

COMTECH AEROASTRO RECEIVES PRESTIGIOUS AIAA 2010 SPACE SYSTEMS AWARD

Virginia – Satellite manufacturer Comtech AeroAstro, Inc. announced it received the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) 2010 Space Systems Award for its efforts on the Department of Defense's Space Test Program (STP) STPSat-1 satellite program.

Paul Lithgow, Comtech AeroAstro's President, received the award while in attendance at the AIAA Space 2010 Conference and Exhibition in Anaheim, CA. The award is presented for recognition of outstanding achievements in the architecture, analysis, design and implementation of space systems. This year's award recognized the STPSat-1 government-led multi-contractor team for the successful design, development, integration, and on-orbit tests of technologies on its STPSat-1 small satellite, and mission operations supporting critical USAF and USN missions. Mr. Lithgow commented "We are very pleased to accept this award for the STPSat-1 government and contractor team. Supporting our teammates at the Air Force Space Development and Test Wing and Naval Research Laboratory as prime contractor for the satellite bus, was a watershed event for our company that set the stage for our continued growth to today in terms of company size and technical capabilities."

Stanley O. Kennedy, Jr., Comtech AeroAstro's Vice President and General Manager of Programs commented "This mission demonstrates the robust capability of smaller research and development class satellites. STPSat-1 operated well past its mission life and provided valuable data for the experimenters."

Comtech AeroAstro developed two spacecraft based on its Astro 200 core bus design - STPSat-1 was successfully launched in March 2007 and STPSat-2 in November 2010; both STP satellites were specifically designed to be launched by exploiting the ESPA ring, an Evolved Expendable Launch Vehicle (EELV) Secondary Payload Adapter (ESPA).

Ashburn, Va.-based Comtech AeroAstro, Inc., is a wholly owned subsidiary of Comtech Telecommunications Corporation (NASDAQ:CMTL) in Melville, NY. Comtech AeroAstro, Inc. is a leader in satellite systems, components, payload and mission domain expertise and advanced communications technologies. To learn more about Comtech AeroAstro, please visit the company's website at www.aeroastro.com.

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