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Alhaporl Awarded NASA A3 Contract

Cleveland, OH May 16, 2011—Alhaporl, a Cleveland-based provider of engineering services and knowledge management, partnering with prime contractor Honeywell, was awarded the NASA A3 contract for Audit, Assessment, and Assurance Services at the NASA Safety Center (NSC).

Through the A3 contract, Alhaporl will support the NSC Audits and Assessments Office (AAO), in independently assessing Safety and Mission Assurance (SMA) requirements across the Agency. Alhaporl previously delivered this service through the NASA Contract Assurance Services (NCAS) contract. The AAO, one of the NSC's four functional offices, performs safety audits and a variety of technical assessments on all NASA Centers and Facilities.

Contractor support strengthens NASA's audit and assessment evaluation capabilities and assists NASA programs and projects in moving toward conformance with industry SMA standards. Alhaporl intends to provide the NSC with expertise in System Safety Hazard Analysis, Reliability and Maintainability Analysis, Risk Analysis and Management, Mishap Investigations, Training and Outreach, and Program support. Alhaporl will liaison with NASA Headquarters and NASA Field Centers through the NASA Safety Center, located in Brook Park, Ohio.

"Alhaporl appreciates the continued opportunity to partner with NASA and the chance to strengthen its relationship with Honeywell, prime contractor on A3 tasks," said Jennifer Jones, Alhaporl's Vice President of Knowledge Management and Training.

About the NSC

The NSC was established in October 2006 to support the safety and mission assurance requirements of NASA's portfolio of programs and projects.

Focused on improving the development of personnel, processes and tools needed for the safe and successful achievement of NASA's strategic goals, the NSC comprises four functional offices: Technical Excellence, Knowledge Management Systems, Audits and Assessments, and Mishap Investigation Support.

The NSC resides in the Ohio Aerospace Institute, Brook Park, Ohio, and is a tenant of NASA's Glenn Research Center. The NASA Safety Center reports to the Office of Safety and Mission Assurance at NASA Headquarters, Washington, D.C.

About Alphaport

Headquartered in Cleveland, Ohio, Alphaport, Incorporated is an engineering services company providing strategies, products, and solutions for aerospace, defense, and commercial applications to government and technical businesses. Alphaport specializes in offering comprehensive Knowledge Management services and methodology to help aerospace-oriented organizations to capture, retain, and apply its intellectual property for technology innovation or professional workforce development. In addition, Alphaport offers to both government and commercial clients advanced engineering consultancy and management of multi-faceted product development programs.

Established in 1999, Alphaport's strong performance history has been built on a foundation of program and project managers, retired aerospace experts, exceptional engineers, and technical specialists serving NASA, DoD, and private industry on a global scale.

Alphaport has received multiple business and technology awards, including the Inc. 500 Award for America's fastest growing private companies.

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