

Joint Partnership between Elbit Systems and IAI in Turkey

Haifa, Israel, April 18, 2005 Elbit Systems Ltd. (Nasdaq: ESLT), ("Elbit Systems") announced, following media publicity on the subject today in Israel and abroad, that a partnership equally owned by Elbit Systems and Israel Aircraft Industries (IAI) signed an agreement to conduct a project with a local company, for the Turkish Army. The agreement's validity is subject to the fulfillment of further conditions.

About Elbit Systems

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