

POLICY JUSTIFICATION**Bahrain – AN/TPS-59(V)3 3-Dimensional Land Based Radar**

The Government of Bahrain has requested a possible sale of one AN/TPS-59(V)3 3-dimensional land based radar, one Air Defense Communication Platform, spare and repair parts, publications, personnel training and training equipment, technical assistance, contractor technical and logistics personnel services and other related elements of program support. The estimated cost is \$40 million.

This proposed sale will contribute to the foreign policy and national security of the United States by helping to improve the security of a friendly country which has been and continues to be an important force for political stability and economic progress in the Middle East.

The proposed sale of radar will provide more responsive and timely information for air defense operations. It would greatly simplify the projection of U.S. military forces during regional contingency operations by enhancing the deployment of 3-dimensional land based radar capabilities.

This proposed radar may be used for airborne early warning and defense in conjunction with the HAWK missile defense system that is already in place in Bahrain.

The proposed sale of this equipment and support will not affect the basic military balance in the region.

The prime contractor will be Lockheed Martin Corporation of Syracuse, New York. There are no offset agreements proposed in connection with this potential sale.

Implementation of this proposed sale will require a U.S. contractor representative for one year representing varying technical skills and training in Bahrain.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 02-31]

36(b)(1) Arms Sales Notification

AGENCY: Department of Defense,
Defence Security Cooperation Agency.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense is publishing the unclassified text of a section 36(b)(1) arms sales notification. This is published to fulfill the requirements of section 155 of Public Law 104-164 dated 21 July 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. J. Hurd, DSCA/COMPT/RM, (703) 604-6575.

The following is a copy of a letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Transmittal 02-31 with attached transmittal, policy justification, and Sensitivity of Technology.

Dated: July 2, 2002.

Patricia L. Toppings,

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison
Officer, Department of Defense.*

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DEFENSE SECURITY COOPERATION AGENCY

WASHINGTON, DC 20301-2800

25 JUN 2002
In reply refer to:
I-02/007332

The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert
Speaker of the House of
Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515-6501

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act (AECA), as amended, we are forwarding herewith Transmittal No. 02-31, concerning the Department of the Navy's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Canada for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$19 million. Soon after this letter is delivered to your office, we plan to notify the news media.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tom H. Walters, Jr.".

TOM H. WALTERS, JR.
LEUTENANT GENERAL, USAF
DIRECTOR

Attachments

Same ltr to: House Committee on International Relations
Senate Committee on Appropriations
Senate Committee on Foreign Relations
House Committee on Armed Services
Senate Committee on Armed Services
House Committee on Appropriations

Transmittal No. 02-31**Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer
Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1)
of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended**

- (i) **Prospective Purchaser:** Canada
- (ii) **Total Estimated Value:**
- | | |
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| Major Defense Equipment* | \$17 million |
| Other | <u>\$ 2 million</u> |
| TOTAL | \$19 million |
- (iii) **Description and Quantity or Quantities of Articles or Services under Consideration for Purchase:** 12 SM-2 Block IIIA STANDARD missiles, 12 MK 13 MOD 0 canisters, containers, spare and repair parts, supply support, U.S. Government and contractor technical assistance and other related elements of logistics support
- (iv) **Military Department:** Navy (AOL)
- (v) **Prior Related Cases, if any:**
FMS case AJY - \$36 million – 30Sep88
FMS case AKT - \$11 million – 02Oct87
- (vi) **Sales Commission, Fee, etc., Paid, Offered, or Agreed to be Paid:** none
- (vii) **Sensitivity of Technology Contained in the Defense Article or Defense Services Proposed to be Sold:** See Annex attached
- (viii) **Date Report Delivered to Congress:** 25 JUN 2002

* as defined in Section 47(6) of the Arms Export Control Act.

POLICY JUSTIFICATION (U)**Canada – SM-2 Block IIIA STANDARD Missiles**

The Government of Canada has requested a possible sale of 12 SM-2 Block IIIA STANDARD missiles, 12 MK 13 MOD 0 canisters, containers, spare and repair parts, supply support, U.S. Government and contractor technical assistance and other related elements of logistics support. The estimated cost is \$19 million.

This proposed sale would contribute to the foreign policy and national security objectives of the United States by improving the military capabilities of Canada and furthering weapon system standardization and interoperability with U.S. forces.

The Canadian Navy requires these defense articles to provide Anti-Aircraft Warfare (AAW) System capability. The evolution of the AAW threat in littoral nations mandates this defense capability. The Canadian Navy intends to use the defense articles on their Destroyer Class surface ships to safely operate the SM-2 Block STANDARD missiles for self-defense against air and cruise missile threat in Canada and the NATO theater community. Canada, which already has STANDARD missiles in its inventory, will have no difficulty absorbing these additional missiles.

The proposed sale of this equipment and support will not affect the basic military balance in the region.

The prime contractor will be Raytheon Missile Systems Company of Tucson, Arizona. There are no offset agreements proposed in connection with this potential sale.

Implementation of this proposed sale will not require the assignment of any additional U.S. Government or contractor representatives to Canada.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

Transmittal No. 02-31**Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer
Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1)
of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended****Annex
Item No. vii****(vii) Sensitivity of Technology:**

1. The SM-2 Block IIIA STANDARD is a surfaced-launched guided missile. It is operational and deployed on cruisers and destroyers for use against air and surface threats (aircraft, missiles, and ships). The Guidance System employs a continuous-wave radar link for homing to a target. Steering Control Unit and roll commands from the adaptive Auto-pilot Battery Unit system provides flight stability via four aft mounted control surfaces. Propulsion is provided by a solid propellant Dual Thrust Rocket Motor that is an integral part of the missile airframe. The Target Detecting Device is a complex fuse with dual radar systems to optimize warhead lethality against a spectrum of target sizes and speeds. The telemeter unit transmits missile performance data to ground station to be analyzed for accuracy of missile/target scenario.

2. The SM-2 Block IIIA is classified Confidential. Certain operating frequencies and performance characteristics are classified Secret. The parametric documents, missile handling procedures, general performance data, firing guidance, dynamics information, flight analysis procedures, missile log books, propulsion data sheets, and Shore Activity Maintenance Data Sheets of the STANDARD missile documentation are classified up to Confidential.

3. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software elements, the information could be used to develop countermeasures which might reduce weapon system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advanced capabilities.

4. A determination has been made that Canada can provide substantially the same degree of protection for the sensitive technology being released as the U.S. Government. This sale is necessary in furtherance of the U.S. foreign policy and national security objectives outlined in the Policy Justification.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Defense Logistics Agency****Membership of the Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Senior Executive Services (SES) Performance Review Board (PRB)**

AGENCY: Defense Logistics Agency, Department of Defense.

ACTION: Notice of membership—2002 DLA PRB.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the appointment of members to the Defense Logistics Agency Senior Executive Service (SES) Performance Review Board (PRB). The publication of PRB composition is required by 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4). The PRB provides fair and impartial review of Senior Executive Service performance appraisals and makes recommendations to the Director, Defense Logistics Agency, with respect to pay level adjustments and performance awards, and other actions related to management of the SES cadre.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Defense Logistics Agency, 8725 John J. Kingman Road, STE 2533, Fort Belvoir, Virginia, 22060-6221.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Karon Webb, SES Program Manager, HQC Human Resources Office, Defense Logistics Agency, Department of Defense, (703) 767-6427.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4), the following are the names and titles of DLA career executives appointed to serve as members of the SES PRB. Members will serve a 1-year term, which begins on July 1, 2002.

PRB Chair: Maj Gen Mary Saunders, USAF, Vice Director, DLA.

Members: Mr. Frank Lotts, Deputy Director, Logistics Operations, Ms. Phyllis Campbell, Deputy Commander,