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ECS Receives Royal Seal of Approval Queen's Award For Enterprise

Enterprise Control Systems Limited (ECS), designers and manufacturers of RF and microwave communications systems, have been awarded a Queen's Award for Enterprise today (21/04/07). The privately owned British company is recognised for its outstanding achievements in providing telecommunication solutions to the military, police service and security industries across almost three decades.

ECS provides secure mobile telecommunications to Her Majesty's forces in Iraq and Afghanistan and to most of the country's police Air Support Units. Based in rural Northants the company, which was started in 1988 by Managing Director Colin Bullock, beat off competition from some of the biggest corporate companies in the country to win the coveted award.

MD Colin Bullock said: "We are delighted with this news. It is the culmination of hard work across three decades to establish this company at the leading edge of the electronics engineering industry. A third of our workforce is dedicated to new product development, which means that ECS can consistently lead innovation in our chosen fields."

During the early 90's ECS earned an enviable reputation for producing robust analogue video links for the security markets, known colloquially as 'heli-tele'. In 2007 it is manufacturing a fourth generation state-of-the-art product that is at the leading edge of technology and the envy of our competitors.

Mr Bullock added: "This is a tremendous boost for the staff, many of whom are local people actively involved at the cutting edge of product development. This Queen's Enterprise Award is testament to their hard work, ingenuity and dedication."

Mike Evans, Wiltshire Police Air Support Unit Executive, said: "Congratulations to Enterprise Control Systems on winning the Queen's Award for Enterprise. Wiltshire Constabulary Air Support Unit was the first police ASU to use ECS's ground-breaking digital microwave 'downlink' technology three years ago. It's developments continue to lead the field in enabling senior officers in control rooms to view 'real time' incident images and make appropriate policing decisions."

ECS senior managers will receive their QAE award in person from Her Majesty the Queen at a special reception at Buckingham Palace later in the year.