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ASX Announcement

DroneShield Awarded US\$500M US IDIQ Procurement Vehicle

DroneShield Limited (ASX:DRO) (DroneShield or the Company) announces that its wholly owned US subsidiary DroneShield LLC has been awarded a Joint Interagency Task Force 401 (**JIATF-401**) Domestic Shield Indefinite Delivery, Indefinite Quantity (**IDIQ**) contract. This contract is a three-year procurement vehicle with a ceiling value of US\$500 million.

The IDIQ establishes a contracting vehicle through which DroneShield can compete for and receive future task and delivery orders supporting the rapid deployment of counter-unmanned aircraft systems (**C-UAS**) capabilities for homeland defence in the United States. Domestic Shield is a JIATF-401 initiative focused on strengthening C-UAS protection for defence critical infrastructure and other high-priority locations across the United States.

This IDIQ contract does not guarantee any orders and any amounts cannot be quantified at this time. DroneShield will continue to announce material orders in accordance with its disclosure policies.

The contract builds on DroneShield's expanding relationship with JIATF-401 and broader United States C-UAS programs.

DroneShield recently delivered DroneSentry-X Mk2, on-the-move C-UAS capabilities in support of JIATF-401 requirements, including successful installation and acceptance of deployed technology. DroneShield capabilities are also represented on the JIATF-401 Counter-UAS Marketplace, established to accelerate access to vetted counter-UAS technologies.

Angus Bean, Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director commented:

"Securing a contract with this significant procurement vehicle in the United States reflects the strength of DroneShield's technology and our role as part of a multi-layered counter-drone solution. JIATF-401 and IDIQ provide a streamlined pathway for US agencies to access our proven counter-drone capabilities as demand for rapid, scalable protection continues to increase."

This announcement has been approved for release to the ASX by the Chairman on behalf of the Board.

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About DroneShield Limited

DroneShield (ASX:DRO) is a global leader in AI-powered counter-drone and uncrewed, autonomous systems defence. We develop and deploy interoperable sensing, electronic warfare and command-and-control solutions that detect, track, identify and defeat drone threats across fixed-site, dismounted and on-the-move operations. Trusted by military, government, law enforcement, critical infrastructure and commercial customers and active globally, DroneShield combines operationally proven technology with continuous R&D and AI-software driven innovation. We master complexity to protect the people, places and assets that matter.

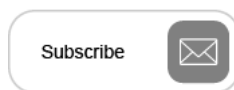
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