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## Space & Naval Warfare Systems Command Awards Contract

SAN DIEGO — Lockheed Martin Space Systems Company, of Sunnyvale, Calif., is being awarded a \$2,110,886,703 cost-plus-incentive-fee-and-award-fee contract for the Mobile User Objective System (MUOS). MUOS is the next generation narrowband Military Satellite Communications system that will replace the operational UHF Follow-On system. MUOS consists of: a multi-beam geostationary constellation, with an on-orbit spare; the ground system supporting the satellite and network control; and a Common Air Interface waveform. When combined with the User Terminals and the Department of Defense (DoD) Teleport, MUOS comprises an end-to-end system that will provide DoD narrowband (64 kilobits per second and below) beyond line of sight communication services. This seven-year contract includes options, which if exercised, would bring the cumulative value of this contract to \$3,265,835,630. Work will be performed in Sunnyvale, Calif. (31%); Newtown, Pa. (29%); El Segundo, Calif. (12%); Scottsdale, Ariz. (27%); Aurora, Colo. (1%) and is expected to be completed by March 2011. If all options are exercised, efforts will continue through 2015. Contract funds will not expire at the end of the current fiscal year. This contract was competitively procured via a limited competition in which two proposals solicited and two offers received via SPAWAR E-Commerce web site. The Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command, San Diego, Calif., is the contracting activity (N00039-04-C-2009).

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