o Audio records folder: Set the path to the folder with recorded audio files.
 - Audio file extension: Select the proper extension of the file. Choose between the MP3, OGG and WAV
 extensions

 Fixed sample rate (8 kHz): Select this option to set the record quality of the audio file with a sampling rate of 8 kHz. This setting allows you to reduce the size of the saved audio file due to no major loss in sound quality.

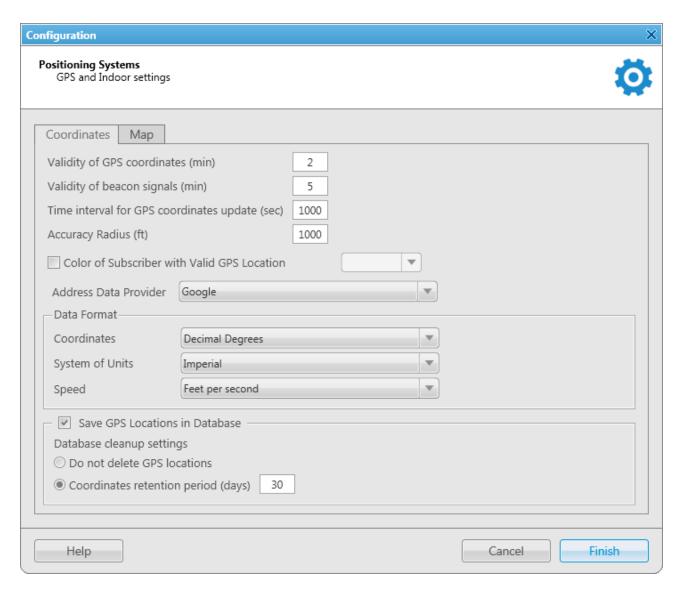
- Recording volume of outgoing calls: Increase or decrease the sound volume for recording outgoing calls.
- Audio files search paths: Set paths to additional folders for recorded audio files.

Note: After changing the path to the stored audio files, the previous path is automatically added to the audio files search path field.

- Audio records cleanup settings: Set audio record cleaning parameters.
 - o Do not delete audio records: Select to keep as much of events in the log as possible in the hard drive.
 - o Records retention period (days): Select to enter the maximum number of the last days to be logged.

1.5.13 Positioning Systems

To define GPS or Indoor settings, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Positioning Systems**. The **Positioning Systems** window will open.



The **Coordinates** tab contains the following parameters.

Validity of GPS coordinates: The parameter sets GPS data validity period in minutes. If new GPS coordinates were not received during this period, the subscriber's label is removed from the map.

Validity of beacon signals: The parameter defines the time period during which the received beacon signal is relevant. If new beacon signals were not received during this period, the subscriber's label is removed from the building plan.

Time interval for GPS coordinates update: It sets the default time interval for updating radio's location data.

The value set in this parameter will be applied to all unregistered radio subscribers, and will be displayed in the **Properties** window of a radio subscriber in the **Location** tab.

Accuracy Radius: It sets the maximum coordinate error margin. If the received error value exceeds the value specified in this field, the coordinate is invalid.

Color of Subscriber with Valid GPS Location: It sets the color which will be used for a radio subscriber's label with valid GPS locations.

Address Data Provider: It defines the map service (Google or OpenStreetMap), which will determine the object address on the map corresponding to the subscriber's current GPS-coordinates.

Data Format: It defines the format of location data to display in the subscriber Call window:

Coordinates: It allows you to select the format of GPS coordinates:

- Decimal degrees. GPS coordinates are displayed as: lat: 56,47568, long:84,98779.
- Degrees, Minutes, Seconds. GPS coordinates are displayed as: lat: 56°28'32", long:84°59'16".
- Universal Transverse Mercator Coordinate System. GPS coordinates are displayed as: 45V 376108 B 6260913 C.

Speed Format: It allows you to select the format of a radio subscriber's speed.

System of Units: It allows you to select the measurement system (Metric or Imperial).

Note: When changing measurement system, the data previously logged won't be recalculated according to the new measurement system.

Save GPS Locations in Database: It defines if GPS coordinates received from subscribers will be stored in the database.

Database cleanup settings: It defines the scheme of deleting coordinates from the database.

The **Map** tab contains the following parameters.

Show Subscriber's Information for Map Label: It defines what information will be shown on a map label of a radio subscriber.

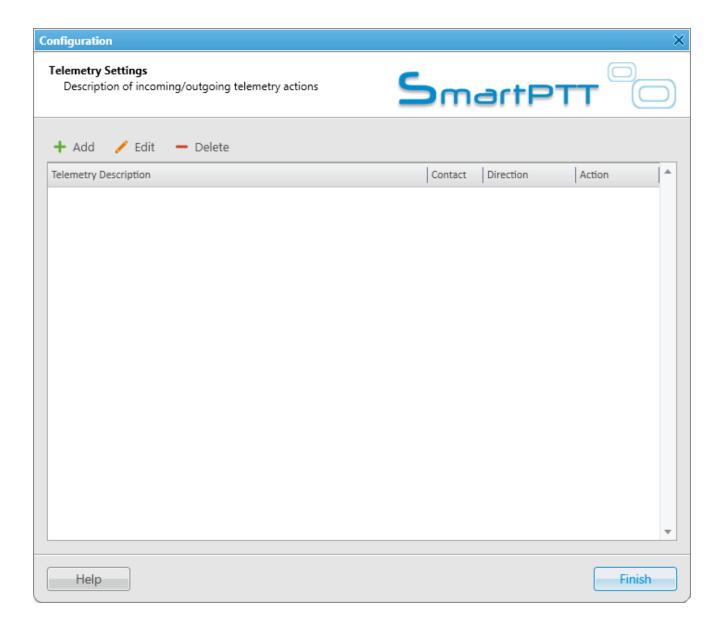
Size of Subscriber's Map Label: It sets the size of a subscriber's map label.

Hide subscribers with outdated locations: Select the check box to hide map labels for subscribers with outdated GPS locations. GPS location becomes outdated if it was not updated during the period set in the **Validity of GPS coordinates** field.

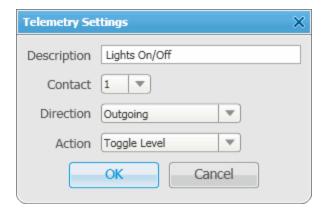
Hide offline subscribers: Select the check box to hide a map label when a subscriber goes offline.

1.5.14 Telemetry

To set up actions based on incoming/outgoing telemetry commands, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Telemetry**. At that, a configuration window is displayed.



To add a new telemetry command, click Add. The Telemetry Settings window is displayed.



Description – description of the action to be triggered.

Contact – select a contact or VIO from the list.

Note: Make sure the selected contact or VIO is mapped to a physical GPIO line in MOTOTRBO CPS.

Direction – select direction (incoming or outgoing).

Action – action type: impulse, high level, low level, toggle level.

To save the changes click **OK** – the created settings appear in the list of settings.

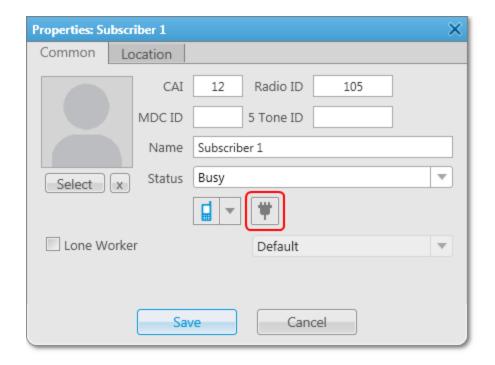
To edit the existing settings, select the entry in the list of settings and click **Edit**.

To delete the settings, select the entry in the list of settings and click **Delete**.

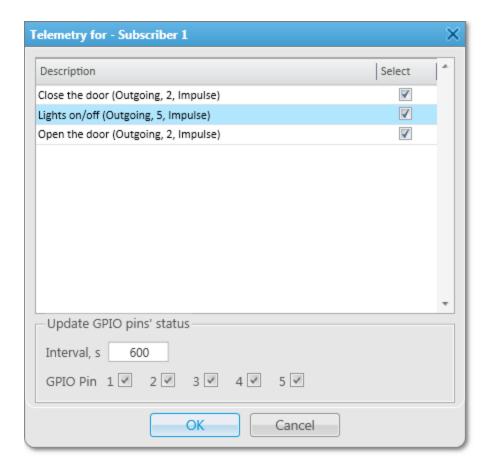
How to Assign Telemetry to the Radio Subscriber

You can select telemetry settings in the subscriber's **Properties** window.

Note: Only registered subscribers can be assigned to a telemetry command. For not registered subscribers the **Telemetry** button will be unavailable.



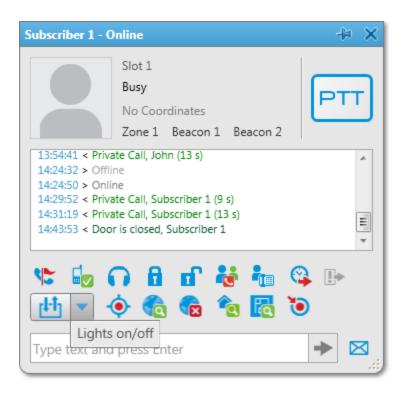
Click the **Telemetry** button to open the window for selecting available telemetry commands for the subscriber.



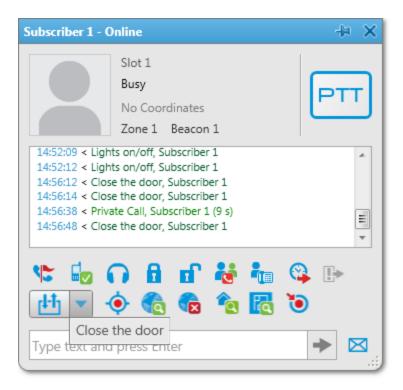
Select the required command to make it available in the **Call Window** of the radio subscriber and in the custom consoles. Also, it allows you to set automatic status updates of the GPIO pins. To receive status updates of the GPIO pins automatically, select the required GPIO pins in the **Update GPIO pins' status** area and set the update interval in seconds.

Note: Automatic GPIO pins' status update is applied only for incoming telemetry commands.

Then you can run the telemetry command from the subscriber's **Call Window**.

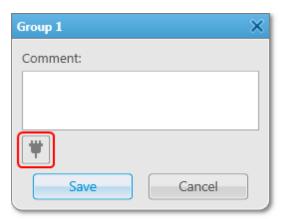


To receive the current telemetry status, click . The updated status will be displayed in **Call Window** of the radio subscriber.

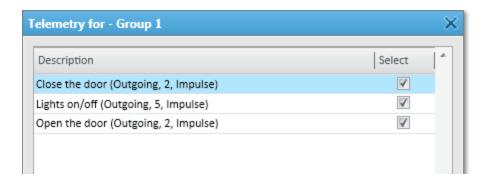


How to Assign Telemetry to the Talkgroup of Radio Subscribers

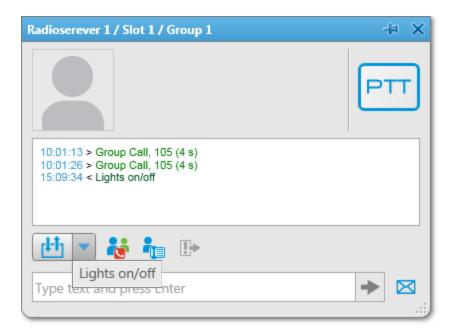
You can select telemetry settings in the **Properties** window of the talkgroup.



Click the **Telemetry** button and select available telemetry commands for the talkgroup.

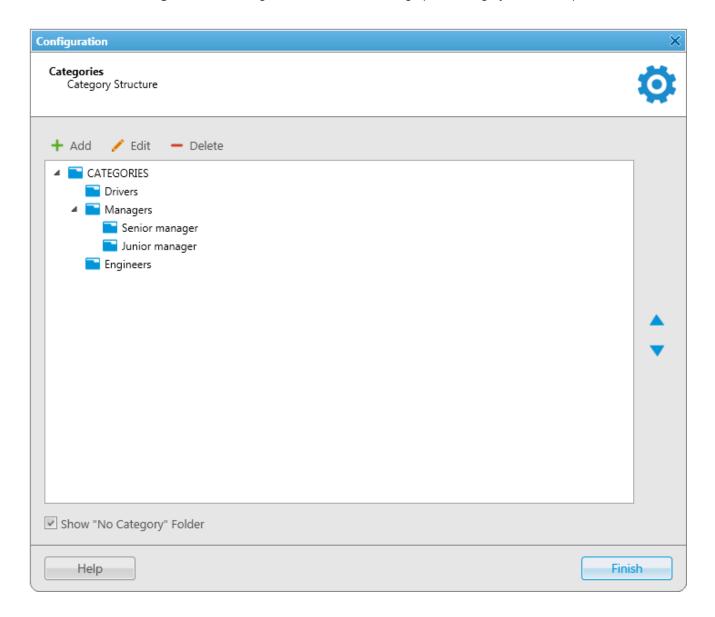


Then you can run the telemetry command from the talkgroup's Call Window.

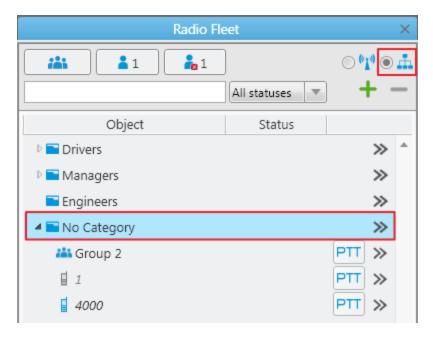


1.5.15 Categories

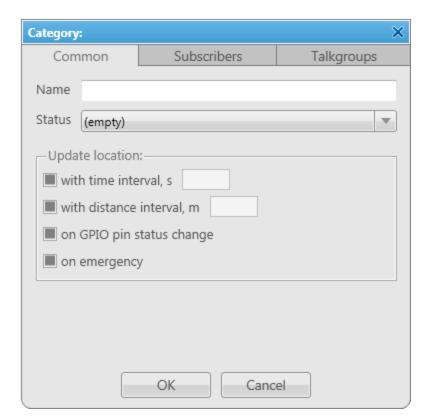
To create a category structure, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Categories**. The configuration window for setting up the category structure opens.



Show "No Category" Folder – displays a list of all online subscribers (radio subscribers, talkgroups) in the No Category folder of the Radio Fleet panel (filter by category), without reference to categories.



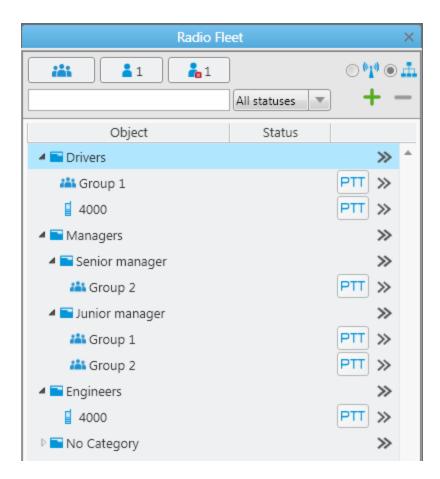
To create a new category, click **Add** in the **Categories** window.



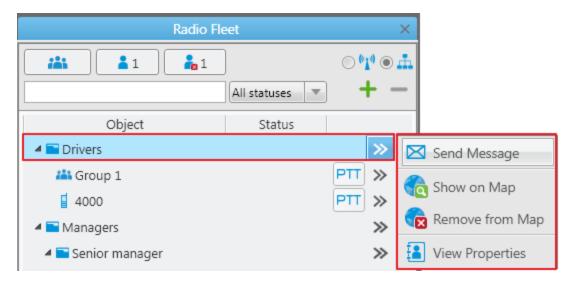
To edit the existing category name, select it in the list and click **Edit**. To remove a category, select it in the list and click **Delete**.

To move categories inside a parent category, use arrow button on the right. To move the categories between levels, click on a category, hold the left mouse button and drag it to a new position.

The categories are displayed in the **Radio Fleet** panel (filter by category is selected).



Click the button >> next to the category name to apply actions to all the subscribers from the category.

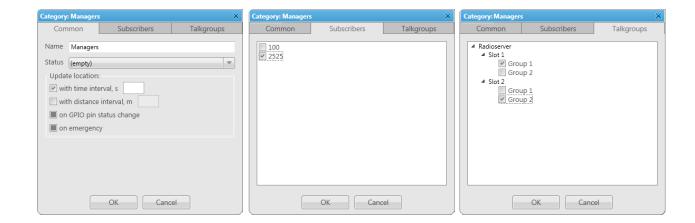


Send Message – opens the window for sending messages.

Show on Map – displays all subscribers from this category on the map, if it is opened.

Remove from Map – removes all subscribers of this category from the map, if it is opened.

View Properties – opens the window of properties of the category. Also you can right-click on the category name in order to open this window.



The Category window consists of three tabs: Common, Subscribers, Talkgroups.

The **Common** tab:

Name – the category name.

Status – the general status of all subscribers in the category. If the status of at least one subscriber in the category is changed, the category's general status becomes undefined.

Update location – the group of the general GPS-monitoring settings of all subscribers in the category. The parameters of the general GPS-monitoring settings can have three possible states:

- Unchecked . Shows that the parameter is not set for all subscribers in the category.
- Mixed choice ■. Shows that the parameter is set for some subscribers in the category.

The parameters of the general GPS-monitoring settings are unavailable, if all subscribers in the category have GPS disabled in the <u>Properties</u> window (the **Locations** tab).

The **Subscribers** tab contains the list of all subscribers in the system. In order to assign a subscriber to the category, select the appropriate check box in the list of subscribers. Only registered subscribers can be assigned to a category. Not registered subscribers will be in italics on this list, and you won't be able to select them. The **Talkgroups** tab contains the list of all talkgroups in the system. In order to assign a group to the category, select the appropriate check box in the list of talkgroups.

Note: Radio subscribers and talkgroups can be assigned to a category. However, the actions applied to the category members will be addressed only to radio subscribers.

1.5.16 Dispatchers

SmartPTT Dispatcher allows you to connect to other dispatchers who use the SmartPTT system. But before connecting to other dispatchers you must check or do the following:

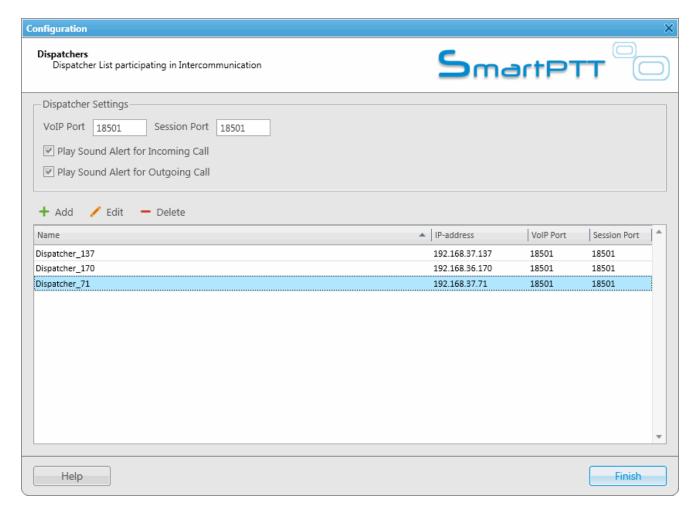
1. Make sure that the operator has the permission Connect with external dispatchers (Settings >

Operators). If not, the Dispatchers button will be unavailable in the Main Menu, and calls to other dispatchers will be impossible.

2. Make sure that at least one dispatcher is added to the dispatchers list in **Settings** > **Dispatchers**. If the list

is empty, the **Dispatchers** button will be unavailable in the **Main Menu** even if the permission **Connect with external dispatchers** is selected.

To set up connection to other dispatchers, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and click **Dispatchers**.



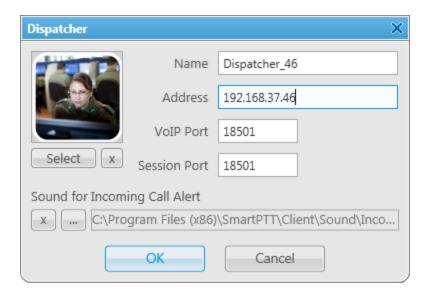
VoIP Port — UDP port of this dispatcher's PC for voice transmission. The default value is 18501.

Session Port – TCP port of this dispatcher's PC for transmission of commands and text messages. The default value is *18501*.

Play Sound Alert for Incoming Call – select this check box to play a tone for an incoming call.

Play Sound Alert for Outgoing Call - select this check box to play a tone for an outgoing call.

To add a new dispatcher, click Add.



Name – the dispatcher's name displayed in the list of dispatchers.

Address - IP address of the dispatcher's workstation (DNS name can be used).

VoIP Port – UDP port for voice transmission.

Session Port – TCP port for transmission of commands and text messages.

Select – the path to the file of the dispatcher's photo.

Sound for Incoming Call Alert – the path to the sound file which will play in the dispatch console when this dispatcher calls.

To save the changes, click **OK**. At that, a new dispatcher is added to the list of dispatchers.

To edit dispatcher settings, select it in the list of dispatchers and click Edit.

To remove a dispatcher, select it in the list of dispatchers and click **Delete**.

To call the dispatcher, open the **Dispatchers** window by clicking the button opens.



. At that, the following window

Dispatcher_137 Online
Dispatcher_46 Offline
Dispatcher_71 Offline
Dispatcher_170 Offline

Dispatcher_170 Offline

8/13/14 | 12:52:44 PM > Message text
8/19/14 | 4:20:08 PM < 67567567

Type text and press Enter

On the left you can see available dispatchers with different statuses. These can be:

Offline – the dispatcher is not available for communication. This means that the dispatcher has not launched SmartPTT Dispatcher, or does not have the permission (**Connect with external dispatchers**).

Online – the dispatcher is available for communication.

Ringing – calling to the dispatcher to establish voice communication.

Call - voice communication is established.

To call a dispatcher, select it from the list, and click **Connect**. To end the call, click **Disconnect** (this button appears as soon as you have started communication).

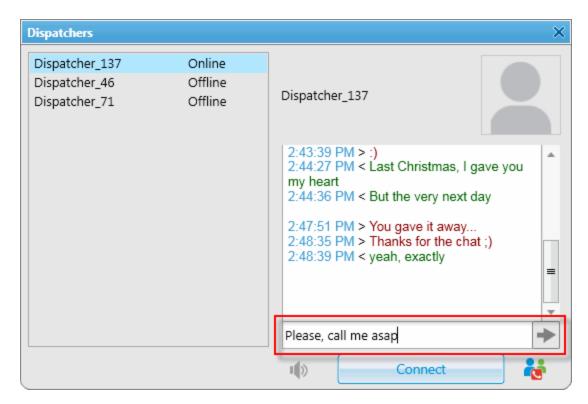
To add online dispatchers to a conference call, click



To mute your voice transmission, click . You will still hear the other dispatcher. This button becomes available when the call is started.

To send a message to the selected dispatcher, enter the text of the message and click

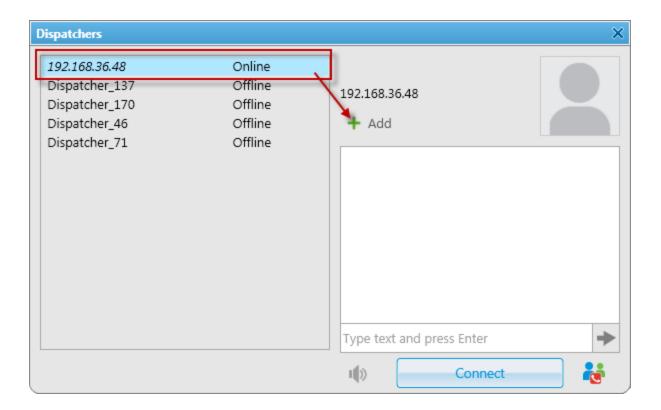




To answer or decline the incoming call from a dispatcher, click **Accept** or **Decline** in the opened window:

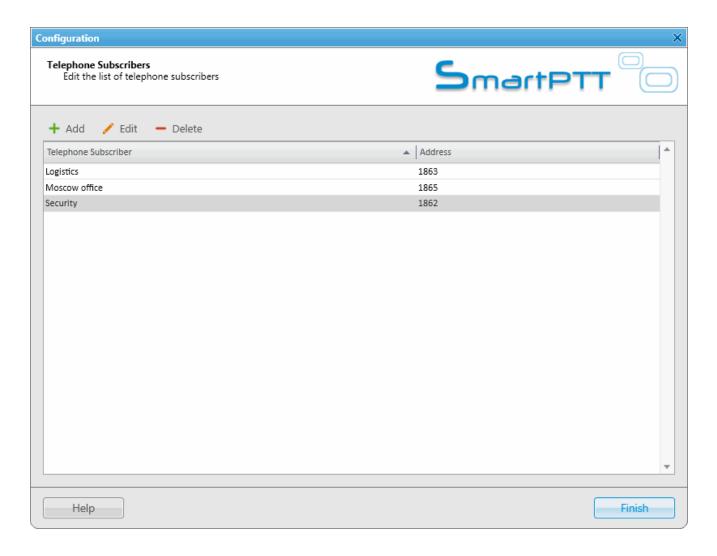


If the incoming call is made by the dispatcher not on the list you will see its IP address in the **Incoming call** window. You can add the unregistered dispatcher in the **Dispatcher** window by clicking on the **Add** button.



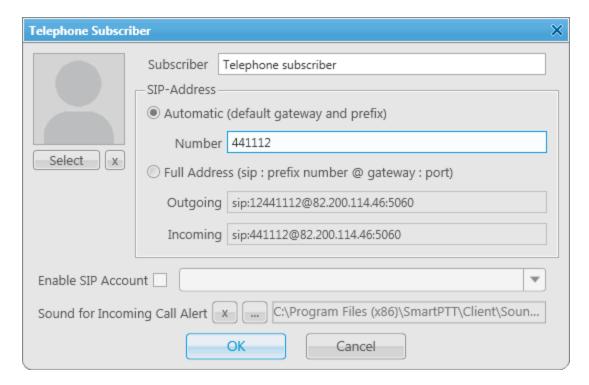
1.5.17 Telephone Subscribers

To view the list of registered telephone subscriber, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** and click **Telephone Subscribers**. The list includes all telephone subscribers that support SIP connection. You can modify and delete existing subscribers, or add new subscribers.



Note: SIP connection can be established also with telephone subscribers not added to the list. To make an outgoing call, you can use a dial pad.

To add a telephone subscriber to the list of subscribers, click Add. At that, the following window opens.



Subscriber – type the name of telephone subscriber.

The **SIP Address** area allows you to specify the telephone subscriber address.

There are several options to enter the address of the subscriber. First, the outgoing and incoming address fields can be generated automatically using the default gateway settings. To do that, click **Automatic**.

Second, you can enter the addresses manually by clicking **Full Address** (use the following format – **sip:prefix number@gateway:port**).

Select the **Enable SIP Account** check box and specify the required SIP account from the list of available to carry out SIP connection under the set account. For SIP account setup details in SmartPTT Dispatcher see <u>SIP</u>

Accounts.

Sound for Incoming Call Alert – the path to the sound file which will play in the dispatch console when this telephone subscriber calls.

Click **OK** to save the changes.

As soon as you have added a new telephone subscriber, it appears in the **Telephone Subscribers** window.

Please remember that the **Allow Calls to Telephone Subscribers** check box in the **Telephone Interconnect** window must be selected.

To edit or delete the telephone subscriber from the list, click the corresponding button.

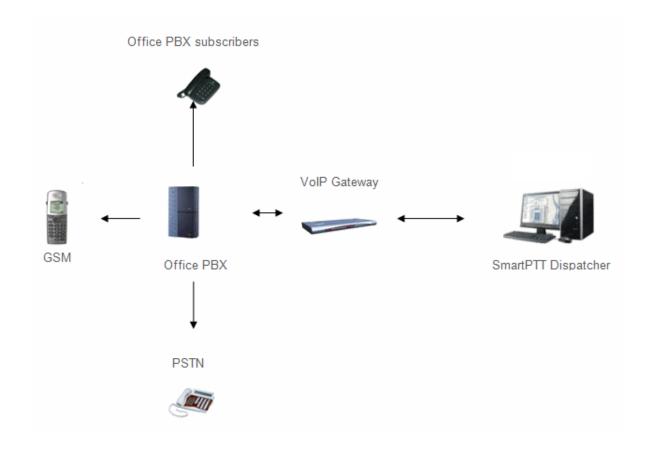
1.5.18 Telephone Interconnect

SmartPTT Dispatcher has a built-in function to make telephone connections with telephone subscribers. A call can be initiated both by the dispatcher and the telephone subscriber. Standard VoIP gateways are used to connect to telephone subscribers. The following connection options are possible:

- 1. The dispatcher calls the office PBX subscriber and voice is transmitted in full-duplex mode.
- 2. The office PBX subscriber calls the dispatcher and voice is transmitted in full-duplex mode.
- 3. SmartPTT Dispatcher connects telephone and radio subscribers.

Connection and subscriber addressing are implemented via SIP protocol. Voice data is transmitted via RTP protocol.

The connection scheme:



A VoIP gateway is a device which bridge conventional telephone networks and equipment to VoIP telephone networks.

A Private Branch eXchange (PBX) is a telephone exchange that serves a particular business or office.

The Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) is the network of the world's public circuit-switched telephone networks.

SIP Architecture

Call service management is distributed between different elements of SIP network. The basic functional unit that implements connection management are User Agents, which are endpoints of a call (that is each of the participants in a call). The remaining network elements (SIP-servers) are responsible for call routing and can provide additional services.

1. User Agents

User agents are both the computer that is being used to make a call, and the target computer that is being called. These make the two endpoints of the communication session. There are two components to a user agent: a client and a server. When a user agent makes a request (such as initiating a session), it is the User Agent Client (UAC), and the user agent responding to the request is the User Agent Server (UAS). Even though other devices that we'll discuss are optional to various degrees, User Agents must exist for a SIP session to be established.

2. Proxy Server

Proxy servers are computers that are used to forward requests on behalf of other computers. If a SIP server receives a request from a client, it can forward the request onto another SIP server on the network. While functioning as a proxy server, the SIP server can provide such functions as network access control, security, authentication, and authorization.

3. Registrar Server

Registrar servers are used to register the location of a user agent who has logged onto the network. It obtains the IP address of the user and associates it with their user name on the system. This creates a directory of all those who are currently logged onto the network, and where they are located. When someone wishes to establish a session with one of these users, the Registrar server's information is referred to, thereby identifying the IP addresses of those involved in the session.

4. Redirect Server

The Redirect servers are used by SIP to redirect clients to the user agent they are attempting to contact. If a user agent makes a request, the Redirect server can respond with the IP address of the user agent being contacted. This is different from a Proxy server, which forwards the request on your behalf, as the Redirect server essentially tells you to contact them yourself.

SIP determines the following addressing system: [sip:] id [@ fragment]. ID indicates user name or phone number of the subscriber. Fragment specifies the host, which can be set to the domain name, the IP-address of the computer or the address of the VoIP gateway. Caller ID can be presented in different ways, such as user_name@[domain name], name@[IPaddress], phone_number@[VoIPgateway].

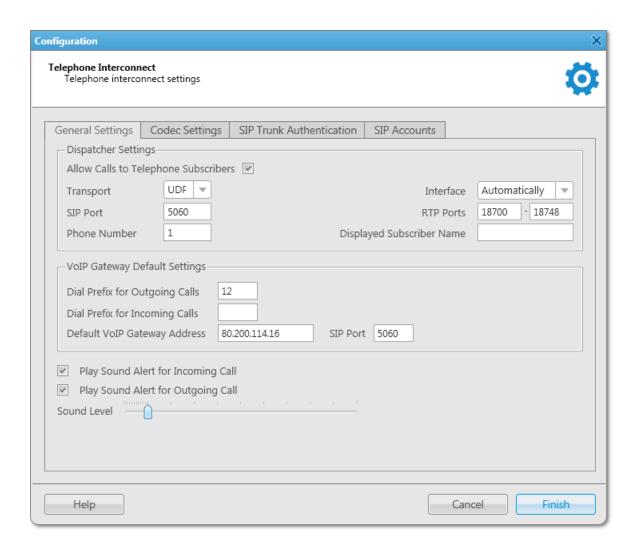
SIP Connection Methods

There are two SIP connection types – SIP trunking and using a SIP account.

SIP trunking is used when a user agent (SmartPTT Dispatcher in our case) has a static IP address. This IP address must be prescribed on SIP server only once, and the client does not require to re-register on the SIP server. SIP trunking provides security by means of password authentication for incoming and outgoing calls. If the client IP address changes periodically, use a SIP server account to establish the connection. When the client turns on, it sends a special package for SIP registration to the server. The package contains authentication data (SIP account user name, login, password) and the current IP address. Since then server knows where to route calls addressed to the client. After a period of time the client automatically updates the registration. If its IP address has changed, SIP server accordingly updates the information on this user.

Telephone Interconnect Configuration

To configure connection parameters with telephone subscribers, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Telephone Interconnect**.



The **Telephone Interconnect** window includes:

- 1. General settings
- 2. Codec settings
- 3. SIP Trunk Authentication
- 4. SIP accounts

General Settings

The General Settings tab includes Dispatcher Settings and VolP Gateway Default Settings sections.

1. Dispatcher Settings

Allow Calls to Telephone Subscribers – select the check box to be able to make and receive calls between SmartPTT Dispatcher and telephone subscribers.

Note: If the check box is not selected, the Telephone Subscribers window is unavailable.

RTP Ports – each connection with the telephone subscriber requires two UDP ports (even port numbers are used by RTP protocol, uneven – by RTCP). Thus, the specified ports must be available both for incoming and outgoing traffic. The default port range is 18700–18748.

Warning! If both SmartPTT Dispatcher and SmartPTT Radioserver are installed on one computer, the port range set in the "RTP Ports" field in SmartPTT Dispatcher must differ from the port range set in the "RTP ports" field in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.

Interface – IP address of the local computer, used to receive and transmit commands and voice data. If the dispatcher's computer has only one IP address, the system can select it automatically; if it has more than one IP address, the IP address (interface) should be specified expressly. The specified IP must be available from the VoIP gateway end.

Warning! If several network interfaces are installed on the computer you may have to configure the routing table using the command "route add ...".

SIP Port – UDP or TCP port number to receive and send SIP data packets. The default value is *5060*. Accordingly, the specified port must be available for incoming and outgoing traffic.

Warning! If both SmartPTT Dispatcher and SmartPTT Radioserver are installed on one computer, their SIP ports must differ. In this example it must be 5061 because 5060 is already taken by the radioserver.

Displayed Telephone Number – type the telephone number which allows you to connect to SmartPTT Dispatcher. This number is also displayed on the screen of the receiving SIP call device (phone or softphone). **Subscriber Name** – type the name to be displayed on the screen of the receiving SIP call device (phone or softphone).

2. VoIP Gateway Default Settings

If VoIP Gateway Default Settings are specified, it is enough to set only subscriber phone numbers in the List of Subscribers tab. Also, these parameters are used to dial the called subscriber number manually (click the Dial Pad button and the Dial Pad window opens).

Default VoIP Gateway Address - the VoIP gateway IP address.

SIP Port – a VoIP gateway to receive and send SIP data packets. By default VoIP gateways use the UDP port 5060.

Dial Prefix for Outgoing Calls – numeric prefix added to the called subscriber number by SmartPTT Dispatcher.

VoIP gateway uses the prefix to determine where the call came from and what rules it must apply to the call (block or allow, where the call must be routed).

Dial Prefix for Incoming Calls – numeric prefix value in this field must match the same VoIP gateway prefix. If default VoIP gateway is used, the telephone subscriber's complete SIP address will be as follows:

SIP address = Dial Prefix for Outgoing Calls + Phone Number + @ + Default VoIP Gateway Address + : + Gateway SIP Port.

Example:

If the following settings are used:

Default VoIP Gateway Address = 192.168.0.243

SIP Port = **5060**

Dial Prefix for Outgoing Calls = 12

The telephone subscriber with the phone number 1140 is automatically assigned the following outgoing SIP address = 121140@192.168.0.243:5060.

Note: If your network uses a firewall, consult a network administrator about the possibility of using SIP protocol and the required settings. The most common problem is that the media streams (for example, voice) are transferred over dynamically assigned UDP ports that are generally closed. The firewall must be able to dynamically open and close ports based on the transferred SIP signaling. Another problem is that the SIP clients inside the firewall cannot be reached by IP addresses since these most often are private and local to the LAN. Communication simply does not take place, unless there is specific SIP support in the firewall.

Play Sound Alert for Incoming Call – select the check box to enable ringing at the SmartPTT Dispatcher application when a telephone subscriber calls.

Play Sound Alert for Outgoing Call – select the check box to enable ringing at the SmartPTT Dispatcher application when making a call to a telephone subscriber.

Sound Level – allows you to configure the sound level in the dispatch console coming from the telephone subscriber.

3. VolP Gateway Configuration

The VoIP gateway administrator must ensure that SIP addresses for incoming calls are appropriately interpreted and switched to phone numbers.

In the example above the telephone subscriber address is *sip:121140@192.168.0.243:5060* and the dial prefix for outgoing calls is *12*. Therefore VoIP gateway rules must discard the incoming prefix *12* from the full address and connect the dispatcher to the telephone subscriber number, that is *1140*.

You should also configure appropriate generation rules for outgoing SIP addresses to call other dispatchers.

For example, if the telephone subscriber with the number **1140** assigned wants to connect to the dispatcher with the address **192.168.0.105:5060**, then generation rules for outgoing SIP addresses on the VoIP gateway must generate the correct destination address **sip:1@192.168.0.105:5060** (the **Displayed Telephone Number** value must be set as the SmartPTT Dispatcher identifier) and the sender's correct address

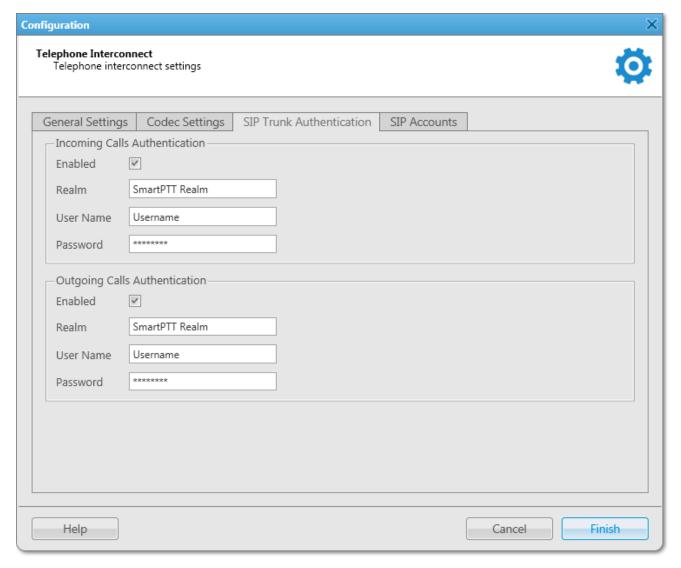
sip:1140@192.168.0.243:5060 (a dial prefix for incoming addresses is not set so the name in the sender's address is the same as the phone number).

Codec Settings

In the **Codec Settings** tab you can enable or disable supported audio codecs, as well as change their priorities. Currently, there are 4 audio codecs: G711A, G711Q, SPEEX II G729.

SIP Trunking Authentication

The **Telephone Interconnect** window contains authentication settings in a separate tab.



Incoming Call Authentication – the setting includes parameters required for incoming call authentication. When an incoming call from a phone/softphone is received, dispatcher asks user name and password corresponding to Realm in the described setting. Calling subscriber must send back user name and password specified in this setting. The authentication type is not required if the incoming call is addressed to subscriber using SIP account for connection. To activate this ability, select the **Enabled** check box.

Realm – parameter used for the incoming telephone calls authentication.

User Name – name of the user used for authentication.

Password – password used for authentication.

Outgoing Call Authentication – the setting includes parameters required for outgoing call authentication.

Realm – if not set, SmartPTT Dispatcher responds to any any authentication request with specified user name and password. If set, SmartPTT Dispatcher responds only to authentication requests that matches the **Realm** value.

User Name – user name used for authentication.

Password – password used for authentication.

SIP Accounts

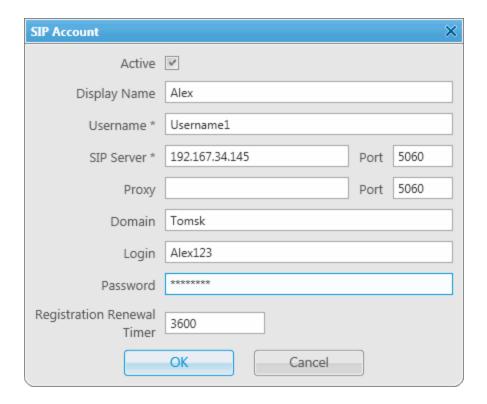
If SmartPTT Dispatcher IP address varies, there must be a mechanism for determining its current value. In order to do this, SIP registration can be used, allowing the dispatcher to inform SIP server of its actual IP address.

For example, Client 1 has current IP address 192.168.0.224, Client 2 – 192.168.0.98. It is necessary to establish connection between them, while both subscribers are not aware of each other's IP addresses. To do this, create accounts on SIP server (sip_server.com) for both subscribers – user1 (sip: user1@sip_server.com) and user2 (sip: user2@sip_server.com) respectively. SIP server stores current IP addresses relevant to the SIP accounts of Client 1 and Client 2. Therefore, Client 1 is not required to know current IP address of Client 2 to make a call. Client 1 refers to the SIP server under its account and requests connection with Client 2 pointing out its SIP account. The SIP server searches its database for the current IP address of Client 2, returns it to Client 1 or redirects the call from Client 1 to Client 2.

The **SIP Accounts** tab in the **Telephone Settings** window contains dispatcher SIP account parameters. These accounts are created by the dispatcher on various SIP servers in advance. The parameters are used to establish connection with other server subscribers.

The **Status** field displays the account registration status on SIP server. Possible values – *Registered*, *Not registered*, *Processing*, and SIP error messages.

To add a record about a new SIP account, click Add. At that, the following window opens.



Active – select this check box to enable account registration on SIP server.

Display Name – the name that appears on the subscriber device screen.

Username – the account identifier on the SIP server.

SIP server – remote SIP server IP address.

Proxy – proxy server which can be used for special cases (for example, some providers insist on using proxy to request SIP server).

Domain – parameter for SIP server account authentication.

Login – login for SIP server account authentication.

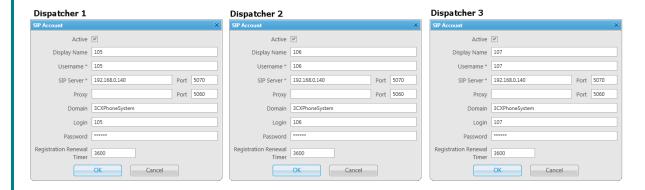
Password – password for SIP server account authentication.

Registration Renewal Timer – time period (in seconds) between requests for the dispatcher IP address update on the SIP server.

The following example is focused on setting up connection between SmartPTT Dispatcher (*Dispatcher 1*) and two other SIP clients (Linphone, MicroSIP, 3CX, or SmartPTT Dispatcher) (*Dispatcher 2*, *Dispatcher 3*). These settings allow *Dispatcher 1*, *Dispatcher 2*, and *Dispatcher 3* to interact with one another as 3CX server subscribers.

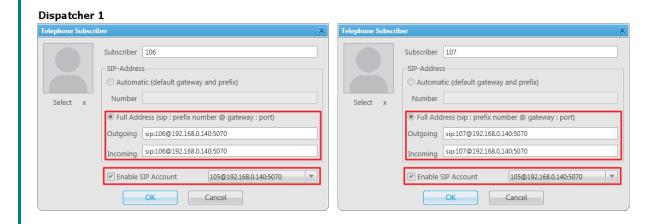
1. Create SIP accounts for three SIP clients using the selected VoIP service provider, for example, accounts with ID = 105, 106, and 107 on the 3CX SIP server.

2. In the **SIP Accounts** tab, as *Dispatcher 1* add records corresponding to the created SIP server accounts with **ID** = 105; *Dispatcher 2* – with **ID** = 106; *Dispatcher 3* – with **ID** = 107.



 As Dispatcher 1 add records of the two subscribers (Dispatcher 2, Dispatcher 3). Connection with these subscribers will be established via SIP server accounts.

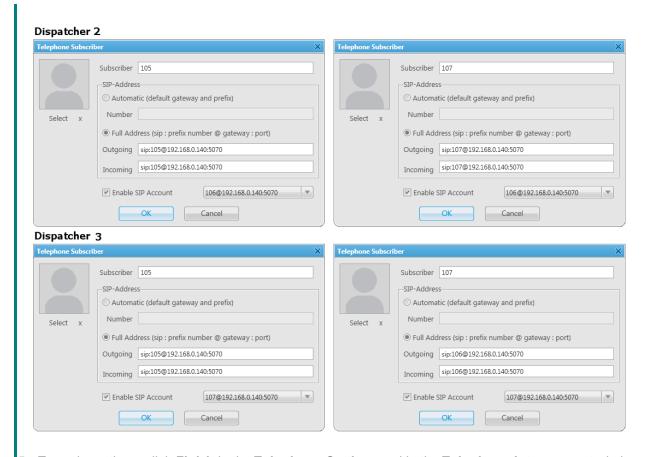
Add the new subscribers in the **Telephone Subscriber** window. Fill in the **Subscriber** field. Click **Full Address** (**Automatic** can also be selected if **VoIP Gateway Default Settings** allow you to connect to the selected SIP server) and specify the outgoing and incoming SIP addresses corresponding to the called subscriber. Select the *Dispatcher 1* SIP account in the **Enable SIP Account** field (see step 2).



In order to do this:

Created subscriber entries appear in the **Telephone Subscribers** window.

4. Complete the same settings for *Dispatcher 2* (create account with ID = 106 in the SIP accounts tab; add subscribers 105 and 107 in the List of Subscribers tab) and *Dispatcher 3* (create account with ID = 107 in the SIP accounts tab; add subscribers 105 and 106 in the List of Subscribers tab).

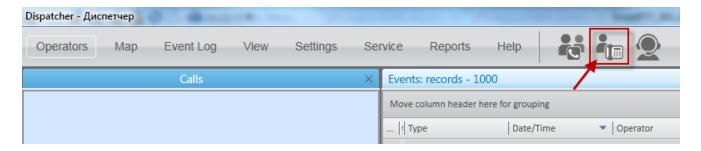


5. To apply settings, click **Finish** in the **Telephone Settings** and in the **Telephone Interconnect** windows.

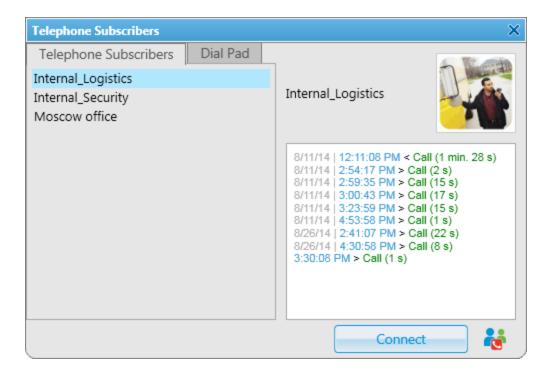
How to Call a Telephone Subscriber



To call the telephone subscriber from the dispatch console, click the button



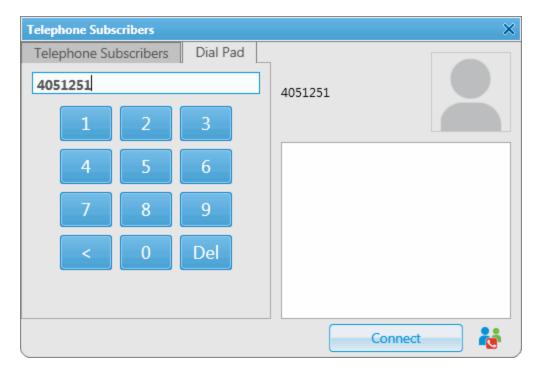
At that you will see the following window:



To call the telephone subscriber, select it from the list and click **Connect**. In the **Telephone subscribers** tab you can see not only added telephone subscribers, but also unregistered telephone subscribers (their numbers are in *italics*), and three latest calls (at the top of the list).

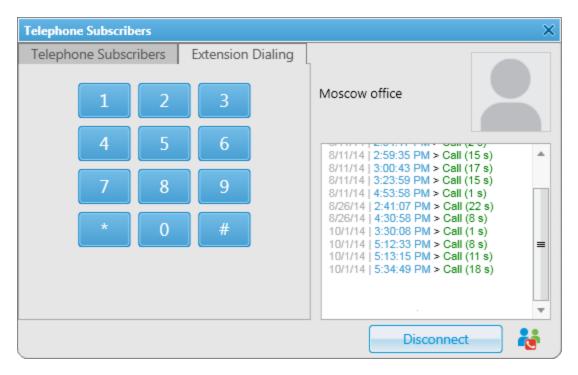
is used for running a conference call with the selected telephone subscriber. For more information about this function see Conference Calls.

To make a call to a telephone subscriber not on the list, go to the **Dial Pad** tab. You can dial the telephone number or enter it in the input field above the dial pad.



If you need to dial an extension to reach a telephone subscriber, do the following:

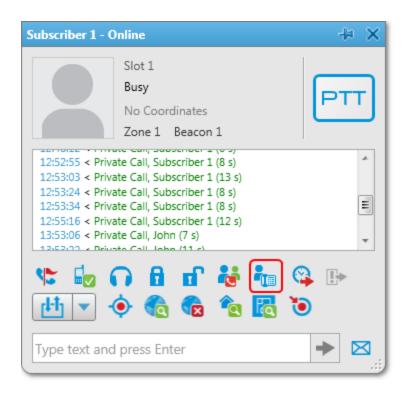
 Dial the phone number after which you will need to add the extension. Then, you will see a new tab Extension Dialing.

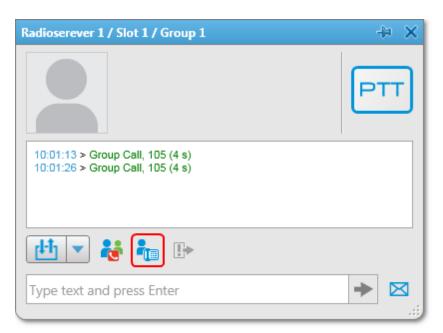


- 2. In this tab, dial * to turn on DTMF mode (not obligatory, depends on the telephone parameters).
- 3. Dial the extension number and then #.

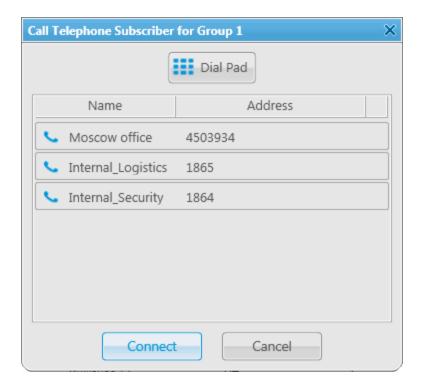
If the incoming call is made by a telephone subscriber, who is not on the list, you can add the subscriber by clicking on the **Add** button, which will appear.

To connect a radio subscriber or a talkgroup to a telephone subscriber, open the **Call Window** of the radio subscriber or the talkgroup and click the **Call Telephone Subscriber** button.





You can also use **Action List**, where you can select **Call Telephone Subscriber**. At that the following window will open.



Select the telephone subscriber from the list and click **Connect** or double-click on the list item. This list is taken from the list of telephone subscribers created in the <u>Telephone Subscribers</u> window. If the subscriber is not on the list, click **Dial Pad** to enter the telephone number manually.

At clicking **Connect**, a new window with the call status opens.



There are three statuses:

- Ringing
- Call
- Call Complete

If the connection attempt is failed, status window shows the corresponding error message.

To manage the call process, the dispatcher can use the buttons next to the call status:

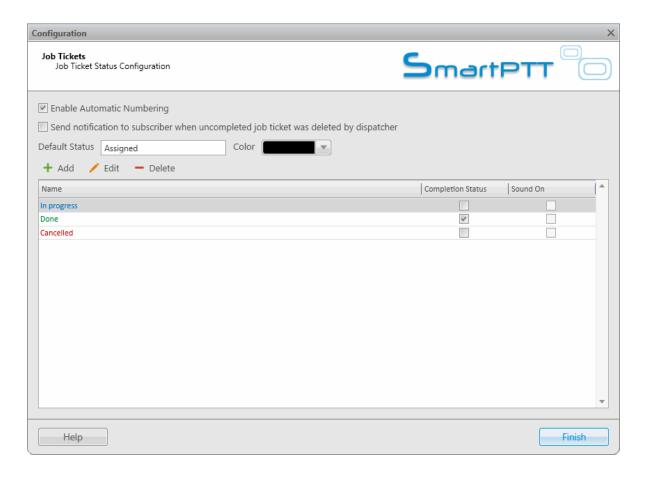
- stops the call. Should the radio subscriber make a call right after the telephone call, it is necessary for him or her to wait for a special tone notifying about the end of the call. If the radio subscriber presses the PTT button before this tone, an incorrect phone call will be initiated.

initiates reconnection to the telephone subscriber.

1.5.19 Job Ticket Statuses

Here you can create job ticket statuses and specify their settings. For example, assign a color to a status or add alert on status change.

To create job ticket statuses, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Job Ticket Statuses**. At that, the following window opens.



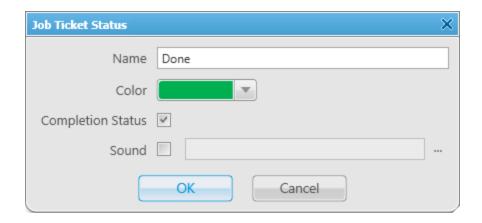
Enable Automatic Numbering – when this option is enabled, a unique number is assigned to each new job ticket. It is necessary to distinguish job tickets with same names.

Send notification to subscriber when uncompleted job ticket was deleted by dispatcher – if this option is enabled, a radio subscriber receives a message, if an incomplete job ticket was canceled.

Default Status – the job ticket status which is displayed when the operator creates a new job ticket. The status does not change, until the radio subscriber modifies it. You do not need to set this status in the MOTOTRBO CPS settings. It is used only in SmartPTT Dispatcher, so you can add any value you like.

In the **Color** field select the color for the default status.

To add a job ticket status, click Add.



Name - name of the status.

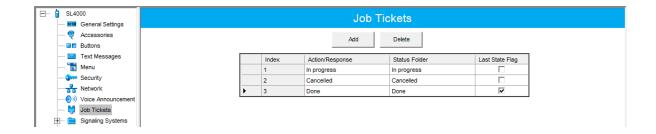
Color – color of the status, which will be used in the job ticket table.

Completion status – it is the final status of a job ticket. If a job ticket has such a status and if **Remove job ticket from the list within** *n* **seconds after completion** is enabled, the job ticket will be hidden from the list.

Note: You can also select the Completion status later in the Job Tickets configuration window.

Sound – this setting enables the sound signal which will notify the operator that a job ticket changed its status.

Warning! Added statuses must match the statuses set in MOTOTRBO CPS.



If the statuses of SmartPTT Dispatcher does not correspond to statuses in MOTOTRBO CPS, all settings (color, sound signal and status completion) won't be applied.

1.5.20 Third-Party Equipment

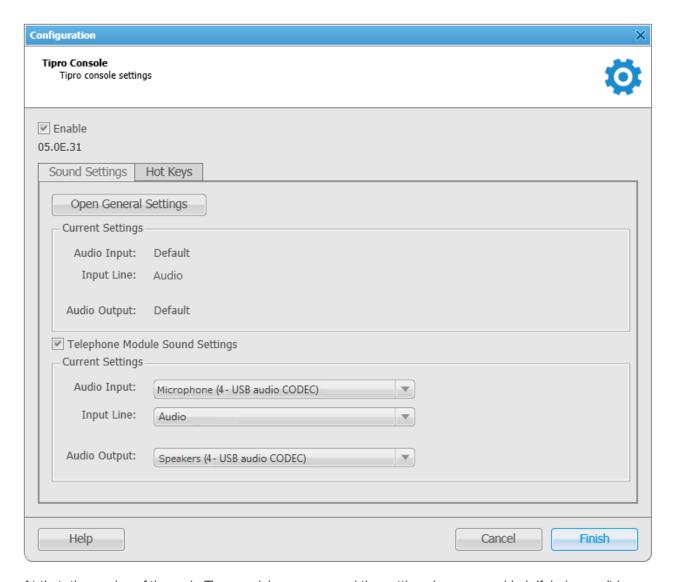
SmartPTT system supports third-party equipment, for example, Tipro modular console with BeFREE touchcomputer or without it.

To make the console work with SmartPTT system, take the following steps:

- For Tipro modular console with BeFREE touchcomputer, install additional applications: ChangeMe Utility,
 Tipro OPOS (these are delivered together with Tipro console), Microsoft Point of Service for .NET (POS for
 .NET) v1.14 (http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/download/details.aspx?id=42081).
- For Tipro modular console without touchcomputer, connect Tipro console to the PC with SmartPTT
 Dispatcher installed. Install other additional software, such as ChangeMe Utility, Tipro OPOS (these are
 delivered together with Tipro console), Microsoft Point of Service for .NET (POS for .NET) v1.14
 (http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/download/details.aspx?id=42081).
- 3. Contact SmartPTT support team (http://support.smartptt.com/hc/en-us/requests/new) for Tipro configuration file.
- 4. Apply the received Tipro configuration file using ChangeMe Utility.
- 5. Configure SmartPTT Dispatcher settings connected to Tipro support.

The SmartPTT Dispatcher configuration includes the following steps:

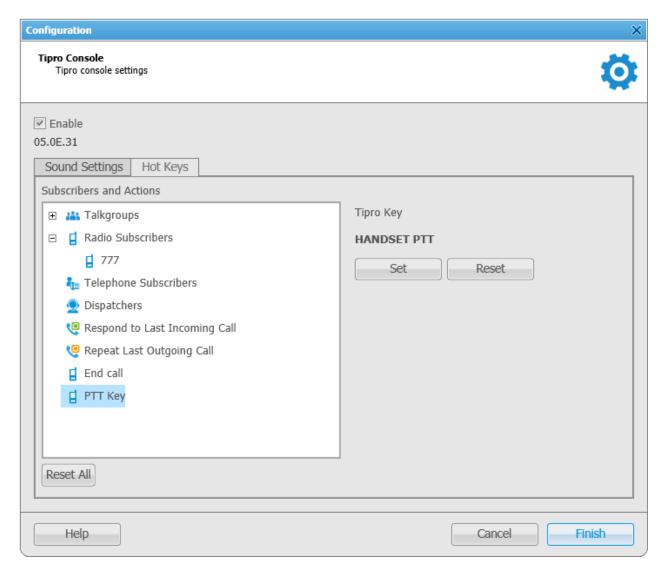
- 1. Open SmartPTT Dispatcher.
- Enable Tipro console. On the Settings menu select Third-Party Equipment and then select Tipro Console. In the opened window, select Enable.



At that, the version of the main Tipro module appears, and the settings become enabled. If device can't be found, the settings are disabled.

3. Set up sound settings. You can go to the **Sound Settings** by clicking on **Open General Settings** to change the current sound settings. You can also configure sound settings for the telephone module. This is necessary only for Tipro modular console with BeFREE touchcomputer.

4. Add hot keys. To do that, open the **Hot Keys** tab.



In the **Subscribers and Actions** box select the subscriber, subscriber group, dispatcher or action, to which you want to assign a Tipro key. Then click on **Set** and press the required Tipro key. To save changes, click on **Finish**. To get back to previous settings, click **Cancel**.

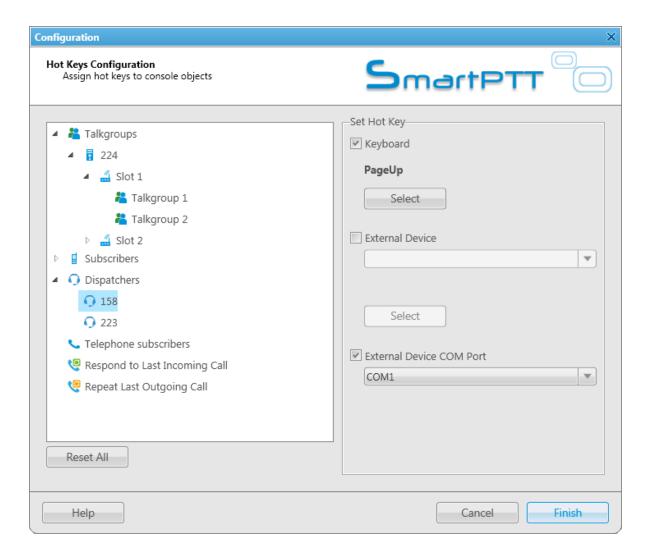
Reset All – removes all assigned hot keys.

1.5.21 Hot Keys

SmartPTT Dispatcher implements the ability to make a call to subscribers (radio subscriber, talkgroups, all call, telephone subscriber, external dispatcher) by clicking on a predetermined keyboard key, its combination or a button of the external input device. Also, dispatcher can repeat the last outgoing call or respond to the last

incoming call by pressing the hot keys. In the Capacity Max systems dispatcher can also decline the incoming call or end the call during the hang time by pressing the corresponding hot key.

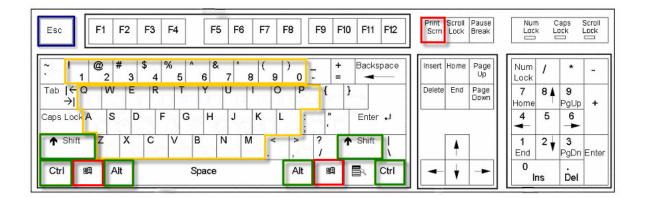
In order to set up hot keys for system subscribers, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Hot Keys**.



The window contains a list of subscribers available for the hot key assignment – radio subscribers, talkgroups, telephone subscribers, external dispatchers, last called and last active subscribers. To assign a hot key to the subscriber, select the subscriber from the list, then select the hot key type.

Keyboard – select the field to assign to the subscriber a keyboard key or a key combination as the PTT button. Click **Select**, then press the keyboard key or the key combination.

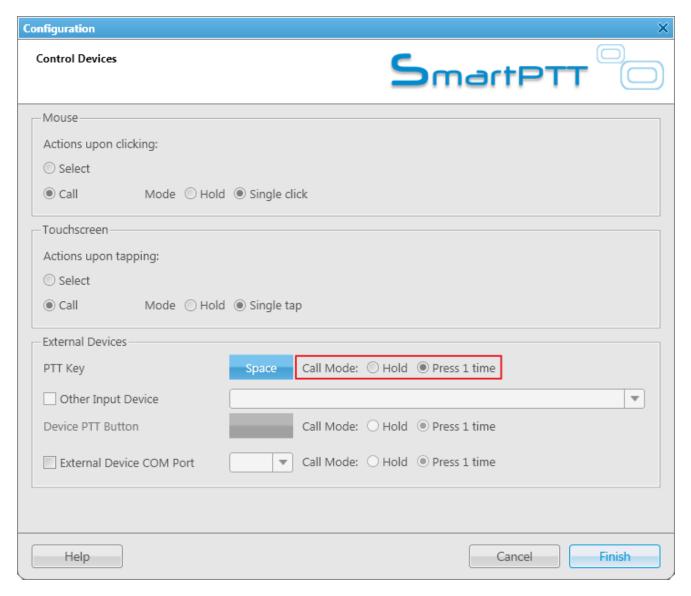
Not all keyboard keys can be used as hot keys. Here is the keyboard scheme. It shows which keyboard keys can be used and which cannot.



- 1. The keyboard keys marked red cannot be used as hot keys separately or in combination.
- 2. The keyboard keys marked yellow cannot be used as hot keys separately, only in combination with the Ctrl,

 Alt or Shift keys. The Shift key can be used only in combination of three keys, for example, Shift+Alt+F.
- 3. The Esc key can be used only in combination with Shift (Shift+Esc).
- 4. All other keyboard keys can be used as hot keys either separately or in combination with the Ctrl, Alt or Shift keys. The Shift key can be used in combination of two or three keys, for example, Shift+Delete, Shift+Alt+Enter.

Note: Hot keys support two work modes: holding and single press. The active mode is defined in Contol Devices.



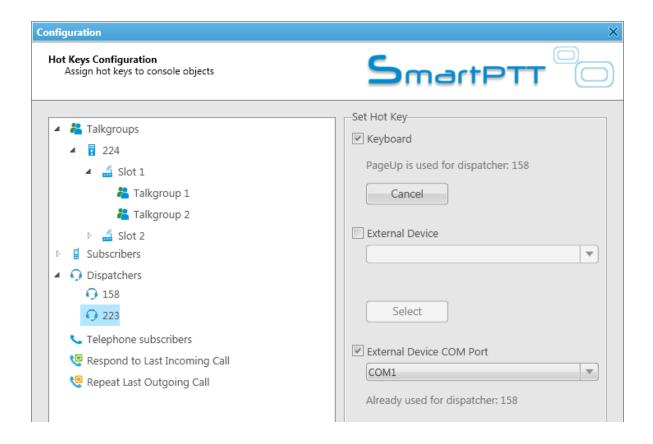
External Device – select the field to assign to the subscriber a key of the external input device connected via USB as the PTT button. Select the external device from the list of available, click the **Select** button, then press the key of the external device.

External Device COM Port – select the field to assign to the subscriber a key of the external PTT pedal connected via COM port as the PTT button. Select the COM port of the PTT pedal from the list of available.

There is only one mode available for the PTT button on external devices – hold to enable.

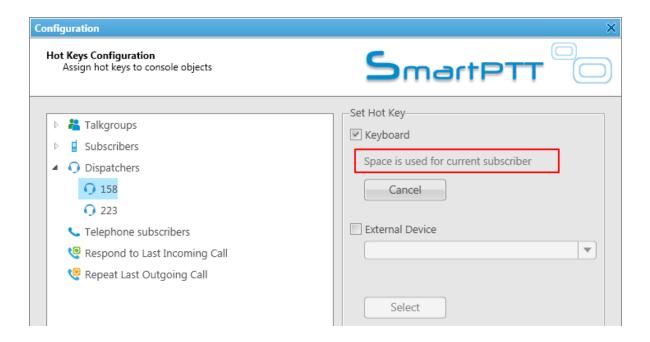
To remove the previously defined hot key for the subscriber, disable the appropriate check box. To reset the assigned hot keys for all subscribers, click **Reset All**.

If a designated keyboard key or button of an external input device is already in use, the message appears in the window:



A keyboard key or a key of the external input device which is already in use as the **PTT** button for a current subscriber cannot be used as a PTT button for the selected subscriber.

Note: The **PTT** button used for a call to a current subscriber means that you use this button to call any subscriber of SmartPTT Dispatcher.



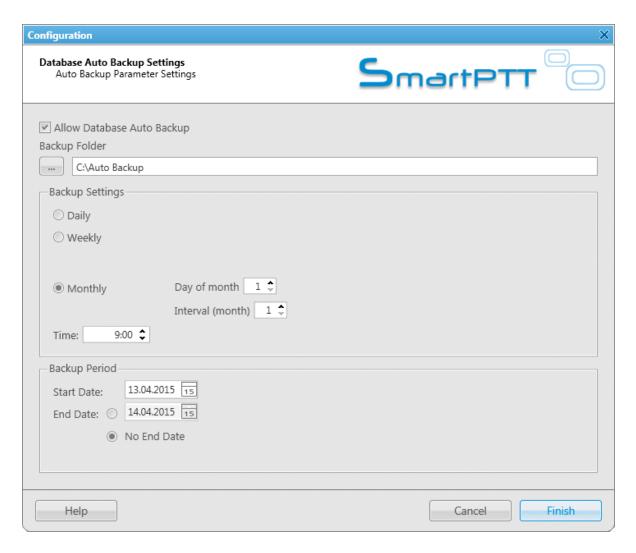
Note: If the hot key that you set matches the **PTT** button for the current subscriber, the hot key settings will be discarded.

Click Finish to apply the settings. To get back to the previous settings, click Cancel.

1.5.22 Database Auto Backup

Backing up data on a regular basis helps to protect it from being erased in case of the server hardware or software failure. SmartPTT Dispatcher allows the Administrator to back up the database manually or to set up parameters for automatic backup.

In order to set up automatic backup parameters, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT Dispatcher and click **Database Auto Backup**.



Allow Database Auto Backup – select the check box to enable the ability to create SmartPTT Dispatcher current database backups in the automatic mode.

Backup Folder — full path to the file for saving the database backup.

Backup Settings — schedule for creating the current database backup:

- Daily every fixed day at the specified time (for example, every day, every third day at 9:00 a.m.).
- **Weekly** every fixed day of the week at the specified time (for example, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11:00 p.m., or every Monday at 11:00 p.m. and Friday at 11:00 a.m.).
- Monthly once a month on the fixed day of the selected month and at the specified time.

Backup Period — allows you to set time period when automatic database backup is to be made according to the selected backup settings.

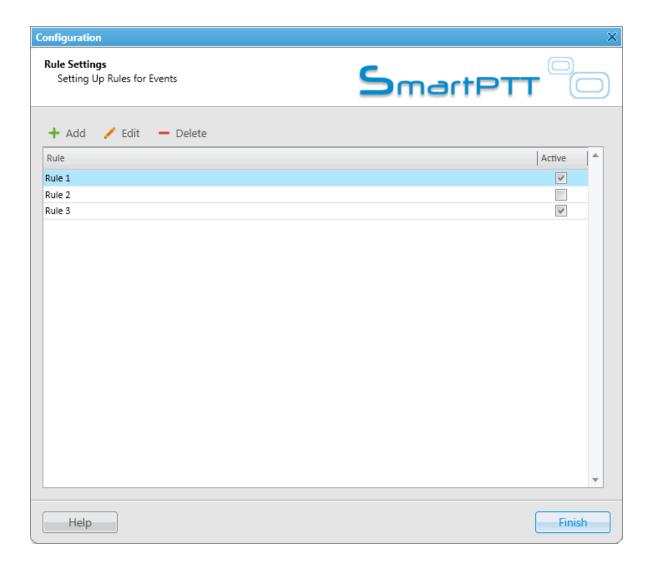
Note: The number of stored backup files in the same folder is limited to 3. Otherwise, when creating a new copy, the old files are deleted.

Note: To restore the database from the automatically created backup, see **Database**.

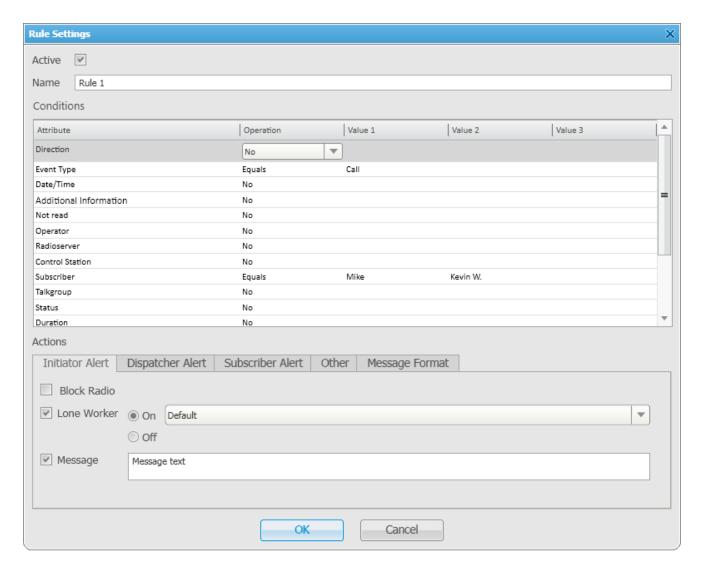
1.5.23 Rules and Alerts

You can set response rules for the events registered in SmartPTT system. Response rules may include automatic sending of messages, playing alerts in SmartPTT Dispatcher and on the radio, changing radio subscriber status, etc.

To set rules, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Rules and Alerts**. The configuration window opens up.



To add a new rule, click Add. The window with rule settings opens up.



Name – the name of the rule.

Active – select this check box to make the rule enabled.

The following table presents conditions that can be used in rules.

Attribute	Operation	Value
Direction	No, Equals	Incoming, Outgoing
Event Type	No, Equals, Not Equals	Registration, Call, Message, Telemetry,
		Alarm, Status, Block Radio, Job Ticket,
		Lone Worker

Date/Time	No, In Interval	Time interval
Additional Information	No, Equals, Contains	Type event additional information, e. g. text messages, titles and description of tasks, talkers from a group call.
Not Read	No, Equals	Read, Not Read
Operator	No, Equals, Not Equals	Operator from list of operators
Radioserver	No, Equals, Contains	Radioserver name
Control Station	No, Equals, Contains	Control station name
Subscriber	No, Equals, Not Equals	Subscriber from the list of subscribers
Talkgroup	No, Equals, Contains	Talkgroup name
Status	No, Equals, Not Equals	Status from the list of statuses
Duration	No, Equals, Not Equals, Greater, Greater than or Equal, Less, Less than or Equal, In Interval	Duration in seconds
Connection Type	No, Equals, Not Equals	 Connection types used in SmartPTT: DMR – over-the-air connection made via repeaters and control stations; PBX – telephone connection IP – Dispatcher-Dispatcher connection.
Repeater IP	No, Equals, Not Equals	Available repeaters' IP addresses
Receiver	No, Equals, Not Equals	Subscriber from the list of subscribers
Record	No, Equals	Available audio records

Attribute – contains the list of existing events which the system can register.

Operation – list of possible system operations for this attribute.

Value – values that can be selected for the attribute.

The rule is a combination of an attribute, operation and value. One rule can contain more than one such combinations.

When the system has registered an event matching the specified rule, the system performs predefined actions:

- 1. Alerts addressed to the initiator
- 2. Alerts addressed to the dispatcher
- 3. Alerts addressed to the radio subscriber
- 4. Other

Note: If the conditions of the rule include *Incoming* (**Direction**), *Telemetry* (**Type**) and a selected talkgroup (**Talkgroup**), the rule will be triggered regardless of the talkgroup ID where the telemetry command was sent.

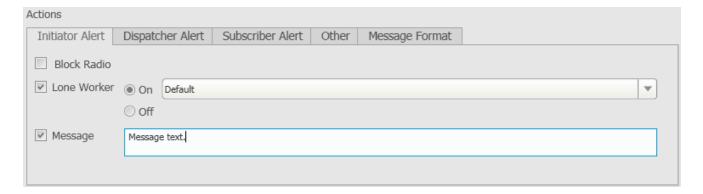
The **Message Format** tab allows you to set the format of the alert massages.

To save the rule, click **OK**. At that, the created rule appears in the list of rules.

To edit the rule, select it in the list of rules and click **Edit**. To remove the rule, select it in the list of rules and click **Delete**.

Initiator Alert

Open the **Initiator Alert** tab. In this tab you can set up actions that will be performed if the rule conditions are fulfilled.



Block Radio – if selected, the radio that triggered the rule, will be blocked.

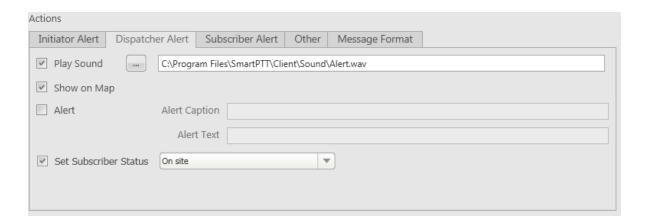
Lone Worker – if selected and **On** is clicked, the lone worker profile will be set to the radio that triggered the rule. If **Off** is clicked, the lone worker mode of the radio will be deactivated.

Note: To set up the lone worker profile, see Lone Worker Rules in SmartPTT Dispatcher.

Message – a text message is sent to the subscriber who initiated triggering of the rule. You can specify message format settings in the <u>Message Format</u> tab.

Dispatcher Alert

Open the Dispatcher Alert tab.



Play Sound – select .wav audio file to play.

Show on Map – if selected, the radio that triggered the rule will be shown on the map.

Alert – notification with the event description is displayed in the **System Notification** window. You can define the title in the **Alert Caption** field and the description in the **Alert Text** field.

Set Subscriber Status – the subscriber is assigned the predefined status. It is selected from the **Statuses** list (see <u>Statuses</u>).

Subscriber Alert

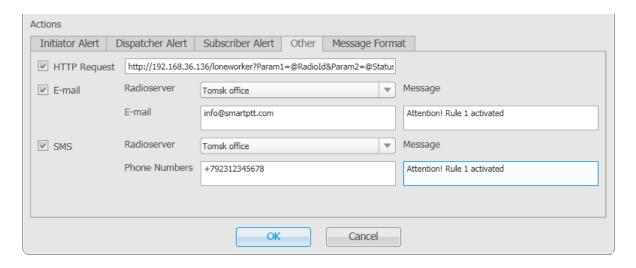
Open the **Subscriber Alert** tab.



Send Message – a text message is sent to the selected subscribers, talkgroups or categories. You can specify format settings of text messages in the <u>Message Format</u> tab of the **Actions** area.

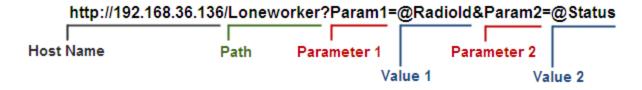
Other

Open the Other tab.



HTTP Request – is used for notification of the third party server of the changes occurred in SmartPTT system. It can render the event initiator radio ID and its status.

The HTTP request includes the following parts:



Note: Make sure that you have specified correct names for parameters 1 and 2. They must correspond to the parameters' names expected by the third party server.

Note: Under "@Status" SmartPTT system will send the system message corresponding to the newly assigned status selected in the **Dispatcher Alert** tab. Status system messages are set in the <u>Statuses</u> settings.

E-mail – is used for specifying e-mail address where a message should be sent in case the rules specified earlier are fulfilled. To do this, the following fields are to be filled:

Radioserver – server name which is configured for e-mail sending. The name of the server is selected from the drop-down list.

E-mail – electronic addresses to send messages.

Message – text of the message.

SMS – if selected, the SMS message is sent to the specified phone number in case the rules specified earlier are fulfilled. To do this, the following fields are to be filled:

Radioserver – server name for SMS messages sending. The name of the server is selected from the drop-down list.

Phone Numbers – telephone numbers to send SMS to. The preferred number format is International Number Format, i.e. <+><country code><mobile code><phone number>.

Message – text of the message.

Note: See information about SmartPTT Radioserver configuration for sending and receiving e-mails, and SMS messages in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator Help under **Telephone Interconnect** and **SMS Gateway**.

You can specify format settings of SMS or E-mail messages in the Message Format tab of the Actions area.

Message Format

You can specify message format (text messages, SMS, or E-mail) in the **Message Format** tab of the **Actions** area. These messages are sent to radio subscribers, defined in the message recipient list in the **Subscriber Alert** or **Other** tab.

Note: The format settings for text messages are valid for specific messages, only if **Send Message** is selected in the **Subscriber Alert** tab; for SMS – if **SMS** is selected in the **Other** tab; for E-mail – if **E-mail** is selected in the **Other** tab.



Event Information:

Event Type – if selected, the message includes the type of the event, which triggered the rule.

Date/Time – if selected, the date and time of the event will be added to the text message. You can set the date format displayed in the message (date and time, or time only).

Time Zone – if selected, the message includes subscriber time zone in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC). **Coordinates** – if selected, the subscriber's coordinates are displayed in the message. These are the latest coordinates stored in the database.

Subscriber Information:

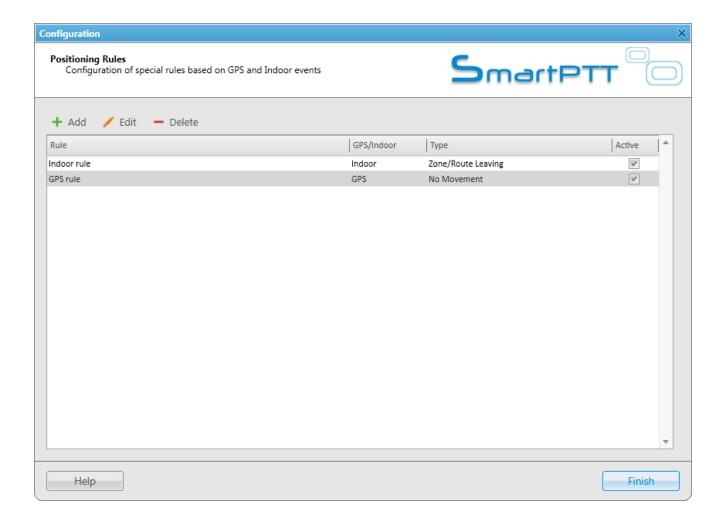
Subscriber ID – if selected, the ID of the subscriber, who has triggered the rule, will be added to the text message.

Subscriber Name – if selected, the name of the subscriber, who has triggered the rule, will be added to the text message.

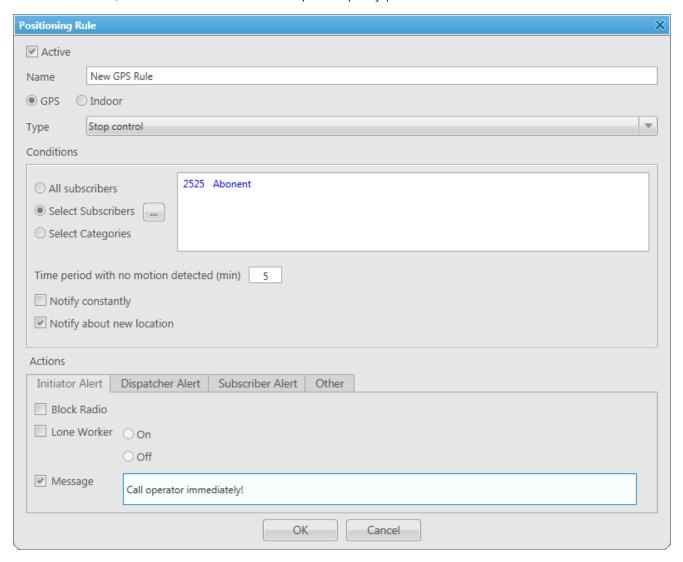
1.5.24 Positioning Rules

You can set response rules for GPS and Indoor events registered in SmartPTT system. GPS events include receiving or not receiving subscriber's GPS coordinates, and Indoor events include receiving or not receiving positioning data from special beacons. Response rules may include automatic sending of messages, playing alerts in SmartPTT Dispatcher and on the radio, changing radio subscriber statuses, etc.

To set up a positioning rule, expand the **Settings** menu in the main menu and click **Positioning Rules**.



To add a new rule, click Add. In the window that opened specify parameters of the future rule.



Active – if the check box is selected, processing of events starts in accordance with the selected criteria. If the check box is not selected, the rule is unavailable.

Name – name of the rule.

There can be two kinds of positioning rules: Indoor and GPS.

Type – rule types:

- **Stop control** this rule type checks if a radio subscriber is moving, i.e. the subscriber's coordinates or Indoor positioning data constantly change with time.
- Location data received this rule type checks the appearance of the radio subscriber's coordinates after a
 predefined period of time when there were no coordinates.

• **No location data** – this rule type checks if there are no radio subscriber coordinates for a period longer than the specified period of time. Coordinates like "...Lat: 0 Long: 0" are not regarded as valid coordinates, and they won't be taken into account when applying positioning rules.

- **Zone/route entry** this rule type checks if the radio subscriber has entered the zone or the route, i.e. the subscriber's previous coordinates were outside the defined zone or route, and the current coordinates are within this zone or the route.
- **Zone/route exit** this rule type checks if the radio subscriber has left the zone or the route.
- **Speeding** this rule type checks if there was any speeding based on the received GPS data.
- Number of subscribers in geofences / on routes this rule type checks the number of radio subscribers in the selected geofences or on selected routes.

The table lists the criteria used in positioning rules.

Attribute	Value
All subscribers	Select all subscribers, or some subscribers, or categories, to whom
Select Subscribers / Select	the rule will be applied.
Categories	
Time period with no motion detected	Time interval during which the radio subscriber can stay at one place
	(min)
Time period before receiving	Period of time after which the subscriber's coordinates are received
location data	again (min)
Time period with no location data	Period of time during which there are no subscriber's coordinates
received	(min)
Geofences and Routes	Select geofences or routes to follow in the rule.
	If speeding is registered, the rule is executed.
Speeding	Note. The rule triggers only when over-speed occurs in the area of the
opecanig	selected geofence or on the selected route. Otherwise, the rule is not
	triggered.
Number of subscribers in geofences /	The number of radio subscribers in selected geofences or on selected
on routes	routes.

Attribute	Value
Select Area (Geofences/ Routes)	Select geofences or routes to follow in the rule.
Notify constantly	Select this check box to notify the dispatcher about violation of one of the criteria every time it happens. If the check box is not selected, the actions which follow the violation of the specified criteria will occur only once.
Notify about new location	If the subscriber starts moving, and before that the subscriber stopped for a time period longer than the specified one, the notification window will be displayed

If the rule meets selected criteria, the system can perform a series of actions:

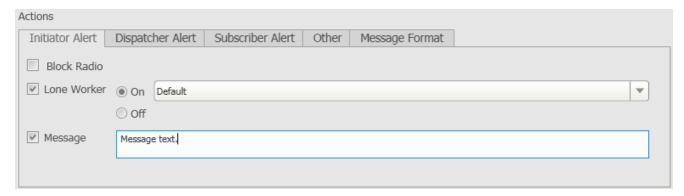
- 1. Actions addressed to the initiator
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If finished, click **OK** to save the rule, and the created rule appears in the list of rules.

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Initiator Alert

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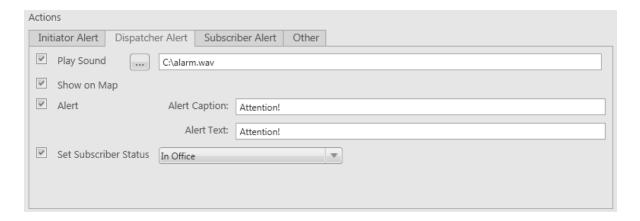
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Message – a text message is sent to the subscriber who initiated triggering of the rule.

Dispatcher Alert

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Play Sound – select .wav audio file to play back.

Show on Map – location of the subscriber specified in the rule is shown on the map (with an icon).

Alert – notification with the event description is displayed in the **System Notification** window. You can define the title in the **Alert Caption** field and the description in the **Alert Text** field.

Note: For rules **Stop control** and **No location data** the alert text cannot be set – it is generated by the system automatically.

Set Subscriber Status – the subscriber is assigned the specified status. It is selected from the list of statuses.

Subscriber Alert

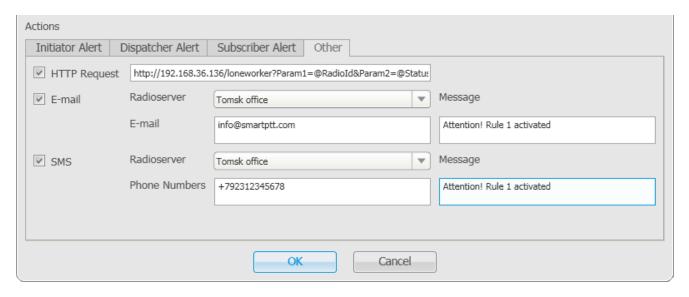
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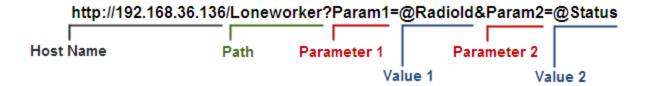
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E-mail – electronic addresses to send the message.

Message - text of the message.

SMS – if selected, the SMS message is sent to the specified phone number in case the rules specified earlier are not fulfilled. To do this, the following fields are to be filled:

Radioserver – server name which is configured for SMS messages sending. The name of the server is selected from the drop-down list.

Phone Numbers – telephone numbers to send SMS. The preferred number format is International Number Format, i.e. <+><country code><mobile code><phone number>.

Message - text of the message.

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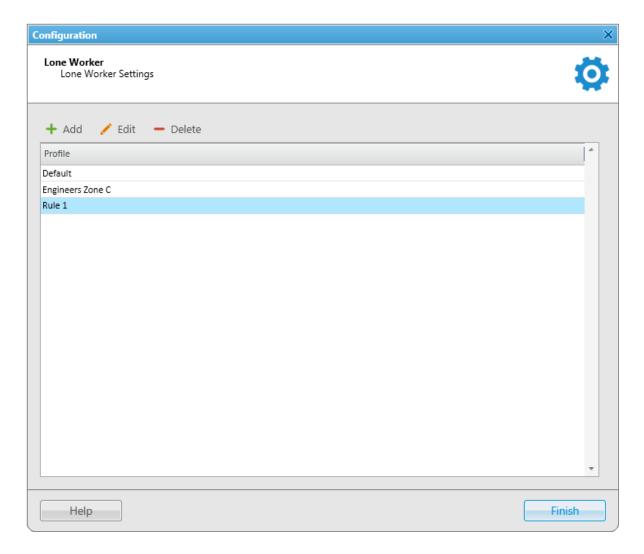
1.5.25 Lone Worker Rules

SmartPTT Dispatcher supports the Lone Worker mode for radio subscribers.

When a subscriber is set to the Lone Worker mode, SmartPTT automatically tracks the following conditions:

- Absence of calls from the subscriber during specified period of time.
- Absence of GPS coordinates from the subscriber during specified period of time.
- Immobility of the subscriber during specified period of time.

When one of the specified conditions triggers, SmartPTT Dispatcher executes the actions defined by the settings. To define special rules or profiles for lone workers, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Lone Worker Rules**. At that, the window for creation and/or editing the rules for lone workers opens.

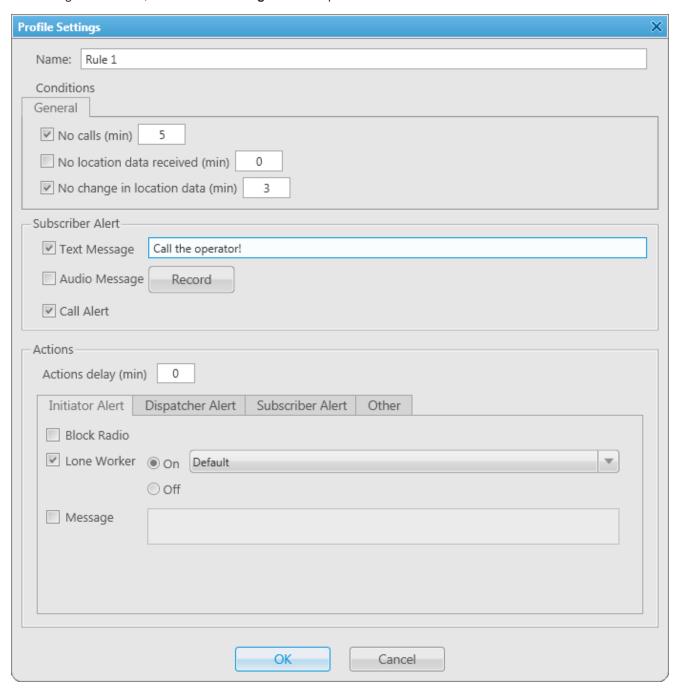


Here you can see the list of rules which get executed if the specified conditions are fulfilled. SmartPTT supports multiple rules, so it is possible to create a lone worker rule for each radio subscriber.

To add a new rule, click **Add**. To make changes in the existing rule, select it and click **Edit**. To delete a rule, select it from the list and click **Delete**.

Note: The default profile cannot be deleted.

At clicking Add or Edit, the Profile Settings window opens.



In the **Profile Settings** window you can set up rules for a new profile or edit rules for the existing profile. The window contains the following fields and sections:

Name – name of the profile. It is an obligatory field.

The **General** tab contains rule conditions to trigger an alert:

No calls – specifies the period of time for a subscriber to make a voice call. If the subscriber does not make a call during the specified time period, the corresponding actions are executed.

No location data received – specifies the period of time for a subscriber to send GPS or Indoor data. If the subscriber radio does not send its GPS or Indoor data during the specified time period, the corresponding actions are executed.

No change in location data – specifies the period of time to check if a subscriber is moving. If the subscriber GPS data (GPS data accuracy is 5 meters) or Indoor data do not change during the specified time period, the corresponding actions are executed.

Note: The No change in location data rule condition triggers only if the dispatcher receives radio GPS or Indoor data. So the No change in location data rule condition must be used together with the No location data received rule condition.

The **Subscriber Alert** area:

Text Message – when the event specified in one of the filters occurs, the text message is sent to the lone worker.

Audio Message – when the event specified in one of the filters occurs, an audio message is sent to the lone worker. To record the message, click the **Record** button. To stop recording, click the **Stop** button. To listen to the recorded message, click **Play**. To delete the recorded message, click **Delete**.

Call Alert – when the event described by one of the filters occurs, a Call Alert is sent to the lone worker.

The **Actions delay** timer defines the time interval after which **Actions** will be executed after **Subscriber Alert**. If the rule meets selected criteria, the system can execute the following actions:

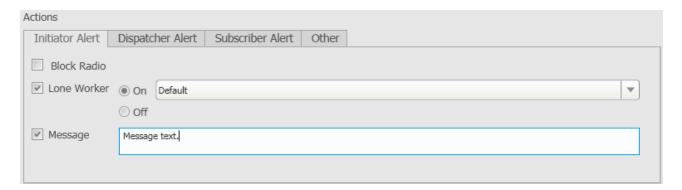
- 1. Actions addressed to the initiator
- 2. Alerts addressed to the dispatcher
- 3. Alerts addressed to the radio subscriber
- 4. Other

To save the rule, click **OK**. At that, the created rule appears in the list of rules.

To edit rule settings, select it in the list of rules and click **Edit**. To remove the rule, select it in the list of rules and click **Delete**.

Initiator Alert

Open the Initiator Alert tab.



Block Radio – if selected, the radio that triggered the rule, will be blocked.

Lone Worker – if selected and **On** is clicked, the lone worker profile will be set to the radio that triggered the rule. If **Off** is clicked, the lone worker mode of the radio will be deactivated.

Note: To set up the lone worker profile, see Lone Worker Rules in SmartPTT Dispatcher.

Message – a text message is sent to the subscriber who triggered the rule.

Dispatcher Alert

Open the Dispatcher Alert tab.



Play Sound – select the audio file to play in SmartPTT Dispatcher. The supported audio formats: MP3, OGG, WAV.

Show on Map – subscriber specified in the rule is shown on the map (with an icon).

Alert – notification with the event description is displayed in the **System Notification** window. You can define the title in the **Alert Caption** field. and the description in the **Alert Text** field. Description of the event can't be set, it is generated automatically.

Set Subscriber Status – the subscriber is assigned the specified status. It is selected from the list of statuses.

Subscriber Alert

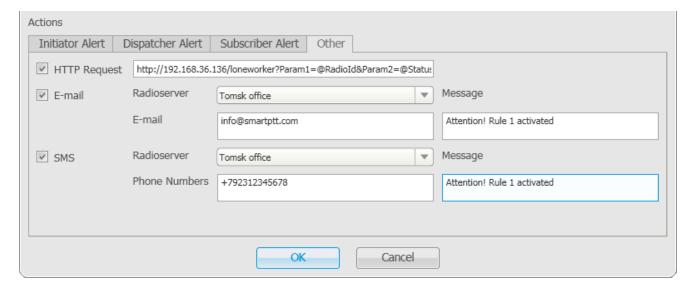
Open the Subscriber Alert tab.



Send Message – a text message is sent to the selected subscribers, talkgroups or categories.

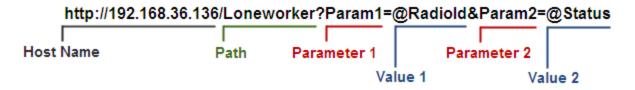
Other

Open the Other tab.



HTTP Request – is used for notification of the third party server of the changes occurred in SmartPTT system. It can render the event initiator radio ID and its status.

The HTTP request includes the following parts:



Note: Make sure that you have specified correct names for parameters 1 and 2. They must correspond to the parameters' names expected by the third party server.

Note: Under "@Status" SmartPTT system will send the system message corresponding to the newly assigned status selected in the **Dispatcher Alert** tab. Status system messages are set in the <u>Statuses</u> settings.

E-mail – is used for specifying e-mail address where a message should be sent in case the rules specified earlier are not fulfilled. To do this, the following fields are to be filled:

Radioserver – server name for e-mail sending. The name of the server is selected from the drop-down list.

E-mail – electronic addresses to send the message.

Message - text of the message.

SMS – if checked, the SMS message is sent to the specified phone number in case the rules specified earlier are not fulfilled. To do this, the following fields are to be filled:

Radioserver – server name for SMS messages sending. The name of the server is selected from the drop-down list.

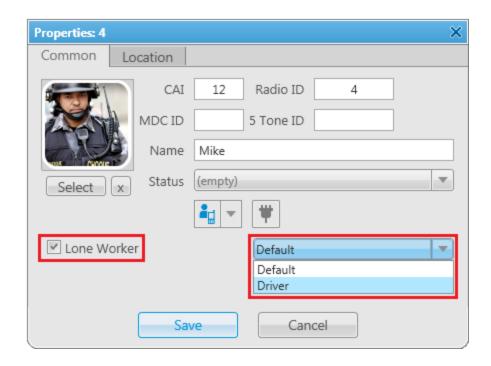
Phone Numbers – telephone numbers to send SMS. The preferred number format is International Number Format, i.e. <+><country code><mobile code><phone number>.

Message – text of the message.

Note: See information about SmartPTT Radioserver configuration for sending and receiving e-mails and SMS messages in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator Help under **Telephone Interconnect** and **SMS Gateway**.

How to assign a Lone Worker Profile to the radio subscriber

To assign the created lone worker profile to a radio subscriber, open the **Properties** window of the subscriber. In the opened window select the **Lone Worker** check box, and in the drop-down list select the created profile.



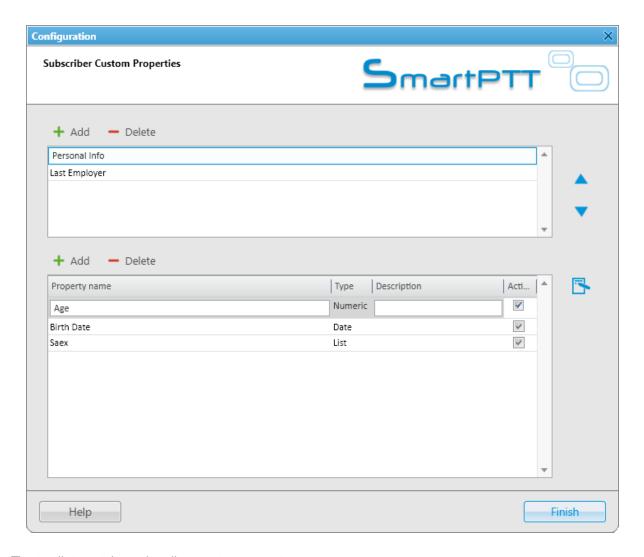
To remove the profile from the subscriber, clear the Lone Worker check box.

1.5.26 Subscriber Custom Properties

SmartPTT Dispatcher provides the ability to add custom properties of a subscriber, which can be used for giving additional information about the radio subscriber. Subscriber Custom Properties have the following four types:

- 1. Text
- 2. Numeric
- 3. Date
- 4. List

To create custom properties expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Subscriber Custom Properties**. At that, the **Subscriber Custom Properties** window opens.



The top list contains subscriber custom property groups.

To add the subscriber custom property group, click **Add** at the top. To delete the group, click **Delete**. Arrows on the right allow moving groups inside the list.

The bottom list contains the properties of the created groups.

Property Name – custom name of the property which will be displayed in the **Properties** window.

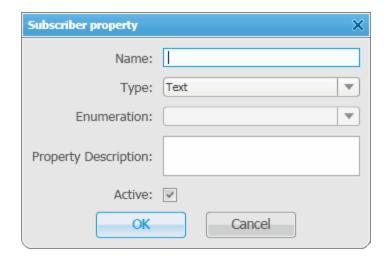
Type – property type (Text, Numeric, Data or List).

Description – text description added by the user when creating a property.

Active – select the check box, to have the property displayed in the **Properties** window.

To add a property into the property group, select the created property group in the top list and then click **Add** above the bottom list.

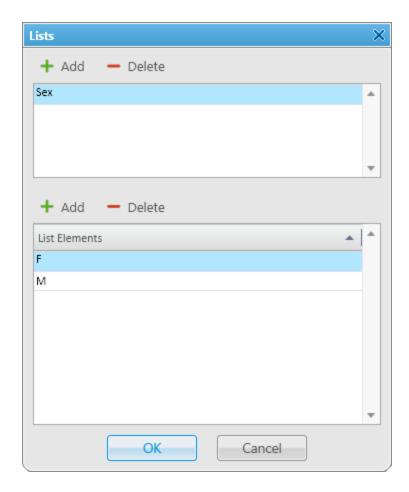
At that, the Subscriber property window opens.



Fill all the fields required. Select the **Type** and click **OK**.

Note: If you want to select **List** in the **Type** field, before that you need to create the list. Otherwise, the list will be empty.

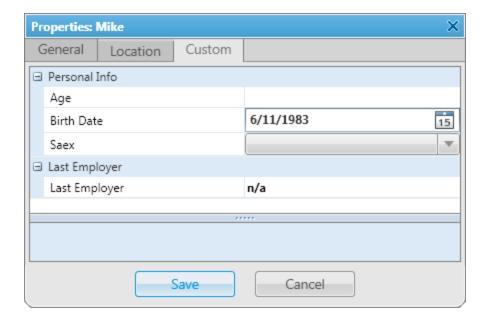
To create the list, click the **Create/Edit Lists** button . At that, the window opens:



In the top box add list names by clicking Add.

Select the created list and add elements of the list. To do it, go to the bottom box and click **Add** just above it.

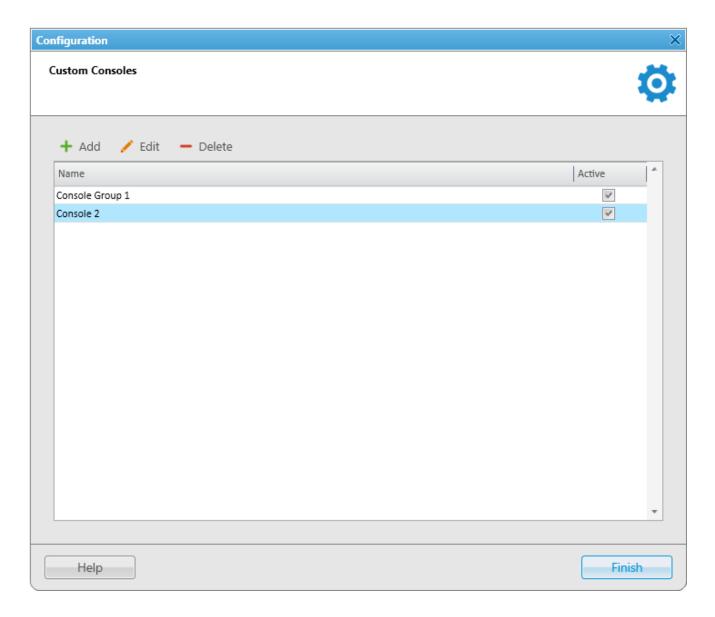
To view the active custom properties go to the subscriber **Properties** window, **Custom** tab.



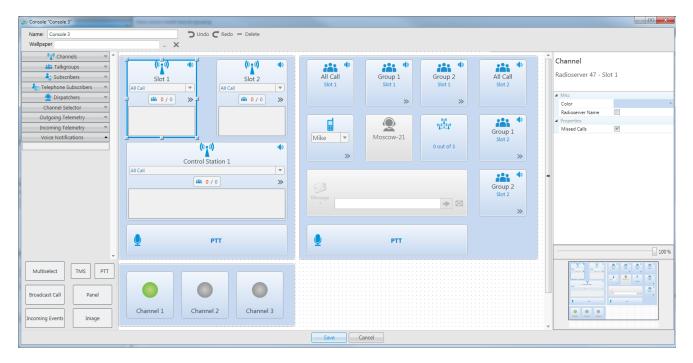
1.5.27 Custom Consoles

Custom Console is a tool that provides the dispatcher with custom workplace. Custom consoles are visual panels containing various elements, e.g. radio subscribers, external dispatchers, talkgroups, in short, everything the dispatcher need for daily work. Every dispatcher can have his own console with all the radio objects necessary for his work.

To create and set up a custom console, expand the **Settings** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Custom Consoles**. At that, the **Custom Consoles** window opens.



To add a new console, click **Add**. At that, the console editor will open.



Name: A name of a custom console which will be displayed in the Tools menu.

Wallpaper: Allows you to select an image for the background of the console. The supported formats are BMP, JPG, PNG.

There are more than a dozen types of visual elements available in **Custom Consoles**. Description of each element is given further in this article.

To add an element to the custom console, drag and drop the desired element onto the work space of the console designer. To remove the element from the work space, select it and press **Delete**. To erase the last change or perform the redo function click the **Undo** or **Redo** buttons.

You can adjust size, color or location of each element on the custom console. You can also add or remove different properties. To do this, select the element and use the **Misc** or the **Properties** sections on the right of the console designer work space. To move the element up, down, left, or right, press the arrow keys. To move the element diagonally, press the Up or Down Arrow key and the Left or Right Arrow key. For example, to move the element diagonally toward the upper-right corner, press Right Arrow-Up Arrow.

Channel



The **Channel** element stands for a physical or logical channel. It gives the following information about the channel:

- information about the current call on the channel the call state, the called party and the call originator;
- default target for outgoing calls (it can be either All Call or any particular talkgroup);
- muted or unmuted;
- the number of missed incoming calls.

To mute the channel, click . Check the <u>Mute Mode</u> settings before applying this function.

To open the Actions list which can be applied to an element, click ...

To display the channel name as Radioserver name – Channel name, select the Radioserver Name check box in the Misc section. Otherwise, only the channel name will be displayed.

To view the number of missed incoming calls, select the **Missed Calls** check box in the **Properties** section.

shows the number of calls not answered by the dispatcher. The red figure stands for the number of private calls not answered by the dispatcher. The blue one shows the total number of calls not answered by the dispatcher, including private and group calls. As soon as the dispatcher called back the talkgroup or the radio subscriber, the counter is set to zero.

By clicking the button, the window with details appears.



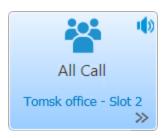
Missed (Dispatcher) – filters only private calls not answered by the dispatcher.

Missed (All) – filters private and group calls not answered by the dispatcher.

All – removes all filters and shows all available talkgroups and radio subscribers and their call statistics.

Clear All - sets all counters to zero.

Talkgroup





The **Talkgroup** element stands for a talkgroup on the channel. You can make a call to the selected talkgroup by clicking on the element.

To open the Actions list which can be applied to an element, click ...

Also, the element displays that the radio subscriber enters emergency mode (the **Emergency** icon appears), when the Emergency button is pressed on the radio. Once the dispatcher solves the problem by clicking

in the **Emergencies** panel, he clears the emergency state on the element of the **Custom Console**. Once the initiator clears the emergency on the initiator radio, the emergency is considered over.

You can mute the group call by clicking on the **Mute** icon. The element also shows the state of the current call.

> To display the channel name as Radioserver name – Channel name, select the Radioserver Name check box in the Misc section. Otherwise, only the channel name will be displayed.

Radio Subscribers



The Subscriber element for certain radio subscriber

The **Subscriber** element is used for making private voice calls. There are two types of the Subscriber element:

The Subscriber element for certain radio subscriber—is used to call the radio subscriber selected in advance, when adding the element to the console.

You can also assign this type of element to different radio subscribers from the drop-down list. To enable this option, select the Allow Changes check box in the Properties section, when adding the element to the console.

The **Subscriber** element for optional radio subscriber—is used to call the radio subscriber that can be selected using dial pad or list of radio subscribers on the element.

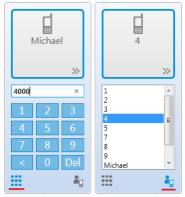
To open the dial pad, click the button in the bottom left corner of the element. To select the necessary radio subscriber, enter its Radio ID in the search field using the dial pad or keyboard.

To open the list of radio subscribers, click the button <a>!- in the bottom

right corner of the element.

The Subscriber element shows the radio subscriber name or its Radio ID, if name is not specified.

- the icon on the subscriber element shows that the dispatcher did not answer to the subscriber call. The figure next to it shows the number of missed calls.



The Subscriber element for optional radio subscriber

radio, the emergency is considered over.

mode (the **Emergency** label), when the Emergency button of the radio is pressed. Once the dispatcher solves the problem by clicking in the **Emergencies** panel, he clears the emergency state on the element of the **Custom Console**. Once the initiator clears the emergency on the initiator

Also, the element displays that the radio subscriber enters emergency

To open the <u>Actions List</u> which can be applied to an element, click ...

To open the <u>Call Window</u> of the radio subscriber, right click the element.

Telephone Subscriber



The **Telephone Subscriber** element is used for making calls to telephone subscribers. Double-clicking on the element opens the **Call Window** and initiates the call.

Note: For proper operation of the element select Allow Calls to

Telephone Subscribers in the General Settings tab of the Telephone

Settings window.

You can assign the element to different telephone subscribers from the drop-down list. To enable this option, select the **Allow Changes** check box in the **Properties** section.

Note: To set the list of telephone subscribers, go to the <u>Telephone</u>
<u>Subscribers</u> window.

Dispatcher



The **Dispatcher** element is used for making connection to other dispatchers. Double-clicking on the element opens the dispatcher's **Call Window** and initiates the call.

Note: For proper operation of the element make sure that the operator has the permission Connect with external dispatchers (Settings > Operators)

You can assign the element to different dispatchers from the drop-down list.

To enable this option, select the **Allow Changes** check box in the **Properties** section.

Note: The list of dispatchers contains dispatchers added in the <u>Dispatchers</u> window.

Channel Selector



The **Channel Selector** element allows the dispatcher to switch from one channel of the control station to another.

Note: The functionality requires the control station to be connected to the PC and its channels to be set up via MOTOTRBO CPS and SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.

Channel setting in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator is carried out on the **Channels** tab of the control station. **Channels** listed on this tab must match the channels set in MOTOTRBO CPS (channel number, zone number).

To configure this functionality in SmartPTT Dispatcher, add the **Channel Selector** element into the console designer work space. One element can be assigned to one channel. To allow switching between channels, you should add the required number of elements.

Outgoing Telemetry



The **Outgoing Telemetry** element is used for sending telemetry commands to the radio subscriber. You can assign only one telemetry command per element. Before assigning the telemetry command to the element, add it to the telemetry list of commands and to the radio subscriber. Apart from sending commands, you can also check the current status and the time of the last status update.

Incoming Telemetry



The **Incoming Telemetry** element is used for receiving the current status of the selected pin. You can also see the time of the last status update.

Voice Notification





The **Voice Notifications** element starts or stops the voice notification and displays how many times the voice notification is reproduced. To configure voice notifications see the **Voice Notification** section in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.

Note: To monitor the current status of the voice notification playing, open the <u>Voice Notifications</u> window (**Service > Voice Notifications**).

To display the element name as *Radioserver name – Voice Notification* name, select the **Radioserver Name** check box in the **Misc** section.

Otherwise, only the voice notification name will be displayed.

Multiselect





The **Multiselect** element is used to make a simultaneous call to several radio objects (talkgroups and radio subscribers) which were added in advance by dispatcher to the **Multiselect** list.

To initiate a simultaneous call to the participants of the **Multiselect** list, click the **Multiselect** element in the opened custom console. At that, all participants will hear the dispatcher, but only the dispatcher will hear the participant who answers the call.

To add radio objects to the **Multiselect** list, add the **Multiselect** element to the custom console in the console editing mode, open the custom console from the **Tools** menu and click the **Edit list** button on . In the **Multiselect** window, that opened, add the required radio objects from the **Radio Fleet** list to the **Multiselect objects** list, and click **OK**.

Note: You can create more than one **Multiselect objects** list, by adding the corresponding number of the **Multiselect** elements to the custom console.

To edit the **Multiselect** list, click the **Edit list** button in the opened custom console.

Broadcast Call



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The **Broadcast Call** element is used for making group calls or an All Call within all the channels of the dispatch console simultaneously. Select the required talkgroup or All Call ID in the **Talkgroup ID** field of the **Properties** section. When such a call is initiated, SmartPTT Dispatcher tries to call all of the subscribers with the given identifier.

Panel

Panel

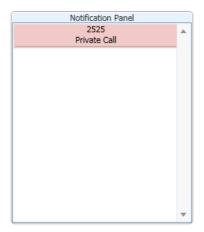
The **Panel** element is used for uniting several elements. The panel can have its own color, size and placement. All inside elements of one panel are moved together with the panel.

Image



The **Image** element is used for adding logos and other images to the custom console. You can select the image file under the **Properties** section on the right. The supported formats are BMP, JPG, PNG.

Incoming Events



The **Incoming Events** informs about incoming messages, call alerts and missed private calls to SmartPTT Dispatcher from radio subscribers.

Double-click the record in the panel to open the subscriber's Call Window.

TMS



The **TMS** element is used for sending short text messages to all subscribers or talkgroups situated in one panel with the **TMS** element. To do this, just enter the text of the message or select a template, and send it. If the **TMS** element is placed outside a panel, it will send private messages. To do this, just select the radio subscriber, enter the text of the message and send the message.

PTT



The **PTT** element is used for a multiple-user call. If it is located inside the panel, clicking the **PTT** element makes a call to all the subscribers located within this panel. If it is located outside the panel, the **PTT** element becomes disabled.

When in work, color of the elements with the assigned subscribers differs depending on the status.

Element	Description
Alexander	Gray – the subscriber is offline or outside the network coverage
123	Gray blue – the subscriber is online
	Light yellow – the operator is trying to make an outgoing call
123	Yellow – all outgoing radio calls
	Green – all incoming radio calls or the radio is being monitored
	Light green – exists in the Capacity Max systems only and determines the incoming call
123	attempt to SmartPTT Dispatcher
	Blue – none of the parties transmit or receive voice. The subscriber can answer the call by
(And A	pressing the PTT button within hang time. In the Capacity Max systems the dispatcher can
	end the call during the hang time by right clicking the console element.
12	After the hang time expires, the subscriber initiates a new call by pressing the PTT button. The
	calling subscriber is the subscriber linked with the PTT button by default.
123	Blue frame – the subscriber is selected

You can open the created custom consoles from the **Tools** menu. SmartPTT Dispatcher allows opening multiple custom consoles simultaneously.

1.6 Service

The **Service** menu allows you to carry out secondary functions, namely:

- Radio Check allows you to send the radio check command to radio subscribers.
- Voice Notifications allows you to play voice notifications.
- <u>Deferred Actions</u> allows you to view and edit deferred actions.
- Received Files allows you to view files received by the radioserver via SmartPTT File Transfer.
- Radio Kill allows you to block a radio station irreversibly.

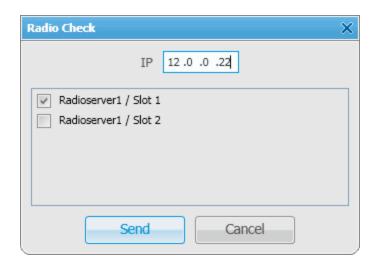
• <u>System Information</u> allows you to check event statistics registered on the radioserver or in the dispatcher console and other information on the system.

- Export Radio Subscribers allows you to save the list of registered radio subscribers in XML or XLS formats.
- Import Radio Subscribers allows you to import previously exported list of radio subscribers.
- Upload to KML allows you to export current geographical position of radio subscribers in KML format.
- Import Connect Plus Logs allows you to import data from the Connect Plus network.
- <u>Save Dispatcher Settings</u> allows you to save current settings of the dispatcher console and database to restore them in the future.
- Restore Dispatcher Settings allows you to restore saved settings of the dispatcher console and the database.

1.6.1 Radio Check

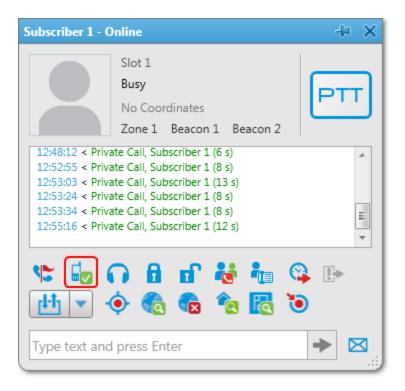
The **Radio Check** function can be executed on the selected control stations available to the dispatcher. The result of the **Radio Check** is displayed in the subscriber **Call Window**. It can be: "Subscriber is available" or "Subscriber is unavailable".

To do **Radio Check**, expand the **Service** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Radio Check**. At that, the **Radio Check** window opens.



Specify the **IP** of the subscriber radio. Select control stations which should be used to check the subscriber availability and click **Send**.

Alternatively, Radio Check can be done from the Call Window or the Actions List.



In the Actions List:



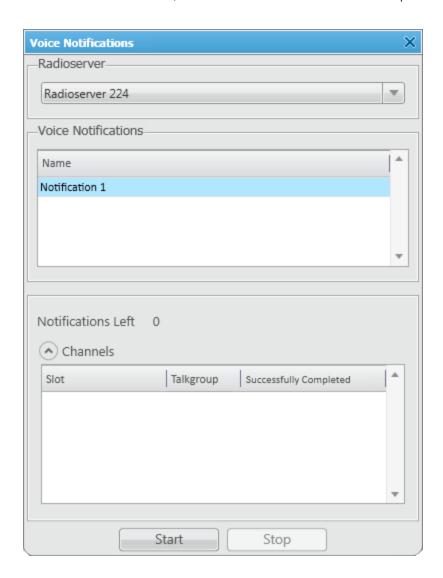
Note: If the connection to the Capacity Max system is performed via control station, the **Radio Check** command will be unavailable.

1.6.2 Voice Notifications

The main purpose of the voice notification functionality is to warn talkgroups about the fire or other emergency and to manage evacuation. However, in normal mode voice notification can be used for usual voice announcements.

Warning! You can create voice notifications only in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator (Radioserver > Add-on Modules > Voice Notifications). You can run the created voice notifications from SmartPTT Dispatcher.

To play a voice notification in selected systems, expand the **Service** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and click **Voice Notifications**. At that, the **Voice Notifications** window will open.



Radioserver – select the radioserver from the list. The list contains only active and running radioservers, registered in the dispatch console.

Voice Notifications – select a voice notification from the list of items created in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.

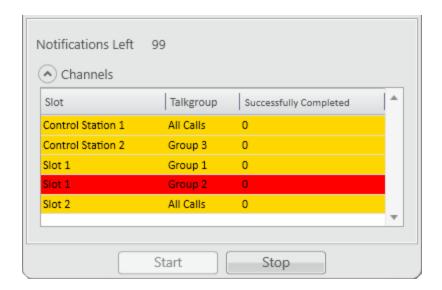
To play the voice notification, select the radioserver and the voice notification, and click **Start**. To stop playing, click **Stop**.

Note: To play a voice notification, you can use the Voice Notification element, added to the custom console.

Note: When the voice notification is stopped, it does not stop playing immediately, but only after it played on all selected channels within a single repetition.

Notifications Left – specifies the number of remaining voice notification repetitions.

Channels – contains a list of channels specified for the selected voice notification. Here you can also see the current status of the voice notification playing, and the number of completed playbacks. The channel is highlighted green, when voice notification playing was successfully completed on this channel. When voice notification can't be played on the channel (for example, hardware or virtual device is not available at the moment), the channel is highlighted red. While voice notification is played on the channel, the channel is highlighted yellow.



1.6.3 Deferred Actions

Deferred actions allow to deliver an information to the offline subscriber. When subscriber becomes online, it will immediately receive it.

You can use deferred action for the online subscribers. They will receive them immediately after the creation.

SmartPTT Dispatcher allows you to create, edit, view and delete two types of deferred actions:

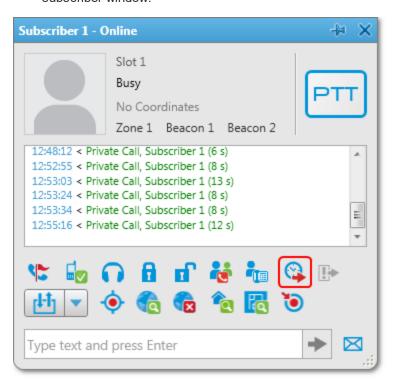
voice messages,

· text messages.

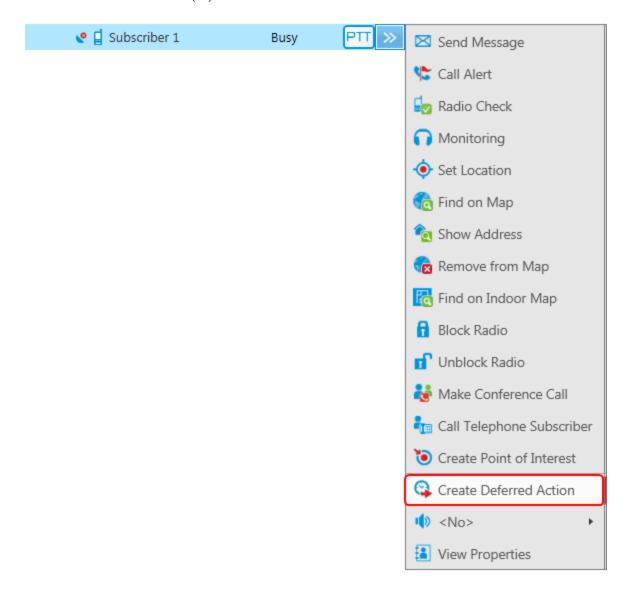
Note: Operator of SmartPTT Dispatcher should have the right to create deferred actions.

You can create a deferred action in two ways:

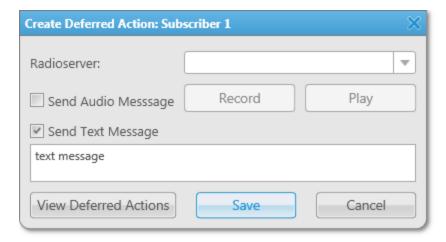
 Double-click the subscriber in the Radio Fleet window and click Create Deferred Action icon in the subscriber window.



• Click the Action button (>>) next to the subscriber and click Create Deferred Action.



At that, the Create Deferred Action window will be opened:



Radioserver: A list of the active radioservers, to which a subscriber belongs.

Send Audio Message: Select to create a voice message:

- click Record and start the recording of the voice message. When you do, the button changes to Stop.
 Click it to stop the recording.
- click Play to play the recorded message. When you do, the button will change to Stop. Click it to stop the recording.

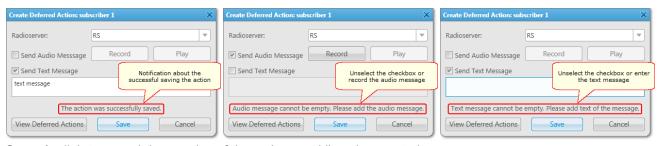
If you dislike the voice message, you can rewrite it by recording a new voice message.

Send Text Message: Select to create a text message:

type your text message if the field below.

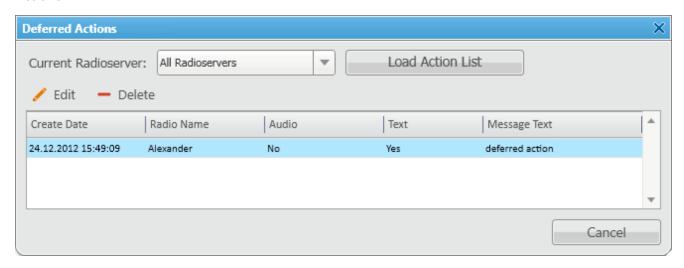
Note: If you unselect **Send Text Message**, the text will be kept in the field except it becomes unavailable and will not be included into action when you will save it.

Save: click to save the action. At this, your message will be transmitted to the radioserver, so the execution of the deferred action is independent on SmartPTT Dispatcher. You will be notified about the successful creation of the deferred action or issues that resist its creation.



Cancel: click to cancel the creation of the action or adding changes to it.

View Deferred Actions: Closes the Create Deferred Action window without saving and opens the Deferred Actions list.



In this list you can view deferred actions which were not executed yet (queued actions). When the deferred action is executed, it will be removed from the list.

Current Radioserver: Select the radioserver to view actions which it should execute.

Note: If you do not see your radioserver in the list, check if it is active in the <u>Radioservers</u> menu.

Load Action List: Click to show or refresh the list of deferred actions on the selected radiosever.

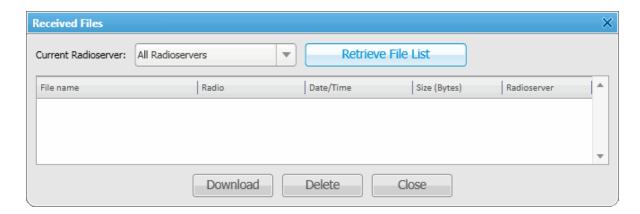
Edit: Click to change the selected action. At this, Create Deferred Action will be opened again.

Delete: Click to delete the selected action. Be careful with this, because no notifications occur at this action.

1.6.4 Received Files

SmartPTT Dispatcher provides the ability to view files sent from radio stations with the help of a free application SmartPTT File Transfer.

To view the files received from radio stations, expand the **Service** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and click **Received Files**. At that, the following window opens.



Current Radioserver – allows selecting files from one available radioserver or all available radioservers.

Retrieve File List – loads received files for the selected radioserver.

Download – opens the window for saving the selected file. You can also open this window by double-clicking on the selected file.

Delete – deletes the selected file from the list.

Close - closes the Received Files window.

1.6.5 Administration

Radio Kill

Capacity Max system supports the Radio Kill function, which allows to block a radio irreversibly.

Note: After sending Radio Kill to the radio, you can restore this radio only in Motorola service center.

To send Radio Kill to the radio, perform the following actions:

Expand the Service menu in the Main Menu bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click
 Administration > Radio Kill. At that, the Radio Kill window opens.



2. In the Radio ID field enter the radio unique identifier. If this identifier has a name in the SmartPTT Dispatcher database, this name will be displayed on the right. To continue, click **OK**. To cancel the command, click the Cancel or Cross button.



Pay attention that the Radio Kill command can be executed only under the following conditions:

- The radio is registered in a network (it is online),
- The radio identifier is in the range of allowed radio IDs for radioserver and profile configured in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator (for more detailed information refer to SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator User Guide).

If one of the given conditions is not fulfilled, after clicking **OK** the **Warning** window will open and **Radio Kill** will not be sent.



3. If all the conditions described above are fulfilled, after clicking OK the Enter Password window will open. In the Operator password field enter the password used to log in SmartPTT Dispatcher. To send the Radio Kill command, click OK. To cancel the command, click the Cancel or Cross button.

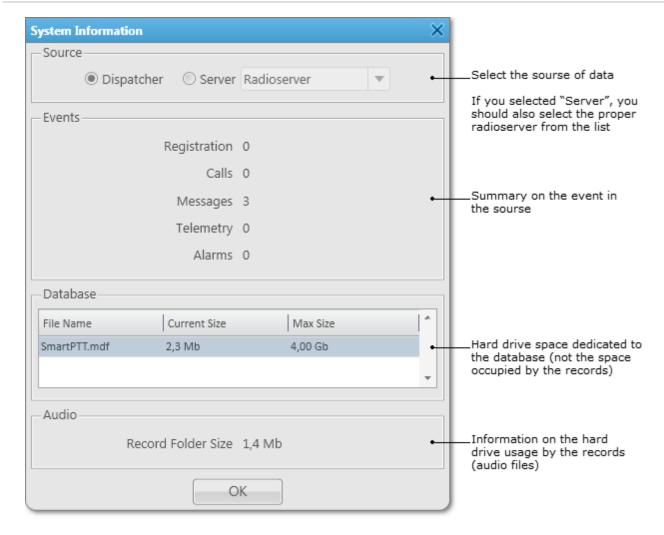


Attention! After clicking OK you will be able to restore this radio only in Motorola service center.

1.6.6 System Information

The **System Information** window contains brief information about the usage of the SmartPTT network systems.

To call this window click **System Information** in the **Service** menu of the Dispatcher main menu.



1.6.7 Export Radio Subscribers

SmartPTT Dispatcher provides the ability to export subscriber list from one SmartPTT Dispatcher and then to import it into another. Only registered radio subscribers can be exported.

To export the list of radio subscribers, expand the **Service** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and click **Export Radio Subscribers**. At that, the following window opens.



In the Format area select the format in which you want to export the subscriber list. To select the file for export,

The example of the exported file in XLS format:

Export Radio Subscribers

ID	IP- Address	Network ID	Radio ID	Name	GPS	MDC ID	Icon	Show on map	Lone Worker		Indoor Support	Indoor Request	Indoor Update		Time Interval	GPS update with distance interval	Distance Interval		GPS on emergency
-586612724	12.0.9.221	12	2525	2525	True	3	\abonentIcons\001_image.ico	True	True	2	False	False	600	True	6	True	456	True	True
677721612	12.0.0.100	12	100	100	True			True	False		True	True	600	True	600	False	100	False	False

The example of the exported file in XML format:

Export Radio Subscribers

ID	IP- Address	Network ID	Radio ID	Name	GPS	MDC ID	Icon	Show on map	Lone Worker	Select 5 ID	Indoor Support	Indoor Request	Indoor Update Interval	GPS update with time interval	Time Interval	GPS update with distance interval	Distance Interval	GPS on GPIO pin status change	GPS on emergency
-586612724	12.0.9.221	12	2525	2525	Yes	3	\abonentIcons\001_image.ico	Yes	Yes	2	No	No	600	Yes	6	Yes	456	Yes	Yes
1677721612	12.0.0.100	12	100	100	Yes			Yes	No		Yes	Yes	600	Yes	600	No	100	No	No

ID — automatically generated ID of the radio subscriber.

IP Address - radio subscriber IP address.

Network ID – network ID which is specified in MOTOTRBO Customer Programming Software (see parameter **CAI Network**).

Radio ID – unique identifier of the radio unit.

Name – radio subscriber name specified in the subscriber's **Properties** window in SmartPTT Dispatcher.

GPS – shows whether the radio supports GPS.

MDC ID – radio ID in the analog data channel.

Icon – path to the icon selected per subscriber. If a radio subscriber has a default icon, the corresponding field in the export file is empty.

Show on map – shows whether the subscriber's location is visible on the map.

Lone Worker – shows whether the subscriber is in the "lone worker" mode.

Select 5 ID – shows the 5 Tone identifier of the subscriber.

Indoor Support – shows whether the subscriber is visible on the building plan by the dispatcher request or after the predefined time period.

Indoor Request - shows whether the option Update Interval for Indoor Tracking is selected.

Indoor Update Interval – the time interval in seconds for location data update from special beacons, which are installed in buildings.

GPS update with time interval – shows whether the GPS Update location with time interval option is selected.

Time Interval – shows the time interval in seconds after which the GPS coordinate request will be sent to the radio subscriber.

GPS update with distance interval – shows whether the GPS Update location with distance interval option is selected.

Distance Interval – shows the distance interval in meters or feet after which the GPS coordinate request will be sent to the radio subscriber.

GPS on GPIO pin status change – shows if the GPS coordinate request will be sent to the radio subscriber when the status of telemetry contacts changed.

GPS on emergency – shows if the GPS coordinate request will be sent to the radio subscriber when the radio subscriber sends an emergency alarm.

Note: The following properties of the subscriber in exported files may have two possible values: "True" or "False" in XLS and CSV files; "Yes" or "No" in XML files: GPS, Show on map, Lone Worker, Indoor Support, Indoor Request, GPS update with time interval, GPS update with distance interval, GPS on GPIO pin status change, GPS on emergency.

1.6.8 Import Radio Subscribers

SmartPTT Dispatcher provides the ability to import subscribers (in XLS, XML and CSV) from one SmartPTT Dispatcher to another.

To import the list of radio subscribers, expand the **Service** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and click **Import Radio Subscribers**. At that, the following window opens.



In the Format area select the format in which you want to import the subscriber list. To select the file for import,

Add New Records – when the check box is selected, at importing, new subscribers (not existing in SmartPTT Dispatcher) will be added to the list of subscribers.

Update Existing Records – when the check box is selected, at importing, the existing data on the subscribers in SmartPTT Dispatcher is replaced with the data from the imported file.

Note: It is possible to select both import options at a time. At that, new records will be added and the existing records will be updated.

Click **OK** to launch import process.

Click Cancel to close the window.

Note: To apply changes after importing, it is important to restart SmartPTT Dispatcher.

The formats of the importing files should match the formats of the exported files.

1.6.9 Upload to KML

SmartPTT Dispatcher supports export of the current subscribers' coordinates in KML format. This format is used in Google Maps/Google Earth systems.

To save subscriber coordinates in KML file format, expand the **Service** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Upload to KML**. At that, the following window opens.



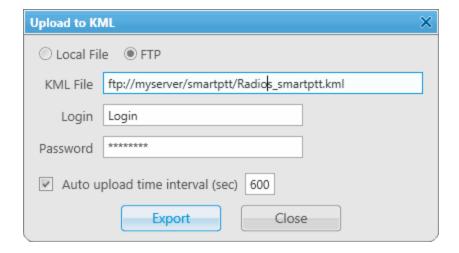
The interface of the window depends on where you selected to store the KML file – to a local folder or to FTP. Click **Local File** to keep the uploaded KML file locally.

KML File – specify the destination folder and the name of the KML file with the subscriber coordinates.

You can also set up automatic upload. Simply, select the **Auto upload time interval** check box and enter the time interval.

When everything is ready click **Export** to launch the upload process.

You can also store the uploaded file on FTP. To do that, click FTP at the top of the window.



KML File – specifies the destination folder and the name of the KML file with the subscriber coordinates on the FTP server.

Fill in the Login and Password fields if the FTP server requires authentication.

To exit and save the settings, click Close.

To exit without saving the settings, press ESC.

How to display subscribers' coordinates

To view subscriber coordinates from the FTP file:

- 1. Open the website http://www.google.com.
- 2. Click on **Maps** (the page http://maps.google.com/maps?hl=en&tab=wl is displayed).
- Enter a direct HTTP link to the file located on the FTP server (for example, http://myserver/smartptt/Radios_smartptt.kml) in the Google maps field and click Search Maps.

To view subscriber coordinates from the local file in Google Earth:

- 1. Start Google Earth.
- 2. Select Open (from the File/Open menu or press CTRL+O).
- 3. Specify the path to the local file with the subscriber coordinates in KML format and click Open.

How to configure subscribers' coordinates display with automatic update in Google Earth

- 1. Start Google Earth.
- 2. Select the menu command Add/Network Link.
- 3. In the **Name** field specify the place mark name to be displayed in Google Earth.
- 4. To view the file from the FTP server, enter a direct HTTP link to the file located on the FTP server (for example, http://myserver/smartptt/Radios_smartptt.kml).

To view the file from the local disk, click **Browse**, specify the path to the file with subscriber coordinates in KML format and click **Open**.

- 5. Click the **Refresh** tab, select the **Periodically** option and set an update interval.
- 6. Click **OK**: SmartPTT subscribers should now be displayed in Google Earth.
- 7. To open the added KML file automatically the next time Google Earth is run, you should save the temporary place mark "Subscribers (SmartPTT)" to My Places list. To do this please select the menu command File/Save/Save to My Places or press CTRL+SHIFT+S.

1.6.10 Import Connect Plus Logs

SmartPTT Dispatcher allows importing **Connect Plus Logs** to the **Event Log**. This is useful for dispatchers joining a new Connect Plus radio network to get data on the events in this network. The data is taken from the XRC Controller.

To import **Connect Plus Logs**, expand the **Service** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Import Connect Plus Logs**. The **Import Connect Plus Logs** window opens.

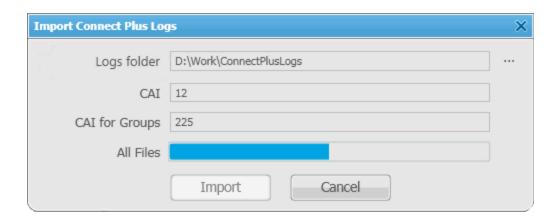


Logs File – specifies the path to the folder where Connect Plus log file is stored.

CAI - CAI-Network identifier. It's recommended to use the default value 12. It is set in the range from 1 to 126.

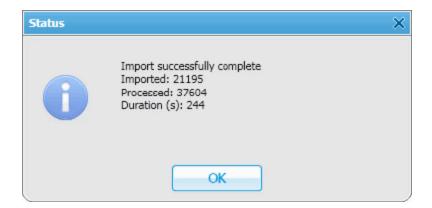
CAI for Groups – the identifier of the group's CAI-Network. It's recommended to use the default value 225. It is set in the range from 225 to 239.

If you click Import, Connect Plus data import to the Event Log will be started.



All Files – displays the total download progress.

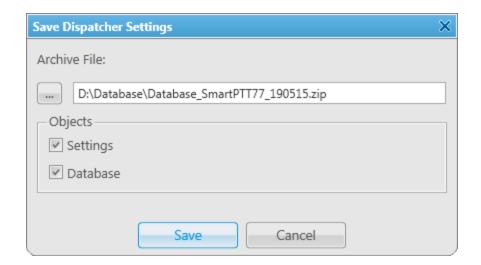
When Connect Plus Log file is imported, you will see the following notification window.



1.6.11 Save Dispatcher Settings

Starting from version 8.3 you can save and restore not only the event log database, but also the dispatch console settings. These includes: opened panels, the application interface language and other settings.

To save current settings or database, open the **Service** menu and select **Save Dispatcher Settings**. At that, the following window opens up:



Objects – define what you want to save. You can select both, if needed.

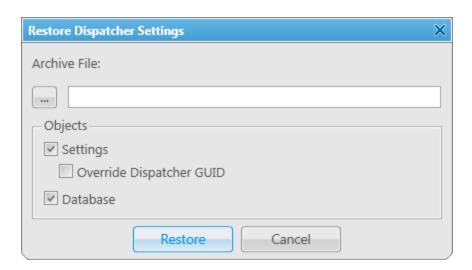
Archive File – specify the path to the folder where you need the archive to be saved.

To save the selected objects, click Save. To quit the window without saving, click Cancel.

To restore the saved settings and database, see Restore Dispatcher Settings.

1.6.12 Restore Dispatcher Settings

To restore the saved dispatch console settings or database (see how to save the dispatch console settings here), open the **Service** menu and select **Restore Dispatcher Settings**. At that, the following window will open:



Archive File – specify the path to the archive folder.

Objects - define what you want to restore. You can select more than one option.

Override Dispatcher GUID – if selected, SmartPTT Dispatcher globally unique ID is replaced with the imported value. After importing, there are two dispatch consoles with identical GUID's. If check box is not selected, SmartPTT Dispatcher globally unique ID is left unchanged. After importing, there are two dispatch consoles with same configuration settings, but different globally unique ID's.

To restore the selected objects, click **Restore**. To quit the window, click **Cancel**. To apply the restored settings, restart the application.

1.7 Reports

The **Reports** menu presents all the reports available in the system:

- Report Wizard allows you to build a report on the basis of the Event log.
- Radio Activity Report allows you to view the number of all calls and group calls during a defined time period.
- <u>Subscriber Location Report</u> is a special report that displays GPS coordinates of the selected radio subscribers.
- Online Subscribers report gives you a list of registered and non-registered subscribers online.

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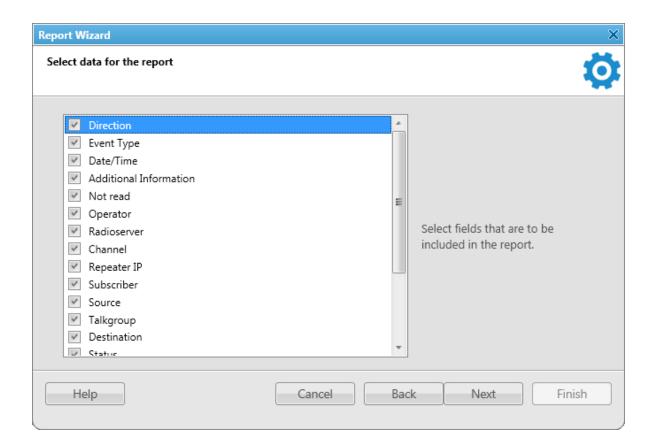
 Lone Workers report gives you the information about events that occur when the radio is in the Lone Worker mode.

1.7.1 Report Wizard

Report Wizard functionality provides flexible report creation based on the information stored in the SmartPTT Dispatcher Event Log. Using the Report Wizard it is possible to select the necessary fields for the report, specify grouping and sorting fields, specify filtering criteria. Reports generated by the Report Wizard are exported to Microsoft Excel.

To use the **Report Wizard**, expand the **Reports** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Report Wizard**. At that, the **Report Wizard** window opens.

- In the window that opened select the data source of the future report. You can select between the database
 of the dispatch console and the database of the radioserver. To be able to select the radioserver's database,
 make sure that the radioserver is up and running.
- 2. Select fields which you want to include in the report and click Next.

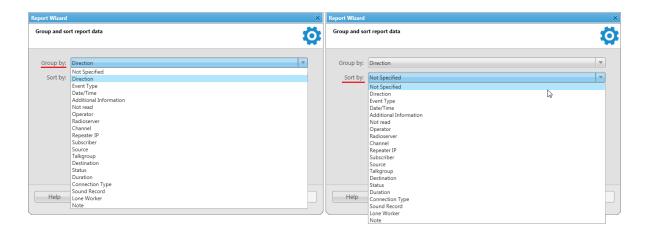


3. Define the structure of the report – its grouping and sorting.

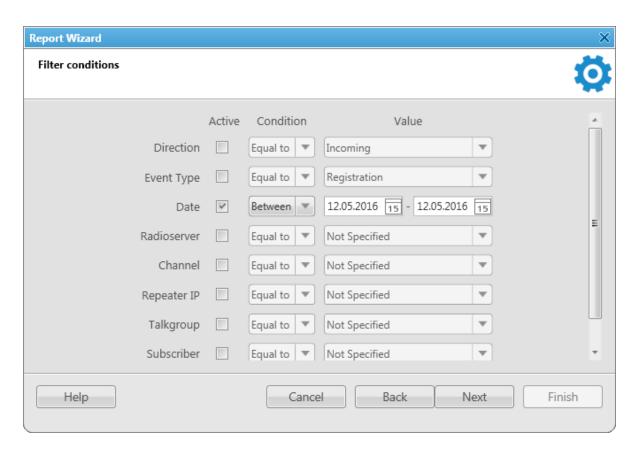
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Note: If both fields are not specified, the report will be grouped and sorted by default.

When ready, click Next.

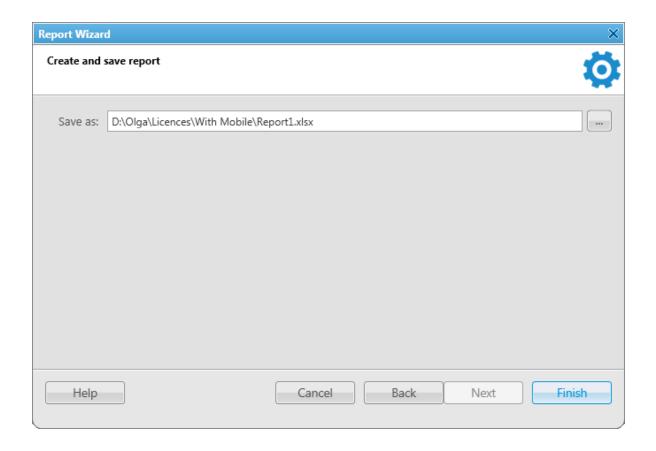


4. Filter the report by values. Click **Next** to continue.



Specify the file name of the report. To complete the process, click Finish. The report can be saved in HTML,
 MHT, XLS, XLSX, CSV, and TXT formats.

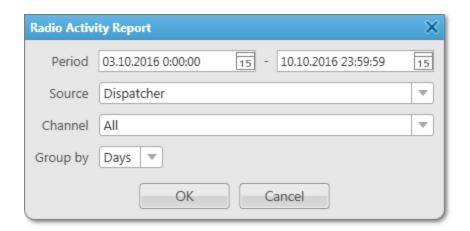
Reports 252



1.7.2 Radio Activity

Radio Activity Report gives information about quantity and duration of All Calls and Group Calls with a breakdown into hours or days.

To create the report, expand the **Reports** menu and select **Radio Activity Report**. The **Radio Activity Report** window opens.



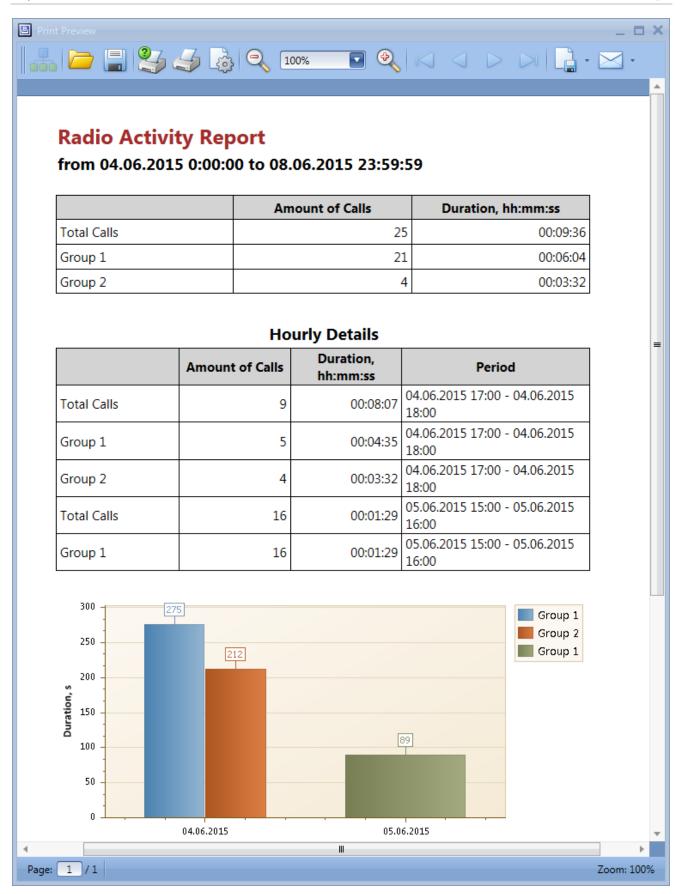
Period – defines the time frame for the report data.

Source – defines the source, which database will be used for the report. If *Dispatcher* is selected, the data is taken from the local database. Apart from *Dispatcher*, any available radioserver can be chosen as a data source. In that case all data is taken from the database of the chosen radioserver.

Channel – allows to build a report for a particular channel of for all control stations.

Group by – defines the level of detail, whether you want to see the report information divided into days, hours or minutes.

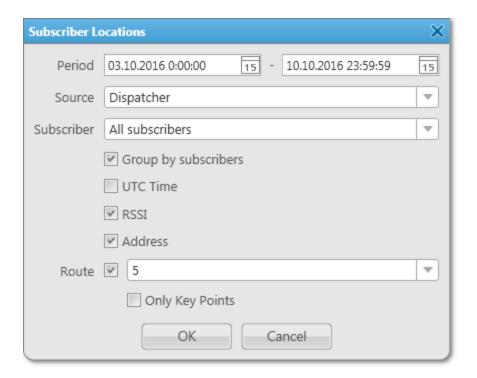
The report can be saved in PDF, HTML, MHT, RTF, XLS, XLSX, CSV, TXT, Image or XPS formats.



1.7.3 Subscriber Locations

SmartPTT Dispatcher allows creating a report on subscriber's locations. The report can be saved in PDF, HTML, MHT, RTF, XLS, XLSX, CSV, TXT, Image or XPS formats.

To create the report, expand the **Reports** menu in the **Main Menu** and click **Subscriber Locations**. At that, the **Subscriber Locations** window will open.



Period – defines the time frame of the report.

Source – defines the source, whose database will be used for the report. If *Dispatcher* is selected, the data is taken from the local database. Apart from *Dispatcher*, any available radioserver can be chosen as a data source. In that case the data is taken from the database of the chosen radioserver. To build a report based on the radioserver database, make sure that **Event Log** is enabled and connected in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator. **Subscriber** – defines subscriber for whom the report is to be generated. The list of subscribers is taken from the current database. When *All* is selected, the report will be generated for all subscribers which have GPS coordinates in the database.

Group by subscribers – groups data in the report by radio subscribers.

UTC Time – if selected, the report time will be converted to UTC format. If **UTC Time** is not selected, the local time of the radioserver PC will be shown in the **Subscriber Locations** report.

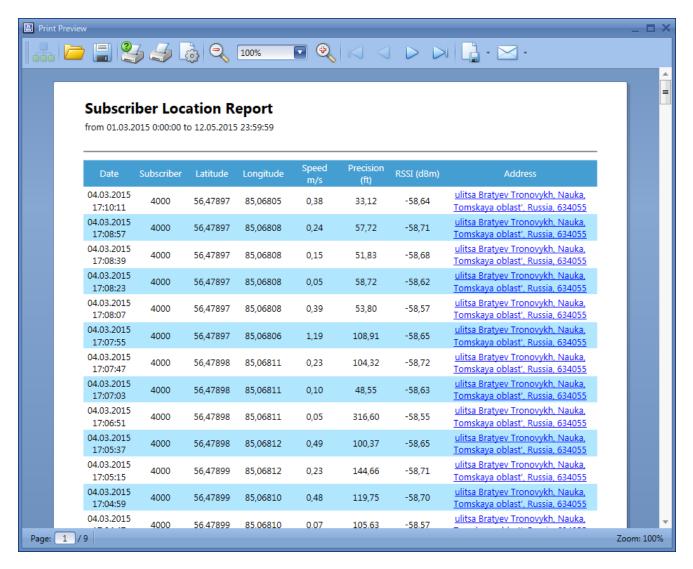
RSSI – if selected, the signal strength of the received signal (RSSI) is displayed in the report.

Address – allows displaying address information based on the received coordinates. The addresses are received from one of the two services Google Maps or OpenStreetMap. The service is selected in **Settings** > **Positioning**Systems > Address Data Provider. If the Address check box is not selected, there will be a link **Find on Map** instead of the address. You can use the link to see the address.

Route - defines the route on the basis of which the Subscriber Locations report is to be generated.

Only Key Point – displays only the key points of the route in the report.

Click **OK** to create the report.



In order to set up the format of **Latitude**, **Longitude**, **Speed** and **Precision** columns of the **Subscriber Location Report**, see <u>Positioning Systems</u>, the **GPS tab**, in SmartPTT Dispatcher.

Note: The Universal Transverse Mercator Coordinate System format is not applicable to this report. If it is selected, **Latitude** and **Longitude** are displayed in Decimal degrees format.

1.7.4 Online Subscribers

SmartPTT allows exporting online subscribers (registered and not registered) in no time by means of the **Online Subscribers** report.

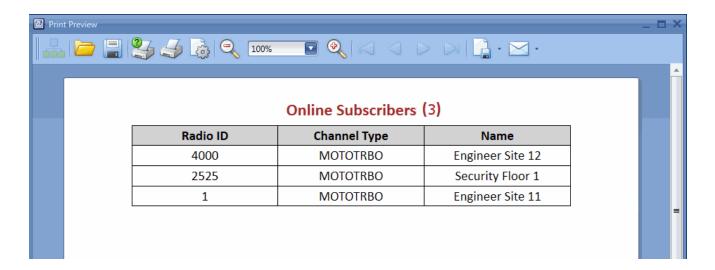
To create the report, expand the **Reports** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and click **Online Subscribers**. At that, the following window opens.



All - select this radio button to include all registered and not registered online subscribers in the report.

From ... to ... - select this radio button to limit the number of subscribers in the report.

Click **OK**. At that, the report opens. The report can be exported to PDF, HTML, MHT, RTF, XLS, XLSX, CSV, TXT, Image or XPS formats. The report contains three columns: **Radio ID**, **Channel Type** and **Name**. The **Channel Type** column can have three values: MOTOTRBO, Analog, Select 5.



1.7.5 Monitoring Reports

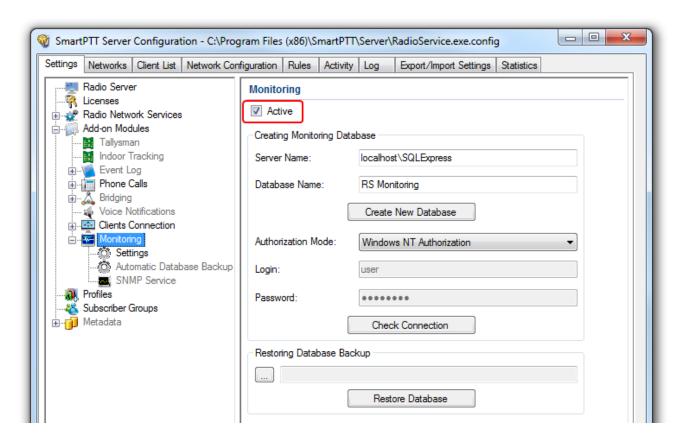
Monitoring Reports allow creating the following reports:

- Monitoring Report,
- Event Log Report,
- Analytic Report,
- System Usage Report.

They are based on the data collected during the monitoring and filtered by different criteria.

To create a report, in the Main Menu bar click Reports, point on Monitoring and click the needed type of report.

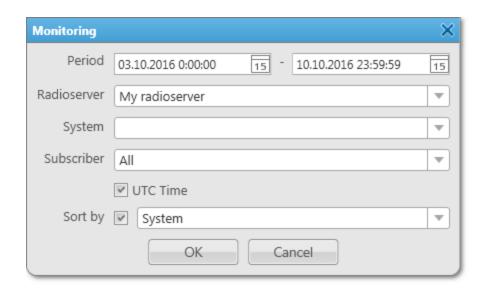
Note: Before creating a report, make sure the radioserver is running and **Monitoring** is active in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.



Monitoring Report

Monitoring Report gives such information as repeater ID, ID's of the calling and receiving parties, duration of the event and its type, RSSI and many other.

To create the report, expand the **Reports** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and under **Monitoring** select **Report**. At that, the following window appears.



Period – defines the time frame of the report.

Radioserver – defines the radioserver, whose database you want to use as a data source.

System – defines the radio system for which you want to build a report. In the drop-down list you can find both existing and removed radio systems. Network IDs are used for outdated radio systems, and names—for existing ones.

Subscriber – selects the subscriber for whom the report is to be generated. If you select **All**, the report will be generated for all registered subscribers.

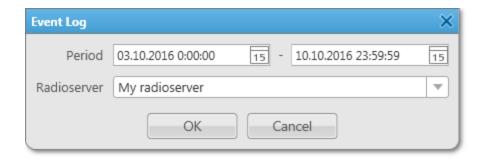
UTC Time – if **UTC Time** is selected, the report time will be converted to UTC format. If **UTC Time** is not selected, the local time of the radioserver PC will be shown in the report.

Sort By – you can select the column by which you want to sort the report data: network, repeater, slot, protocol, sender, receiver, duration, RSSI.

Event Log Report

Event Log Report shows information about available devices in the system (e.g., repeaters, routers, uninterruptible power supplies) and alarms registered on these devices.

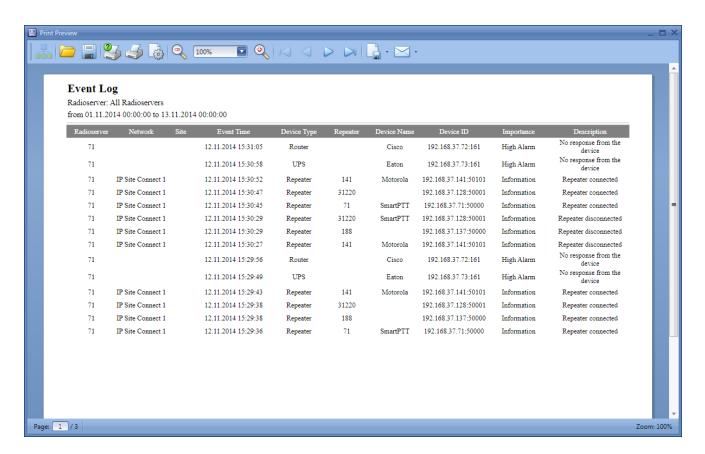
To create the report, expand the **Reports** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and under **Monitoring** select **Event Log**. At that, the following window opens.



Period – defines the time frame of the report.

Radioserver – defines the radioserver whose database you want to use as a data source.

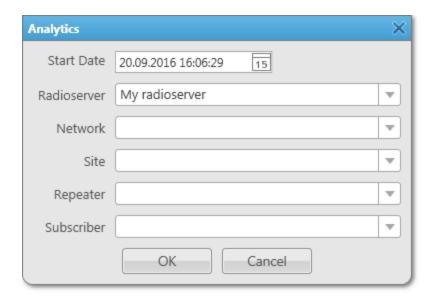
After clicking OK, the report opens automatically:



Analytic Report

Analytic Report is a graphical representation of the data received during a monthly monitoring process.

To build a report, expand the **Reports** menu in the **Main Menu** bar, and under **Monitoring** select **Analytics**. At that, the following window opens.



Start Date – specify the start date of the report. This is a monthly report, so the end date is calculated automatically.

Radioserver – select the available radioserver whose database will be used as a data source.

Network – select the radio system for which you want to build a report. The drop-down list contains all radio systems which have been ever used. Network ID's are used for old networks, and names—for existing ones.

Site – select a site. This is used for Linked Capacity Plus networks. You can also build a report for all existing sites, or select no sites at all.

Repeater – select the particular repeater. You can also build a report for all repeaters.

Subscriber – select the subscriber for whom the report is to be built. You can build a report on all subscribers from the drop-down list.

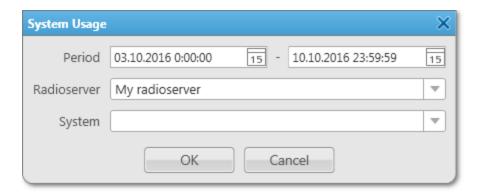
Report sample:



Export – allows you to save the report in HTML format for further use.

System Usage Report

System Usage Report provides information on the system load, operation time of the system, **downtimes**, and other information. To build the report, expand the **Reports** menu in the **Main Menu** bar and under **Monitoring** select **System Usage**. At that, the following window opens.

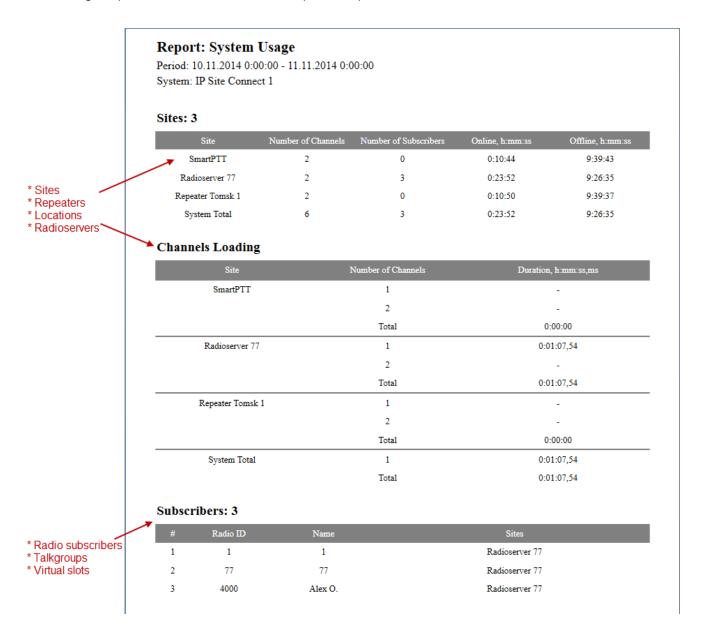


Period – defines the time frame of the report.

Radioserver – select the available radioserver whose database will be used as a data source.

System – defines the radio system for which you want to build a report. In the drop-down list you can find both existing and removed radio systems. Network IDs are used for outdated radio systems, and names—for existing ones.

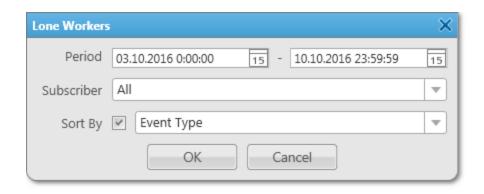
After setting the parameters, click **OK** and the report will open in a new window.



1.7.6 Lone Workers

The **Lone Workers** report provides information about the radio subscriber events when the radio is in the "lone worker" mode, for example, registration on the network, the incoming or outgoing calls and messages.

To create the report expand the **Reports** menu in the **Main Menu** bar of the SmartPTT Dispatcher window and select **Lone Workers**. The **Lone Workers** window opens.



Period – defines the time frame for the report data.

Subscriber – defines the subscriber for whom the report is to be generated. The list of subscribers is taken from the connected database.

Sort By – defines the sorting field for the report events. Sorting parameters: direction, event type, date and time, additional information, operator, control station, subscriber, group, status, duration, repeater IP address, receiver. The report can be saved in PDF, HTML, MHT, RTF, XLS, XLSX, CSV, TXT, Image or XPS formats.

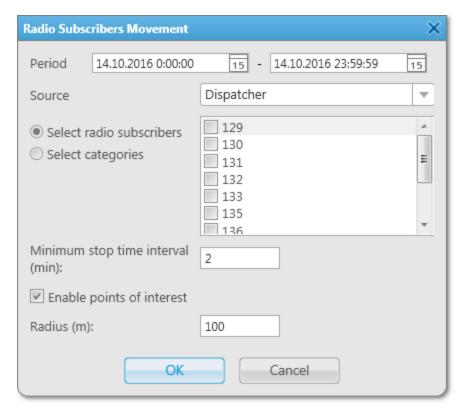
Lone Workers Period: 12.05.2016 0:00:00 - 12.05.2016 23:59:59

Subscriber; All													
Direction	Event Type	Date/Time	Additional Information	Operator	Radioserver	Channel	Subscriber	Talkgroup	Status	Duration	Repeater IP	Destination	Source
Incoming	Registration	12.05.2016 10:59:41		Dispatcher 74	Radioserver	Slot 1	4		Offline		192.168.37.211: 50101	1	4
Incoming	Call	12.05.2016 10:46:44	4	Dispatcher 74	Radioserver	Slot 2	4	2	Group Call	8	192.168.37.211: 50101	2	4
Incoming	Call	12.05.2016 10:45:49	4	Dispatcher 74	Radioserver	Slot 2	4	2	Group Call	5	192.168.37.211: 50101	2	4
Incoming	Call	12.05.2016 10:45:43	4	Dispatcher 74	Radioserver	Slot 2	4	2	Group Call	5	192.168.37.211: 50101	2	4
Incoming	Call	12.05.2016 10:44:53	320	Dispatcher 74	Radioserver		320		Group Call	5	192.168.37.211: 50101		320
Incoming	Call	12.05.2016 10:44:48	320	Dispatcher 74	Radioserver		320		Group Call	5	192.168.37.211: 50101		320
Outgoing	Lone Worker	12.05.2016 10:39:52		Dispatcher 74	Radioserver		320		On				320
Outgoing	Lone Worker	12.05.2016 10:38:38		Dispatcher 74	Radioserver		320		Off				320

1.7.7 Radio Subscribers Movement

The **Radio Subscribers Movement** report provides information about the radio subscribers movement on the basis of received GPS data.

To create a report, on the **Reports** menu click **Radio Subscribers Movement**. At that, the following window opens.



- **Period:** Defines the time frame for the report data.
- Select radio subscribers: Select the subscribers whose GPS data will be used to build the report.
- Select categories: Select the subscribers categories whose GPS data will be used to build the report.
- **Source:** Defines the source, whose database will be used for building the report for selected radio subscribers or categories. If Dispatcher is selected, the data is taken from the local database. If a radioserver is selected, the data is taken from the database of the chosen radioserver.
- **Minimum stop time interval (min):** Used to define the time when the subscriber stops. If the subscriber stays at the same place longer than the specified time interval, the subscriber is supposed to be parked.
- Enable points of interest: Select to use the points of interest when building the report.

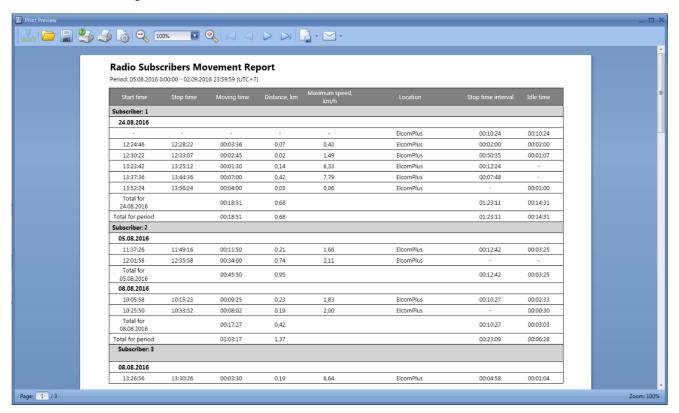
Note: When **Enable points of interest** is selected, in the **Radio Subscribers Movement** report the **Location** field will contain only the name of the point of interest.

• Radius (m): Specify the allowed distance deviation from the point of interest.

Note: The Radius field is available only if Enable points of interest is selected.

To build the report, click **OK**. To cancel this action, click **Cancel**.

After clicking **OK**, the report opens automatically. The report can be saved in the PDF, HTML, MHT, RTF, XLS, XLSX, CSV, TXT, Image or XPS formats.



1.8 User Interface Layout

The **UI Layout Settings** button in the **Main Menu** bar contains two features:

- · Locking the layout of the user interface of the dispatch console (for more information see Lock UI Layout)
- Customization of the layout of the user interface of the dispatch console:

When working with SmartPTT Dispatcher the operator opens many different windows. Some of them are used very often. Usually, at every launch of the application all the windows are closed and the operator needs to spend considerable time to configure the main area. This is quite inconvenient and time-consuming. In order to avoid this, the operator can save his/her windows configuration at the end of the work day, prior to the application shutdown, and restore the configuration the next day. There can be more than one window configuration and the operator can switch between them. To save the current layout of the application user

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interface for future use, select **Set UI Layout**, and then click **Add**. Enter the name of the user interface layout. To restore the selected user interface layout, click **Apply**. To delete the saved user interface layout, click **Delete**.

There are two default window configurations, which can't be deleted:

- Calls and Event log. It opens <u>Calls</u>, <u>Radio Fleet</u>, <u>Sound</u> and <u>Event Log</u>.
- Calls, Channels and Event log. It opens <u>Calls</u>, <u>Radio Fleet</u>, <u>Sound</u>, <u>Channels</u> and <u>Event Log</u>.

1.8.1 Lock UI Layout

Locking user interface layout feature is available only for Administrator account and allows blocking any dispatch console layout changes for operators. It allows administrator to do specific console customization and prevent ordinary dispatchers from opening and closing windows and panels.

In order to fix panel positioning, click



and then select Lock UI Lavout.

When this mode is enabled, the dispatcher can't do the following actions:

- Opening and closing panels. Automatic pop-up panels, such as Notifications and System messages, do not open either.
- Changing panel location (see Changing Layout).
- · Switching user interface layouts.
- Changing the size of the opened panels.
- Changing the content of the Radio Fleet panel.

Note: If the **Event Log** is opened when the user interface layout is locked, all the features designed for the **Event Log** management are available to the dispatcher.

1.9 Bridging

SmartPTT Bridging service allows joining multiple network systems into a single radio network. The bridging service is implemented by SmartPTT Radioserver and provides intelligent means of patching for voice and data streams between various network systems.

In SmartPTT Plus the bridging service allows you to:

join various radio networks;

- bridge two or more radioservers to cover distributed regions;
- bridge selected voice and data;
- bridge private and group calls dynamically;
- break the barrier of 15 repeaters per IP Site Connect;
- have calls bridged with only a short voice delay (from 60 ms), when joining IP Site Connect systems.

Radio network configurations supporting bridging:

- 1. NAI networks
- 2. Connect Plus networks. The current version of SmartPTT Dispatcher supports only <u>talkgroup</u> call exchange between Connect Plus networks and analog control stations, digital control stations (analog or digital conventional channels), NAI networks (the Voice connection type) or Connect Plus networks. Bridging of Connect Plus networks with other network types is not supported yet. Any other data exchange between Connect Plus and other networks is not supported yet.
- 3. SIP/RTP interfaces
- 4. External SmartPTT Radioservers
- 5. Digital conventional channels. Private calls or data can't be bridged in networks based on control stations.
- 6. Analog conventional channels. Private calls can't be bridged in networks based on control stations.

How to Configure Bridging in SmartPTT Dispatcher Console

You can configure bridging settings in the call bridging table in SmartPTT Dispatcher. The main idea of the configuration process is to manage bridging with the help of the so-called "Profiles" and "Route Groups". The profiles contain information on the bridging rules, which are specified in route groups and further in routes. So, there are three levels:

- 1. Routes
- 2. Route Groups
- 3. Profiles

Route – a basic unit of the bridging process and an integral part of the route group, that is a route cannot be used separately. It is in the route where you define the source and the destination networks, and other main characteristics of the route.

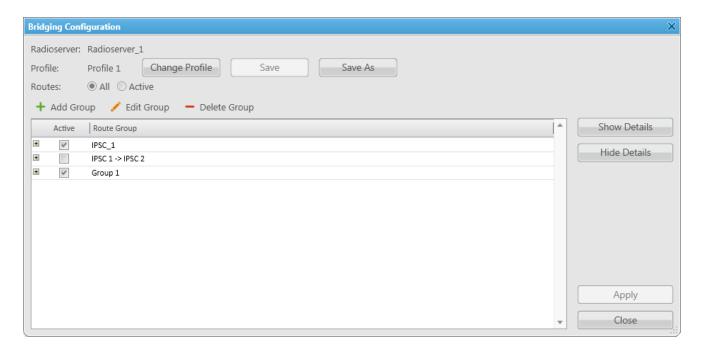
Route Group – group which unites several routes. It was designed to provide a neat look to profiles. Route groups can be easily activated and deactivated, which will either make routes inside route groups usable or not usable.

Profile – saved template of route groups. Profiles can be created for various business fields, for example, there can be profiles for general purposes, for carrying out engineering work or for emergency situations, etc.

You can configure bridging settings individually for each radioserver from SmartPTT Dispatcher. To open the call bridging table, open the Actions List by clicking the button next to the radioserver and select Configure Call Bridging Table.



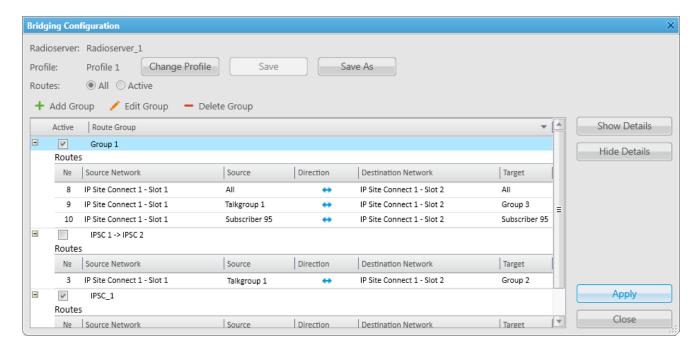
At that, the **Bridging Configuration** window opens.



This is the main window from where you can create routes, route groups and add them to new profiles. The window also informs about the name of the current radioserver, its current profile, the list of available routes organized in groups.

Show Details – displays details of the route groups. You can also check the details of a particular route group by clicking a plus sign next to the route group name.

Hide Details – displays only route group names and the Active check box.



By default, the bridging table displays only active route groups, which belong to the selected profile. To display all route groups, select the **All** option.

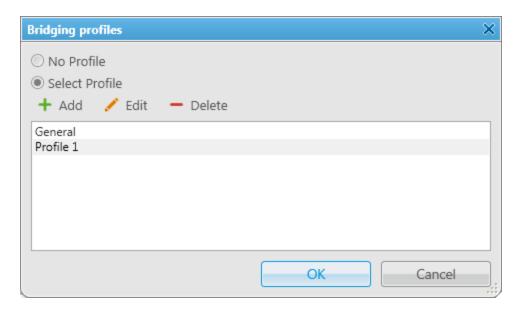
The buttons Change Profile, Save, Save As allow you to create a new profile or edit the existing one.

The buttons **Add Group**, **Edit Group**, **Delete Group** allow creating new route groups and attach routes to groups.

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Profiles are used for quick switching between predefined bridging tables.

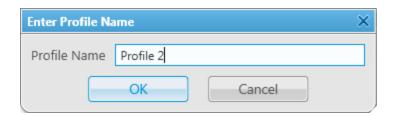
To add, modify or delete a profile, click Change Profile in the Bridging Configuration window.



If **No Profile** is selected, the created groups have no reference to a specific profile. The profile list and buttons for profile edition are not available in the **Bridging Profiles** window.

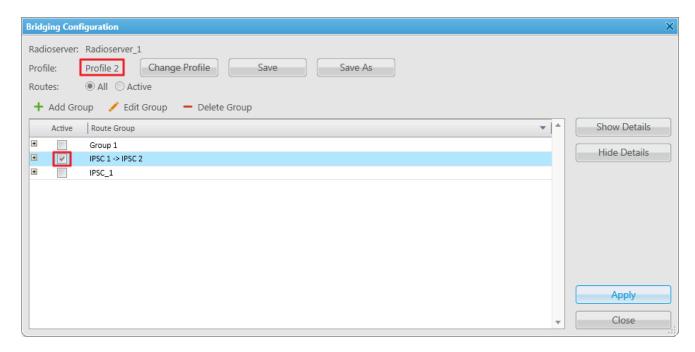
If **Select Profile** is enabled, the profile list is available for editing and route groups can be assigned to the selected profile.

In the **Bridging Profiles** window, click **Add** to create a new bridging profile. At that, the **Enter Profile Name** window opens. Use the **Profile Name** field to specify the profile name, click **OK**.

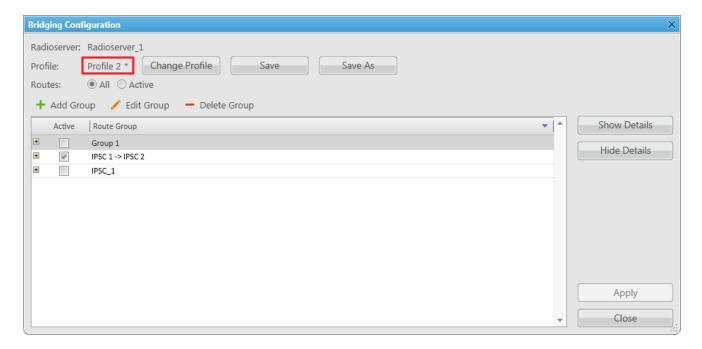


Left-click on the profile name in the Bridging Profiles window and click OK.

In the list of groups, select Active check boxes near the route groups that should apply to the chosen profile.

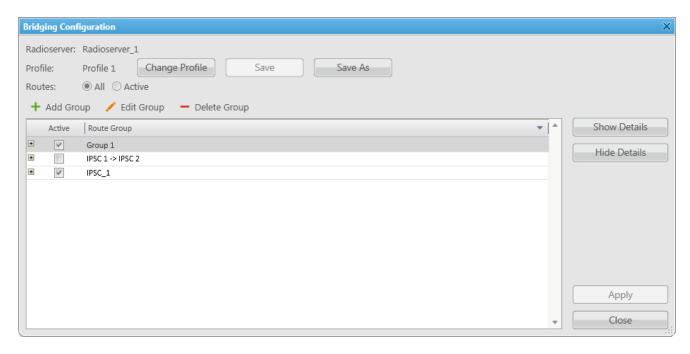


As you finished editing the profile settings, click **Apply** to activate the current profile settings. At that, the asterisk character ("*") appears in front of the profile name.



Click Save to save the profile settings.

To switch the profile, click **Change Profile** in the **Bridging Configuration** window, select a profile from the list and click **OK**. The **Bridging Configuration** window displays settings of the selected profile – active route groups.

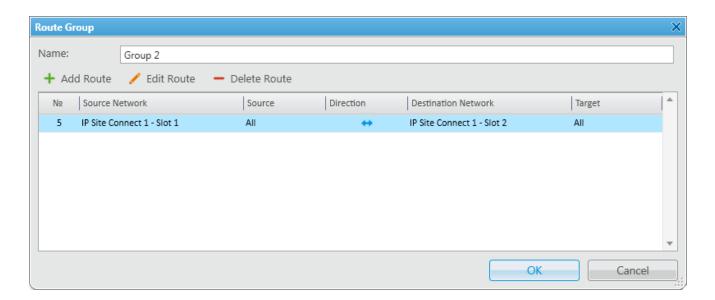


Save As allows you to save a copy of the current profile with a new name.

2. Route Groups

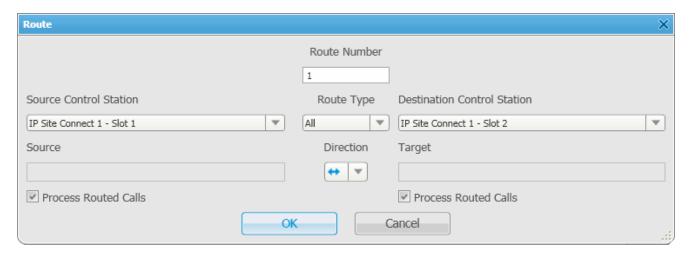
To create a new bridging route group and add routes to it, click **Add Group** in the **Bridging Configuration** window.

In the Route Group window, specify name of the route group, add routes to the group and click OK.



To save the changes in the route groups, click Apply.

Add routes to the group by clicking **Add Route** in the **Route Group** window. At that, the window for adding routes opens up.



This is the window where you create routes. Here you can define the source and the target networks, route direction (one-way or two-way), the source radio or talkgroup and the target radio or talkgroup. You can also select the **Route Type**, which depends on the data type you want to patch.

Here you can find a detailed description how to configure routes of different types.

2.1. Configuring "All" Route Type

If you need to patch all voice and data packets from the source network to the destination network, select **All** in the **Route Type**.

In this case you need to fill in the following fields:

Route Number – ordinal number of the route.

Source Control Station – select any of the added control stations serving as a source. You can add control stations of various networks in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.

Destination Control Station – select any of the added control stations serving as a destination. You can add control stations of various networks in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.

Direction – allows you to select either one-way or two-way.

Process Routed Calls – if selected the call which is already routed once (by one route) also can be routed another time by another route. It takes place only when several routes are added.

Example:

You can add all these routes without the Process Routed Calls check box selected:

IPSC 01 slot 01 <---> IPSC 02 slot 01

IPSC 01 slot 01 <---> IPSC 03 slot 01

IPSC 01 slot 01 <---> IPSC 04 slot 01

IPSC 02 slot 01 <---> IPSC 03 slot 01

IPSC 02 slot 01 <---> IPSC 04 slot 01

IPSC 03 slot 01 <---> IPSC 04 slot 01

Or, you can select the check box and create only three routes:

IPSC 01 slot 01 <---> IPSC 02 slot 01

IPSC 02 slot 01 <---> IPSC 03 slot 01

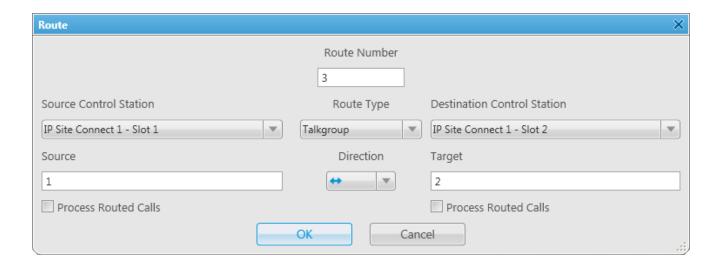
IPSC 03 slot 01 <---> IPSC 04 slot 01

Warning! Please don't use round routes. They can cycle all routes and lead to unstable system operation (for example, IPSC 01 slot 01 <---> IPSC 04 slot 01).

2.2. Configuring "Talkgroup" Route Type

In order to patch a group call, select **Talkgroup** in the **Route Type**. Specify the source and the destination networks, and other parameters as if you were configuring the "All" **Route Type**.

The only difference is that for this route type you need to specify the groups' IDs, that is the source talkgroup ID in the **Source** field and the destination talkgroup ID in the **Target** field. For All Call, use "0" as **Source ID** or **Target** ID.



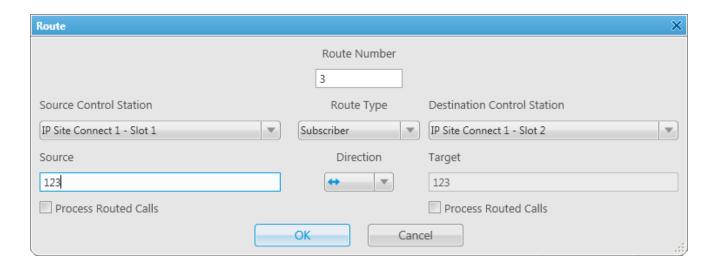
2.3. Configuring "Subscriber" Route Type

Note: This route type is not supported in SmartPTT Basic, since private calls can't be bridged in control station networks.

To patch individual calls or text messages, select Subscriber in the Route Type field.

Specify the source and the destination networks, and other parameters as if you were configuring any of the previous route types.

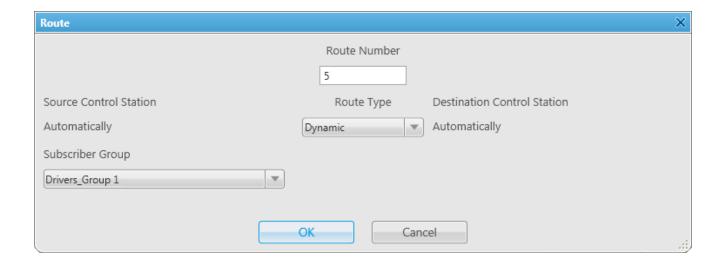
In the **Source** field specify the subscriber radio ID from the source network. The **Target** field will be populated automatically. In this case, all the subscribers from the destination network (see **Destination Control Station**) will be able to call to radio subscriber 123 and v.v.



2.4. Configuring "Dynamic" Route Type

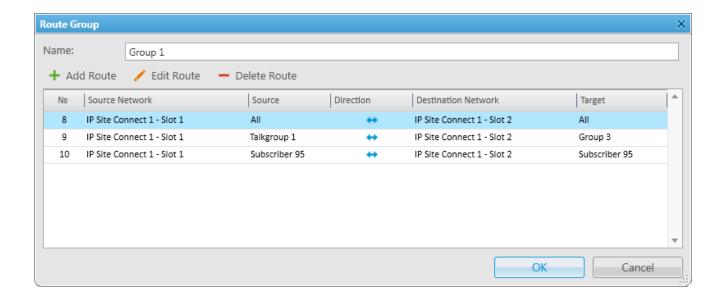
Note: This route type is not supported in SmartPTT Basic, since private calls can't be bridged in control station networks.

To patch private voice calls or text messages of the subscribers from the **Subscriber Groups**, select **Dynamic** in the **Route Type** field.



In the **Subscriber Group** select a group, which was added in **Subscriber Group** of SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator.

Once created, the routes will display in the **Route Group** window. Here is the example of the route group containing routes of three types (**All**, **Group**, **Subscriber**).



Activating Bridging Service

To activate Bridging Service:

- 1. Run SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator,
- 2. Click Bridging,
- 3. Select Active,
- 4. Save changes and restart the SmartPTT Radioserver.

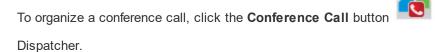
1.10 Conference Calls

The **Conference Call** is a type of call in which the dispatcher can have more than one subscriber of different types at a time. At that, all the participants of the conference call can hear and talk to each other.

SmartPTT Dispatcher allows the dispatcher to organize conference calls and to connect the following subscriber types:

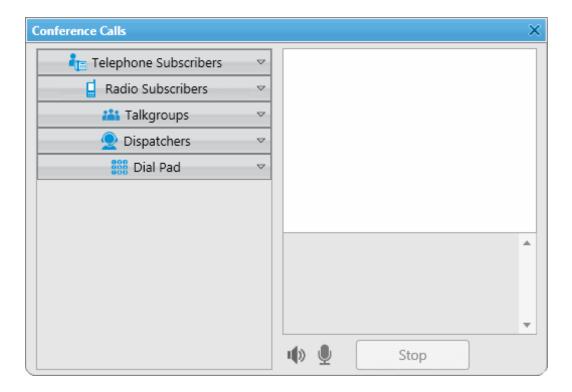
- Telephone subscribers
- Other dispatchers using SmartPTT Dispatcher
- Radio subscribers
- Talkgroups

Note: To be able to make conference calls, the dispatcher must have the permission "Make conference calls".



in the **Main Menu** bar of SmartPTT

At that, the Conference Call window will appear.



To add a subscriber to the conference call, unfold the the necessary section and double-click on the subscriber, or use drag-and-drop.

The button turns off the sound of the conference call. At that, the dispatcher's microphone is turned off automatically. So the operator does not hear the conference call participants, and the participants cannot hear the dispatcher.



turns off the operator's microphone.

Stop: Click the button to end the current conference call. Should the radio subscriber make a call right after the conference call, it is necessary for him or her to wait for a special tone notifying about the end of the call. If the radio subscriber presses the PTT button before this tone, an incorrect phone call will be initiated.

Starting from version 8.6 you can hold conference calls with radio and telephone subscribers without enabling Telephone Interconnect in SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator. For more information on how to do it, see help of SmartPTT Radioserver Configurator (**Telephone Calls**).

To finish the ongoing conference call with one of the participants, click the button next to the participant.

There is another way how to organize a conference call.

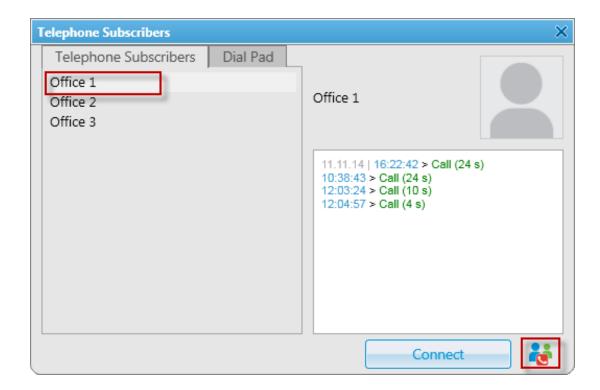
1. In order to invite an external dispatcher or a telephone subscriber, click the buttons



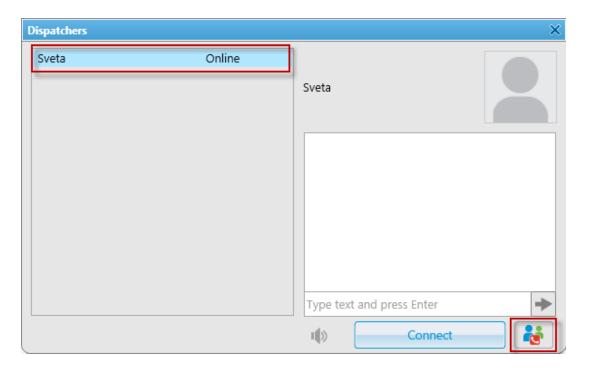


respectively. In the windows that opened select a dispatcher or a telephone subscriber, and click



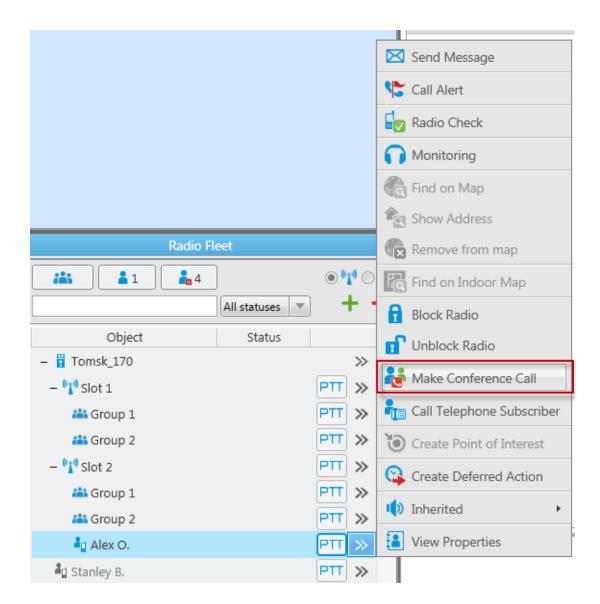


Dispatcher:



Note: Only dispatchers from the Dispatcher List with status Active can be invited into the conference call.

2. Use **Actions List** to make a conference call. At that, the **Conference Call** window appears and the call is initiated.



1.11 **Help**

The **Help** menu includes:

- Help. Here you can find useful information on the system objects and functionality. You can also open the
 SmartPTT Help file any time by pressing F1.
- About. It contains information on the application version, license, and the third-party software used in development process.

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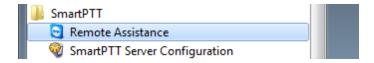
• Check for Updates.

1.12 Remote Assistance

SmartPTT contains Remote Assistance program which provides the remote access to your computer for SmartPTT technical support engineer. Using this program he can resolve technical issues on your computer.

To use Remote Assistance program:

1. Run Remote Assistance program from the Start menu.



2. Contact technical support engineer and pass your ID and password to it.

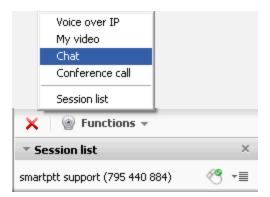


3. When the connection is established, you will see session window on the screen.



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4. Chat function can be used for communication with the engineer.



5. To stop the session, click **Close**