



Elbit Systems to Supply \$100 Million of Military Communications Systems to Customers in Europe, South America and Asia

Systems to be delivered by the end of 2009

Haifa, Israel, October 22, 2008 – Elbit Systems Ltd. (NASDAQ:ESLT) announced that it has recently been awarded contracts valued in a total amount of approximately \$100 million, to supply its military communications systems to three armies.

The communications systems to be delivered under the contracts are **Tadiran CNR 9000, Tadiran HF 6000** and the **PRC 710 radio systems**. These **tactical radio systems** offer voice and high data rate transfer and are considered as industry's leading technology.

All products will be delivered through the end of 2009.

Under the above-mentioned separate contracts, Elbit Systems will supply systems valued at approximately \$50 million, \$38 million and \$10 million to a South American, Asian and European country, respectively.

Bezhalet (Butzi) Machlis, Executive VP of Elbit Systems and the General Manager of Elbit Systems Land and C4I - Tadiran, commented: "The fact that the contracts have been awarded by armies in three different continents attests to the company's extensive geographic presence and the technological leadership of our products. Machlis further noted: "The follow-on orders reflect our customers' satisfaction with both the operational aspects and technical performance of our products. We hope these customers, as many others, will view Elbit Systems as their main tactical communications and C4I supplier., and I believe these contracts will be followed by additional orders, both by these armies as well as other customers in the above-mentioned continents."

About Elbit Systems

Elbit Systems Ltd. is an international defense electronics company engaged in a wide range of defense-related programs throughout the world. The Company, which includes Elbit Systems and its subsidiaries, operates in the areas of aerospace, land and naval systems, command, control, communications, computers, intelligence surveillance and reconnaissance ("C4ISR"), unmanned



air vehicle (UAV) systems, advanced electro-optics, electro-optic space systems, EW suites, airborne warning systems, ELINT systems, data links and military communications systems and radios. The Company also focuses on the upgrading of existing military platforms and developing new technologies for defense, homeland security and commercial aviation applications.

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