

Kratos Awarded Foreign Military Sales Weapon Systems Task Valued At Approximately \$4 Million

New Engineering Assignment Brings Total Task Order Funding to Approximately \$75.5 Million

SAN DIEGO, Sep 2, 2009 (GlobeNewswire via COMTEX News Network) -- Kratos Defense & Security Solutions, Inc. (Nasdaq:KTOS), a leading national security, IT and public safety solutions provider, today announced the award to its Madison Research Division in Huntsville, Alabama of a new 12-month Engineering Assignment (EA) valued at over \$4 million. This fully-funded EA award for continued support and sustainment of Foreign Military Sales (FMS) weapon systems comes under the company's existing multi-year support task order with teammate ARINC Engineering Services, LLC. This award brings the total funding of all tasks awarded to Kratos under this contract to approximately \$75.5 million.

"Our Technology Initiatives Group consistently provides our customers a full spectrum of engineering, analytical, logistics, management, technology insertion, and fabrication capabilities that are cost-effective and meet exceptional quality standards," said Richard Selvaggio, Executive Vice President and General Manager of Kratos' Madison Research Division and the Weapon Systems Solutions Sector. "This newest task order award demonstrates this commitment by providing top-quality FMS weapon systems engineering system design support, test equipment fabrication, and training."

Kratos provides a full spectrum of critical sustainment, engineering, systems analysis, integrated logistics support (ILS), fabrication, and manufacturing capability to support its FMS customers. These support efforts include the transition of new technology, reverse engineering, electronic circuitry and systems, materials, and components from the DoD and commercial sectors to solve obsolescence problems.

About Kratos Defense & Security Solutions

Kratos Defense & Security Solutions, Inc. (Nasdaq:KTOS) provides mission critical engineering, IT services and war fighter solutions for the U.S. federal government and for state and local agencies. Principal services include C4ISR, weapon systems sustainment, military weapon range operations and technical services, network engineering services, information assurance and cybersecurity solutions, security and surveillance systems, and critical infrastructure design and integration. The Company is headquartered in San Diego, California, with resources located throughout the U.S. and at key strategic military locations. News and information are available at www.KratosDefense.com.

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About ARINC Engineering Services, LLC

ARINC Engineering Services, LLC is the wholly-owned defense contracting unit of ARINC Incorporated. ARINC Incorporated, a portfolio company of The Carlyle Group, provides communications, engineering and integration solutions for commercial, defense and government customers worldwide. Headquartered in Annapolis, Maryland with regional headquarters in London and Singapore, ARINC is ISO 9001:2000 certified. For more information, visit the web site at <u>www.arinc.com</u>.

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