



GMAS DEMONSTRATES C-27J SPARTAN IN SALT LAKE CITY

WHAT: Global Military Aircraft Systems (GMAS), a joint venture of L-3 Communications Integrated Systems and Alenia North America, Inc. (a Finmeccanica company) will showcase the C-27J at the Air Center of Salt Lake in West Jordan, Utah.

The C-27J is a leading contender for the U.S. Army's Future Cargo Aircraft (FCA) program and is considered the industry's leading medium lift cargo aircraft, providing superior performance and best value to the armed forces of the world.

The static display of the C-27J in West Jordan is part of the second phase of a U.S. tour to demonstrate the aircraft's capabilities. The aircraft is under consideration to replace the fixed wing detachment in Utah.

GMAS is offering the C-27J Spartan as the solution for the U.S. Army's Future Cargo Aircraft (FCA) program. The FCA program is a key component in the Army's transformation of its fixed wing fleet, which calls for the procurement of a new fleet of cargo fixed wing aircraft. To support the future force, the FCA must be a multifunctional and interoperable aircraft, able to perform logistical re-supply, medevac, troop movement, airdrop operations, humanitarian assistance, and missions in support of Homeland Security.

WHERE: **Air Center of Salt Lake**
7365 South 4450 West
West Jordan, Utah

WHEN: **Friday, August 12, 2005**
Briefing and Demonstrations 10:00a.m. to noon

RSVP: Please RSVP to Mr. Enrique Briz by calling 212-660-6759

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