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DISA Awards Second Contract for Collaboration Services

ARLINGTON, Va., June 21, 2007 – DISA announced today the selection of Carahsoft Technology Corporation to provide net-centric enterprise collaboration services via a contract valued at \$22 million.

Carahsoft, in partnership with Adobe Systems Incorporated and Jabber Incorporated, will provide collaboration services to the Department of Defense (DoD), including instant messaging, low-bandwidth text chat, web conferencing, shared whiteboards, desktop/application/presentation sharing, and the ability to invite personnel outside the DoD into collaboration sessions.

DISA's Net-Centric Enterprise Services (NCES) program is coordinating the roll-out of these services and is the group managing this suite of enterprise services throughout the DoD. This award will provide NCES with a "second button", allowing a choice for users to select between the Carahsoft product and the existing "first button," provided by IBM through its e-CollabCenter product.

The Carahsoft collaboration solution has widespread use across the Department of the Army and the Department of the Navy.

Information requests should be directed to the DISA Public Affairs Office.

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