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UNITED SPACE ALLIANCE EXPANDS GSA SERVICES INTO KEY MARKET SECTORS

HOUSTON (July 31, 2008) – United Space Alliance is now offering its wide range of capabilities and outstanding record of performance through the General Services Administration (GSA). USA has expanded its ability to do business with the federal government with the recent authorization of two GSA pricing schedules.

Professional Engineering Services and Logistics Worldwide will provide government customers access to USA services in these areas at pre-negotiated labor rates and terms and conditions. The move enables USA to more effectively compete for work with other contractors who provide services to customers in the government space arena as well as other government entities.

“This is another opportunity for USA to apply its extensive capabilities to new market sectors,” said Neal Hammond, USA Vice President, Exploration Programs and Strategic Planning, and Deputy Business Development. “Our engineering and logistics services have been critical to one of the most complex and unique programs in the world. Getting onboard with GSA is not only an opportunity for us to more widely market those services, but a chance for other customers to easily access the same incredible capability that we’ve been successfully providing to the US space program.”

The two USA schedules, which are in effect through 2013, include engineering and integration, strategic planning and integrated logistics and related services.

GSA has established long-term government-wide contracts to provide access to commercial supplies and services that can be ordered directly from GSA Schedule contractors. Mirroring commercial buying practices, it offers customers the potential benefits of shorter lead-times and lower administrative costs.

For more information, visit:

<http://www.unitedspacealliance.com/capabilities/gsa/default.asp>.

United Space Alliance is a world leader in space operations with extensive experience in all aspects of the field. Headquartered in Houston, USA has 10,000 employees working in Texas, Florida and Alabama. Currently, USA is applying its broad range of capabilities to NASA's Space Shuttle, International Space Station and Constellation programs as well as to space operations customers in the commercial and international space industry sectors.

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