

News Release

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Increased Coverage for Park Air in Ukraine

June 03, 2020 – Park Air Systems Limited, a Northrop Grumman company, has continued to build on the success of their agreement to supply the Ukrainian State Air Traffic Service Enterprise (UKSATSE) with equipment across 12 sites to update Ukrainian airspace equipment. The agreement has now been extended to cover 18 sites across the country, increasing the coverage of existing air traffic communication equipment.

At the heart of this agreement is the T6 radio from the Sapphire portfolio, a range of products which are designed to work hand in hand, while flexible enough to suit single radio installations and remote locations, as well as country-wide operations. One of the most advanced radios on the market, the T6 was chosen for its capabilities in Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) technology and its ability to work seamlessly with existing equipment.

"Ukraine, in the development of air navigation systems, is guided by the advanced experience and the best manufacturers to improve the air navigation infrastructure. The project under the contract with Park Air Systems Ltd provided us with a unique opportunity to upgrade our air navigation communication facilities and take the next step towards implementation of the European ATM Master Plan for VoIP technology. It will ensure preconditions for the implementation of dynamic distribution and use of ground-to-air communication infrastructure resources and provide reliable communication with Ukrainian airspace users" commented Mr Andrii Yarmark, acting director of UKSATSE.

With the first set of customer acceptance testing complete, initial delivery of the equipment in territory is imminent. "UKSATSE has given us a great opportunity to assist in the revitalisation a countrywide network; providing air traffic controllers with clear and reliable communications across their skies" said Fiona Thompson, managing director of Park Air Systems.

Notes to editor:

Park Air Systems Limited supplies communication systems for airspace operations worldwide. Sapphire ATM communications systems are now installed in more than 50 countries, helping air navigation service providers transitioning into the digital future. In its more than 50 year history, Park Air has sold 60,000 radios in 180 countries around the world.

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