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L-3 WESCAM TO EXHIBIT NEW MX-10 EO/IR IMAGING TURRET AT HELITECH DUXFORD

BURLINGTON, CANADA, September 2, 2009 – L-3 WESCAM, a wholly owned subsidiary of L-3 Communications, announced today that its MX-10 EO/IR turret will be on display at Chalet 10 at the Helitech Duxford tradeshow in Cambridge, U.K., 22-24 September, 2009. In addition, L-3 will offer live demonstrations of the newly released turret.

Designed to support surveillance missions from small manned and unmanned helicopters, the lightweight MX-10 has proven MX-Series optical and laser performance, combined with ease-of-use tracking technology and ease-of-installation for the small-ball market sector. WESCAM's sales team will be on-site to discuss the turret's capabilities:

- The system's six laser and imaging sensors deliver superior situation context and surpass competitive systems by offering larger zoom ratios and greater magnification
- The MX-10 incorporates a 4-axis stabilization and an optical bench mounted IMU.
- The MX-10 incorporates interface flexibility including SMPTE HD digital video and NTSC or PAL analog video outputs.
- To integrate the MX-10 with WESCAM's remote diagnostic product, the MX-Raid enables technicians located at WESCAM service facilities to perform checks, calibrations and firmware updates on fielded units around the world
- The MX-10 fits into the MX-Series portfolio of EO/IR imaging products.

L-3 WESCAM is a world leader in the design and manufacture of stabilized, multi-spectral airborne imaging systems. To learn more about L-3 WESCAM, please visit the company's Web site at www.wescam.com. MX® is a registered trademark of WESCAM Inc.

Headquartered in New York City, L-3 Communications employs over 66,000 people worldwide and is a prime contractor in aircraft modernization and maintenance, C3ISR (Command, Control, Communications, Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance) systems and government services. L-3 is also a leading provider of high technology products, subsystems and systems. The company reported 2008 sales of \$14.9 billion.

To learn more about L-3, please visit the company's Web site at www.L-3com.com.

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Forms 10-K and 10-Q, with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The forward-looking statements speak only as of the date made, and the company undertakes no obligation to update these forward-looking statements.

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