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King Abdulaziz City for Science and Technology (KACST) signs a new collaboration agreement with SELEX Galileo

King Abdulaziz City for Science and Technology (KACST) has signed a collaboration agreement with SELEX Galileo, a Finmeccanica Company and key player in the defence electronics business.

This new collaboration agreement enables SELEX Galileo and KACST to perform joint research and development projects in Radio Frequency, Radar, Laser, Electro-Optics (EO) and Infra-Red Technologies. The agreement further advances SELEX Galileo's high technology partnership with the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia through the working relationship with KACST.

SELEX Galileo is committed to developing high technology partnerships in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and will continue to work with Saudi companies in areas of industrial participation.

Notes to Editors:

The collaboration agreement is based on a long standing relationship between SELEX Galileo and KACST and builds upon a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed in June 2008. The MOU saw the Company develop a working relationship for research and development with KACST in a variety of technology areas.

KACST is an independent scientific organisation of the Saudi Arabian Government established in 1977 under the name of Saudi Arabian National Center for Science & Technology (SANCST) and later in 1985 renamed as 'King Abdulaziz City for Science & Technology (KACST)'.

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