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L-3 Telemetry-West to Provide Satellite Test Software Solution for LOCKHEED MARTIN'S GPS III C³M Program

SAN DIEGO, CA., October 22, 2009 — L-3 Telemetry-West (L-3 TW), a division of L-3 Communications, announced today that it has signed a contract with Lockheed Martin Space Systems Company (LMSSC) to supply a Command, Control, Communications, and Monitor (C³M) system used in factory testing on the GPS III Program. The C³M software is based on L-3 TW's InControl software product, which supports satellite test and on-orbit operations.

"The selection of L-3 TW for the GPS-III C³M Program again underscores InControl's ability to operate in multiple phases of a satellite mission, including satellite manufacturing and system testing," said Jim Presnell, vice president of Engineering. "L-3 TW is pleased to participate in this crucial activity with LMSSC."

In the C³M environment, InControl will provide the test executive for LMSSC's Factory Assembly, Integration and Test (AI&T) of the GPS-III satellites. The GPS III C³M program is the third in a series of large satellite factory test systems at Lockheed Martin based on the InControl software.

L-3 TW will provide the C³M systems for primary AI&T activities at LMSSC's Littleton, CO location, as well as additional test systems at Lockheed Martin in Newtown, PA, and at Cape Canaveral Air Force Station, FL.

Headquartered in New York City, L-3 Communications employs over 66,000 people worldwide and is a prime contractor in aircraft modernization and maintenance, C³ISR (Command, Control, Communications, Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance) systems and government services. L-3 is also a leading provider of high technology products, subsystems and systems. The company reported 2008 sales of \$14.9 billion.

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L-3 Telemetry-West is a premier provider of tailored flight hardware and systems solutions for missile telemetry/flight termination, spacecraft telemetry tracking and control (TT&C), and tactical intelligence receivers. Telemetry-West offers design and manufacture of advanced real-time commercial-off-the-shelf ground hardware and software solutions for spacecraft command and control, satellite manufacturing, on-orbit operations, launch support and monitoring, flight test, weapons test and development, surveillance and detection, and general-purpose data acquisition. The company has more than 50 years of experience in telemetry, radio and data acquisition technology and serves the world's major aerospace and telecommunications markets.

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