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L-3 Linkabit Protected Transponded SATCOM (PTS) Modems Successful in Both Over-The-Air (OTA) Inmarsat-5 and WGS Satellite Emulator Testing

SAN DIEGO, August 26, 2015 – L-3 Linkabit, developer of the highly advanced Network-Centric Waveform (NCW) currently in use by the U.S. Army, the U.S. Marine Corps’ (USMC) Network On-The-Move (NOTM) program and select allied defense partners, announced today that it successfully tested its Protected Transponded SATCOM (PTS) modems in both Over-The-Air (OTA) and emulator testing using the Inmarsat-5 satellite and the Wideband Global SATCOM (WGS) Payload Hardware Equipment Chain (PHEC) emulator.

Testing was performed at the U.S. Army’s CERDEC Joint SATCOM Engineering Center (JSEC) Aberdeen Proving Ground (APG) facility. The Ka-Band network test environment included a heterogeneous mix of terminals, including both 2.4 meter and 0.6 meter Very Small Aperture Terminals (VSATs). The L-3 Linkabit NCW PTS modems were successfully tested during the emulation phase in both benign and contested scenarios and in benign scenarios during OTA testing.

“The introduction of the PTS enhancement to our NCW waveform is an excellent advanced capability in that it provides an affordable level of protection for warfighters standing up and operating networks in difficult environments,” said Elissa Seidenglanz, president of L-3 Linkabit.

The L-3 Linkabit-developed PTS modem leverages the deployed NCW waveform to provide highly proportionate, effective and automated anti-jam responses within both hostile and non-hostile interference environments. L-3 Linkabit provides full-mesh IP over SATCOM solutions that enable mobile and halted forces to collaborate, access Department of Defense Information Network (DoDIN) resources, and exchange voice, data and video in a tactical environment. L-3 Linkabit’s Network-Centric Waveform (NCW), embedded in the MPM-1000 modem product family, has been designed to capitalize on the special features and benefits of the WGS satellite. To learn more about L-3 Linkabit, please visit the company’s website at www.L-3com.com/Linkabit.

Headquartered in New York City, L-3 employs approximately 45,000 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 2014 sales of $12.1 billion. To learn more about L-3, please visit the company’s website at www.L-3com.com.
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