

Kratos Receives \$2.3 Million Unmanned Aerial Drone System Program Contract Award

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 30, 2013 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Kratos Defense & Security Solutions, Inc. (Nasdaq:KTOS), a leading National Security Solutions provider, announced today that its Advanced Drone and Targets Solutions (ADTS) Division recently received a \$2.3 million contract award for unmanned aerial drone systems, aircraft, related support equipment and spares. Under the new contract award, Kratos will produce the unmanned aerial drone aircraft, related support equipment and spares at a secure Kratos manufacturing facility. Kratos' ADTS Division is a premier provider of high performance unmanned drone aircraft and these systems' related avionics, electronics, command and control systems, solutions, services and logistics. Due to customer related and other considerations, no additional information will be provided related to this recent contract award.

Wayne Armstrong, President of ADTS, said, "The entire ADTS organization is proud to have received this recent contract award from this national security related customer. As we end 2013 and enter the new year, we believe that our business is very well positioned to meet or exceed our customers' requirements for high performance unmanned aerial drone and target systems, aircraft, solutions, command and control equipment and support services. Additionally, we also believe that we are well positioned in the growing unmanned ground system and robotic market area, where we are currently under contract for command and control products and support services on a number of unmanned ground system platforms."

About Kratos Defense & Security Solutions

Kratos Defense & Security Solutions, Inc. (Nasdaq:KTOS) is a specialized National Security technology Company providing mission critical products, services and solutions for United States National Security. Kratos' core capabilities are sophisticated engineering, manufacturing and system integration offerings for National Security platforms and programs. Kratos' areas of expertise include Command, Control, Communications, Computing, Combat Systems, Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance (C5ISR), satellite communication systems, electronic warfare, unmanned systems, missile defense, cyber warfare, cybersecurity, information assurance, and critical infrastructure security. Kratos has primarily an engineering and technically oriented work force of approximately 3,850. The vast majority of Kratos' work is performed on a military base, in a secure facility or at a critical infrastructure location. Kratos' primary end customers are National Security related agencies. News and information are available at www.KratosDefense.com.

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