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L-3 Southern California Microwave's MICRO Secure Digital Data Link Selected for U.K. MOD's Desert Hawk III DDL SUAS Platform

SAN DIEGO, December 1, 2014 – L-3 Southern California Microwave (L-3 SCM) announced today that it has been selected by Lockheed Martin's Mission Systems and Training (LM MST) business to provide its MICRO Secure Digital Data Link (MICRO SDDL) as the secure command & control and ISR communications backbone for the U.K. Ministry of Defence's (MOD) digital Desert Hawk III DDL small unmanned aircraft system (SUAS) platform. The MICRO SDDL transceivers enable optimal utilization of frequency spectrum through a single RF channel supporting an IP-based, bidirectional TDMA secure communications link.

"After extensive evaluation of available wireless communication systems, we selected the MICRO SDDL for its performance and versatility to meet program requirements for our digital Desert Hawk III DDL SUAS offering to the U.K. MOD," said Kevin Westfall, director of LM MST's Unmanned Solutions business area. "Previous experience with L-3 products, services and support for the Desert Hawk III program made its selection an obvious choice. We have extreme confidence in this solution."

"L-3 is proud to be once again selected to provide communications support for this MOD program. Our MICRO SDDL is a very flexible, reliable and robust wireless communications system that meets the demanding performance requirements of SUAS systems such as the Desert Hawk III DDL," said Dennis Burman, director of business development at L-3 SCM. "We look forward to extending our record of proven performance on this platform, which began with our analog communications solutions."

Lockheed Martin Corporation (LM), headquartered in Bethesda, Md., is a global security and aerospace company that employs about 113,000 people worldwide and is principally engaged in the research, design, development, manufacture, integration and sustainment of advanced technology systems, products and services. The Corporation's net sales for 2013 were \$45.4 billion.

L-3 Southern California Microwave (L-3 SCM) is a leading manufacturer of microwave transmitters, receivers, transceivers, power amplifiers and RF signal sources covering diverse applications for military test ranges, SUASs, RPVs, UGVs, security and surveillance markets, law enforcement agencies and various branches of the DoD. Offerings are available as standard commercial products for the majority of applications or as custom solutions for unique requirements. To learn more about L-3 SCM, please visit the company's website at www.L-3com.com/SCM.

Headquartered in New York City, L-3 employs approximately 48,000 people worldwide and is a prime contractor in aerospace systems and national security solutions. L-3 is also a leading provider of a broad range of communication and electronic systems and products used on military and commercial platforms. The company reported 2013 (revised) sales of \$12.6 billion. To learn more about L-3, please visit the company's website at www.L-3com.com.

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