

Elbit Systems Announces the Results of its Annual General Meeting of Shareholders Held on August 11, 2009

Haifa, Israel, August 12, 2009 - Elbit Systems Ltd. (NASDAQ: ESLT) (the "Company") announced today that at its Annual General Meeting of Shareholders (the "Meeting") held on August 11, 2009 at the Company's offices in Haifa, the proposed resolutions described in the Proxy Statement to the Shareholders dated July 6, 2009 (the "Proxy") and detailed hereunder, were approved by the required majority:

- 1. that Messrs. M. Federmann, Arad, Asheri, D. Federmann, Ne'eman and Ninveh and Mrs. Baum are elected as directors of the Company until the close of next Shareholder's Annual General Meeting of the Company.
- 2. that Mrs. Yael Efron is elected as an External Director of the Company for a three-year term commencing on August 11, 2009 and ending on August 10, 2012.
- 3. that the New Framework Resolution under the terms as described in the Proxy, regarding directors and officers liability insurance coverage for current and future directors and officers of the Company as may be from time to time, including for directors who may be considered as direct or indirect controlling shareholders of the Company, is approved.
- 4. that the grant by the Company of the indemnification letter to Mr. D. Federmann is approved and ratified with effect as of March 13, 2007.
- 5. that the Company's independent auditor, Kost, Forer, Gabbay & Kasierer, a member of Ernst & Young Global, is appointed as independent auditor of the Company for the fiscal year 2009 and until the close of the next Shareholders' Annual General Meeting of the Company.

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. For additional information, visit: www.elbitsystems.com.

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