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Extant Aerospace Acquires Stormscope® Product Line from L3Harris

Melbourne, Florida, September 13, 2019 – Extant Aerospace (Extant), a leader in licensing, obsolescence management, and sustainment services for Aerospace and Defense electronics, avionics, and electromechanical products today announced it has reached an agreement to acquire the Stormscope product line of lightning detection systems from L3Harris. Terms of the agreement were not disclosed.

Stormscope is a leading lightning detection system for the general aviation market, with over 80,000 total systems fielded. It delivers the accurate location of storm systems and lightning data in real-time. The agreement includes the WX-500 and WX-1000 series of products and associated accessories, antennas, and test equipment.

Extant President Jim Gerwien said, “We are very appreciative for the opportunity to grow our successful relationship with L3Harris and add the iconic Stormscope line to the Extant family of products and services. We look forward to supporting Stormscope customers with our wide array of state-of-the-art, in-house electronics manufacturing, engineering, test, and repair capabilities for many years to come.”

The Stormscope WX-1000 product line was first introduced in 1988 and is installed on multiple business jets, general aviation turbo props, and military platforms. The Stormscope WX-500 product line was introduced in 1997 and is installed on multiple general aviation single and twin piston and turbo prop platforms as well as several military rotary and fixed-wing platforms.

“Extant’s continued investment in resources and focus on customer satisfaction ensures Stormscope users and OEMs will continue to receive exceptional service and technical support,” commented Terry Flaishans, President of L3Harris Avionics Division.

About Extant Aerospace

Extant Aerospace (www.extantaerospace.com), a TransDigm company, with headquarters in Melbourne, FL, specializes in supporting Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEMs) with product licensing, obsolescence management and reengineering, lifecycle sustainment, and counterfeit prevention services for aging, non-core electronics, avionics and electromechanical products used in various, military, business and general aviation, and commercial airline applications.

Extant's programs and resources provide a high-quality solution to the challenges that often accompany the continuing aftermarket support of these systems and components and enable OEMs to focus their resources on more current products and new product research and development. Extant is well positioned with both the technical expertise and capital resources needed to provide OEMs with immediate value for non-core assets, a timely and successful product line transition, and a continuing high level of aftermarket customer service and support.

About L3Harris

L3Harris Technologies is an agile global aerospace and defense technology innovator, delivering end-to-end solutions that meet customers' mission-critical needs. The company provides advanced defense and commercial technologies across air, land, sea, space and cyber domains. L3Harris has approximately \$17 billion in annual revenue and 50,000 employees, with customers in 130 countries. L3Harris.com