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ITCN Receives Second C-TAC® Plus Upgrade Contract in Support of the F/A-18 Advanced Weapons Laboratory at China Lake, California.

Dayton, OH (March, 2006) - ITCN, Inc., a pioneer of synchronized instrumentation for embedded systems, has been tasked to provide a functional replacement, with advanced capabilities, to the existing, obsolete monitor and control instrumentation in the Advanced Weapons Laboratory at China Lake in support of the NAVAIR F/A-18 program.

The current monitor and control capability used by the F/A-18 AWL is built around ITCN's C-TAC product line, customized specifically to the AYK-14 Mission Computer's VPM-25 A/B processors. This instrumentation has been in place for about 10 years and is now obsolete. Under Small Business Innovative Research (SBIR) Topic N98-160, ITCN developed improved test instrumentation technology which can monitor and control key data paths, including backplanes, data busses, and processors, in embedded systems such as the F/A-18 AWL. This technology is marketed by ITCN as SystemTrace® and is being used as a baseline for the new instrumentation which will be called C-TAC Plus.

The F/A-18 AWL represents the second program, along with the F-15 AISF, to take advantage of the seamless succession to C-TAC and improved technical capabilities of C-TAC Plus. Several more existing C-TAC customers are expected to upgrade to C-TAC Plus.

"We are very pleased to upgrade the F/A-18 AWL with C-TAC Plus. This product allows our customers to preserve their considerable investment in the venerable C-TAC with a product that will be supported by ITCN well into the future." said Roy Penwell, President of ITCN.

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