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L-3 Security & Detection Systems' MV3D[®] Explosives Detection System Meets EU Standard 3 Under ECAC CEP Testing

WOBURN, Mass., July 9, 2014 – L-3 Security & Detection Systems (L-3 SDS) announced today that its new MV3D[®] explosives detection system (EDS) has passed the European Union Regulation Standard 3 for EDS under the European Civil Aviation Conference (ECAC) Common Evaluation Process (CEP) of Security Equipment. The MV3D incorporates a stationary gantry design and a large rectangular tunnel for high system availability, maximum throughput and cost-effective operation.

“We already offer our customers the broadest range of TSA-certified and EU-approved EDS solutions for every throughput class, from our compact eXaminer[®] SX (360 bags per hour (BPH)) to the widely deployed eXaminer 3DX (540 BPH) to the high-speed, dual-energy eXaminer XLB (1,200 BPH) and the MVT-HR[®], an automated high-speed, high-throughput system (1,800 BPH),” said Thomas M. Ripp, president of L-3 Security & Detection Systems. “The MV3D enhances our EDS lineup, enabling us to offer a 1,800 BPH Standard 3 solution to those airports requiring a 0.5 meters per second belt speed and a non-rotating gantry design.”

Scanning up to 1,800 bags per hour with a belt speed of 0.5 meters per second and featuring a rectangular 1-meter by 80-centimeter high tunnel, the MV3D is ideally suited for easy integration with high-speed baggage handling systems worldwide. The MV3D's fixed-source, dual-energy detector design delivers high-resolution, STP-compliant 2-D images as well as 3-D volumetric images and associated tools, allowing operators to make faster, higher confidence decisions.

Since 1998, L-3 SDS has used CT and multi-energy X-ray imaging technology developed for aviation security with an understanding of the complex demands faced by airport personnel and regulatory agencies around the globe. More than 1,000 eXaminer systems have been procured

by airports domestically and internationally and are supported by L-3's world-class service organization.

About L-3 Security & Detection Systems

With more than 50,000 systems deployed and supported around the globe, L-3 Security & Detection Systems (L-3 SDS) is a leading supplier of security screening solutions. For more than 30 years, L-3 SDS has developed and manufactured cutting-edge products using advanced technologies that include 3-D computed tomography; automated, conventional and high-energy X-ray; radiation detection; active millimeter wave imaging; metal detection; and energetic trace explosives detection.

L-3 SDS solutions are used by the aviation and transportation industries, regulatory and customs authorities, government and law enforcement agencies, and commercial and other secure facilities. Applications include the screening of people, vehicles, baggage, cargo and packages for explosives, firearms, drugs, radiation, contraband and corporate assets.

About L-3

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 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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