It's still operating online via XWIS and GSA. You need to have the 1.037 update like halo2pac, the scripts.dll 3.4 is optional but really recommended as it improves huge parts of the game (loading time is significantly reduced for example).

If you want to use XWIS you probably need to follow this guide to register:
http://www.renegadewiki.com/index.php?title=Registering_a_nick_on_XWIS&oldid =29855

If you want to use the GSA list to join, you can use this utility. Note that joining WOL/XWIS servers with it is broken:

http://www.mediafire.com/?jr4qu4umab4tq6s