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EEC TeleSpace awarded massive contract to deliver an Integrated Satellite Network and Meteorological Message Switching System for the Dirección Meteorológica de Chile (DMC)

ENTERPRISE, AL., November 6, 2015 (Globe Newswire) – EEC TeleSpace has been awarded a massive \$2.6 million contract for the supply of four of our 4.5m Capella-R GOES-R Ground Stations to the DMC's regional centers located at Puerto Montt, Antofagasta, Santiago and Isla de Pascua (Easter Island). EEC TeleSpace will also supply one of our 2.4m Oberon-XLE systems, which will be located at the Presidente Eduardo Frei Montalva Chilean Antarctic Base. Numerical Model Workstations and a comprehensive Meteorological Messaging Switching System from our partners IBL Software Engineering are also included as part of the project. These systems, coupled with EEC TeleSpace's flagship Proteus visualization and analysis software, will allow for a complete and seamless modernization of the DMC's Integrated Satellite Network to acquire, process, visualize and analyze both legacy (NOAA, GOES, TERRA, and AQUA), and next generation (METOP, Suomi-NPP and GOES-R) meteorological satellites.

According to the DMC Research and Applied Meteorology Section Chief Ricardo Alcafuz, the DMC intends to use these new systems to:

- Incorporate satellite data to numerical modeling of the atmosphere
- Maintain the continuity of climate observations and environmental data from polar orbiting satellites
- Increase accuracy in forecasting severe weather events

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- Perform daily measurements of the ozone layer
- Monitor in real-time, fires, volcanic eruptions, blizzards, droughts, floods, hurricanes and dust

“EEC TeleSpace is thrilled to supply our Capella-GR, Oberon-XLE, and the IBL MSS systems to the DMC. These integrated solutions will facilitate the continued fulfillment of the DMC’s core mission, and further establishes EEC TeleSpace as the world’s premier GOES-R Groundstation provider,” noted Eric Baptiste, Business Development Manager of EEC TeleSpace.

About the DMC

The Dirección Meteorológica de Chile (DMC), under the Dirección General de Aeronáutica Civil (DGAC), has been operating NOAA and GOES Ground Stations as part of its Integrated Satellite Network since 1998. Data from these systems is integral in supporting its core mission of being responsible for the collection of and dissemination of meteorological information to provide weather, climate data, forecasts and warnings for the protection of life and property and enhancement of the national economy.

About EEC TeleSpace

EEC’s TeleSpace division provides for full, integrated solutions of hardware and software for the collection, processing, display, and distribution of data from the space-based environmental observing system. The Telesto Groundstation is a high performance turnkey system that collects and processes data from the GOES, MTSAT, COMS and FY series of geostationary satellites and is coupled with Proteus, EEC’s flagship visualization and analysis software. EEC TeleSpace’s products and capabilities can be viewed at www.eecweathertech.com. Be sure to follow EEC on Facebook at www.facebook.com/EECRadar.