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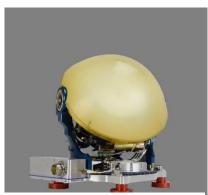
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Astronics Secures New Inflight Connectivity Equipment Order from Collins Aerospace

Supports growing business jet connectivity demand

EAST AURORA, NY, February 10, 2021 – <u>Astronics Corporation</u> (Nasdaq: ATRO) ("Astronics" or the "Company"), a leading provider of advanced technologies for global aerospace, defense and other mission critical industries, announced today it was awarded an order of approximately \$11 million from Collins Aerospace ("Collins") for business jet connectivity equipment. The order is a follow on to previous orders for inflight connectivity (IFC) hardware that Astronics has been providing to Collins.

Astronics' equipment supports the growing interest in the business jet connectivity services offered by Collins Aerospace. Having received many strong customer reviews, Collins' system provides unparalleled high-speed world-wide connectivity that enables a broad variety of remote conferencing services as well as streaming entertainment.



Tail-Mounted Connectivity Antenna

"We are excited to extend and expand the relationship with Collins Aerospace to provide best-in-class connectivity equipment for their customers," stated Michael Kuehn, Astronics CSC President. "We believe this order validates the success of Collins Aerospace connectivity services and the performance of Astronics connectivity hardware. Improved connectivity for the business jet market has become an imperative and we are committed to providing the best connectivity capability available for aircraft with our technologies."

For more details on the T-311 hardware, visit Astronics.com.

About Astronics Corporation

Astronics Corporation (Nasdaq: ATRO) serves the world's aerospace, defense, and other mission critical industries with proven, innovative technology solutions. Astronics works side-by-side with customers, integrating its array of power, connectivity, lighting, structures, interiors, and test technologies to solve complex challenges. For over 50 years, Astronics has delivered creative, customer-focused solutions with exceptional responsiveness. Today, global airframe manufacturers, airlines, militaries, completion centers and Fortune 500 companies rely on the collaborative spirit and innovation of Astronics. The Company's strategy is to increase its value by developing technologies and capabilities that provide innovative solutions to its targeted markets.

For more information on Astronics and its solutions, visit Astronics.com.

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