

to the MDE cost of \$170 million or to the total case value of \$235 million.

This transmittal notifies inclusion of the following additional MDE items:

1) Eight (8) UH-60M Black Hawk helicopters in standard USG configuration with designated unique equipment and Government Furnished Equipment (GFE)

2) Seventeen (17) T700-GE-701D engines (includes 1 spare)

The following non-MDE items will also be included: H-764ACE/EAGLE+429 Embedded Global Position System/Inertial Navigation Systems (EGIs); AN/APX-117A Identification Friend or Foe (IFF) transponders; AN/ARC-201E RT-1478E (or designated replacement); MXF-4027 radios (or designated replacement); Aviation Mission Planning Systems (AMPS); Engine Inlet Barrier Filter (EIBF) System; External Rescue Hoist (ERH); C-406 Emergency Locator Transmitter (ELT); LRIP Crew Chief Gunner Seats; basic aircraft warranty; CONUS and OCONUS air worthiness support; calibration services; spare and repair parts; aviation and peculiar ground support equipment; communication equipment; publications and technical documentation; personnel and equipment training; site surveys; special tools and test equipment; U.S. Government and contractor technical and logistics support services; and other related elements of logistics and program support.

The addition of these items will result in a net increase in MDE cost of \$240 million, resulting in a revised MDE cost of \$410 million. The additional non-MDE items will result in a net increase of \$100 million. The total estimated case value will increase to \$575 million.

(iv) *Significance*: Thailand intends to use the UH-60s to modernize its armed forces by updating its military capabilities and improving interoperability between Thailand and the United States and other allies.

(v) *Justification*: This proposed sale will support the foreign policy and national security of the United States by helping to improve the security of a Major Non-NATO ally which is an important force for political stability and economic progress in the Indo-Pacific region.

(vi) *Sensitivity of Technology*:

The UH-60M aircraft is a medium lift four bladed aircraft which includes two (2) T-701D Engines. The aircraft has four (4) Multifunction Displays (MFD), which provides aircraft system, flight, mission, and communication management systems. The instrumentation panel includes four (4) Multifunction Displays (MFDs), two (2) Pilot and Co-Pilot Flight Director Panels, and two (2) Data Concentrator Units (DCUs). The Navigation System will have Embedded GPS/INS (EGIs), and two (2) Advanced Flight Control Computer Systems (AFCC), which provide 4 axis aircraft control.

Honeywell H-764ACE/EAGLE+429 Embedded Global Position System/Inertial Navigation System (EGI) provides GPS and INS capabilities to the aircraft. The EGI will include Selective Availability Anti-Spoofing Module (SAASM) security modules to be used for secure GPS PPS, if required.

The AN/APX-117, Identification Friend or Foe (IFF) Transponder, is a space diversity transponder and is installed on various military platforms. When installed in conjunction with platform antennas and the Remote Control Unit (or other appropriate control unit), the transponder provides identification, altitude and surveillance reporting in response to interrogations from airborne, ground-based and/or surface interrogators.

The AN/ARC-201E (or designated equivalent), Single Channel Ground to Air Radio System (SINCGARS), is a tactical airborne radio subsystem that provides secure, anti-jam voice and data communication and data communication with ground units. The system uses 25 kHz channels in the very high frequency (VHF) FM band, from 30.000 to 87.975 megahertz (MHz). The ARC-201E/RT-1478E is the commercial, exportable version of the ARC-201D/RT-1478D radio system that does not include Military/NSA COMSEC capabilities. The system and Data Rate Adapter (DRA) combines three Line Replaceable Units into one and reduces overall weight of the aircraft.

The MXF-4027 (or designated equivalent) is the commercial, exportable version of the ARC-231/RT-1808A radio system. This is a software-definable radio for military aircraft that

provides two-way, multi-mode voice and data communications in the 30 Hz to 512 MHz frequency range. It covers both line-of-sight Ultra High Frequency (UHF) and Very High Frequency (VHF) bands with SATCOM capabilities, including Integrated Waveform (IW). The MXF-4027 radio also includes embedded frequency agile modes, Demand Assigned Multiple Access (DAMA), Integrated Waveform (IW), operator selectable Air Traffic Control (ATC) channel spacing of 5, 8.33, 12.5, and 25kHz steps, and other data link features.

The highest level of classification of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is UNCLASSIFIED.

(vii) *Date Report Delivered to Congress*: April 21, 2021

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 21-39]

#### Arms Sales Notification

**AGENCY**: Defense Security Cooperation Agency, Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION**: Arms sales notice.

**SUMMARY**: The DoD is publishing the unclassified text of an arms sales notification.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**: This 36(b)(1) arms sales notification is published to fulfill the requirements of section 155 of Public Law 104-164 dated July 21, 1996. The following is a copy of a letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Transmittal 21-39 with attached Policy Justification and Sensitivity of Technology.

Dated: January 31, 2023.

**Aaron T. Siegel,**

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May 19, 2021

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi  
Speaker of the House  
U.S. House of Representatives  
H-209, The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Madam Speaker:

Pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended, we are forwarding herewith Transmittal No. 21-39 concerning the Air Force's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance to the Government of Greece for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$165 million. After this letter is delivered to your office, we plan to issue a news release to notify the public of this proposed sale.

Sincerely,

Heidi H. Grant  
Director

Enclosures:

1. Transmittal
2. Policy Justification
3. Section 620C(d) Certification

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Transmittal No. 21-39

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:* Government of Greece

(ii) *Total Estimated Value:*

|                              |               |
|------------------------------|---------------|
| Major Defense Equipment * .. | \$ 0 million  |
| Other .....                  | \$165 million |

|             |               |
|-------------|---------------|
| TOTAL ..... | \$165 million |
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\* Funding Source: National Funds

(iii) *Description and Quantity or Quantities of Articles or Services under Consideration for Purchase:*  
*Major Defense Equipment (MDE):*

None  
*Non-MDE:*

Included are U.S. Government, technical, and logistics support services and requisitions supporting the Foreign Military Sales Order II (FMSO II) and Cooperative Logistics Supply Support Arrangement (CLSSA) for stock replenishment,

supply of standard spare parts, and repair/replace of spare parts to support the Hellenic Air Force's defensive and transport aerial fleets; all other aircraft systems and subsystems; and other related elements of program support.

(iv) *Military Department: Air Force* (GR-D-KIX)

(v) *Prior Related Cases, if any:* GR-D-KAA, GR-D-KIW

(vi) *Sales Commission, Fee, etc. Paid, Offered, or Agreed to be Paid:* None

(vii) *Sensitivity of Technology Contained in Defense Article or Defense Services Proposed to be Sold:* None

(viii) *Date Report Delivered to Congress:* May 19, 2021

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

#### *Policy Justification*

##### *Greece—FMSO II, CLSSA Services*

The Government of Greece has requested to buy U.S. Government, technical, and logistics support services and requisitions supporting the Foreign Military Sales Order II (FMSO II) and Cooperative Logistics Supply Support Arrangement (CLSSA) for stock replenishment, supply of standard spare parts, and repair/replace of spare parts to support the Hellenic Air Force's defensive and transport aerial fleets; all other aircraft systems and subsystems; and other related elements of program support. The estimated total cost is \$165 million.

This proposed sale will support the foreign policy and national security objectives of the United States by helping to improve the security of a NATO ally, which is an important partner for political stability and economic progress in Europe.

The proposed sale will improve Greece's capability to meet current and future threats by providing agile logistics support to active Foreign Military Sales support cases, including Greece's defensive and transport aerial fleets, as well as other support equipment of U.S. origin that are currently in use with the Hellenic Air Force and which can be supported by the CLSSA program. The ability to place blanket order requisitions will increase its interoperability with NATO forces and enhance its ability to provide for the security of its borders. Greece has demonstrated a continued commitment to modernizing its military and will have no difficulty absorbing this equipment into its armed forces.

The proposed sale of these services will not alter the basic military balance in the region.

There are no principal contractors for this proposed sale. There are no known 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 outside the United States.

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

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