



MILITARY VALIDATION OF SMN's CVM TECHNOLOGY

The Directors of Structural Monitoring Systems plc (ASX: SMN) are pleased to announce that the patented Comparative Vacuum Monitoring (CVM) system previously installed on the S211 jet trainer aircraft used by the Republic of Singapore Air Force has successfully completed 100 flight hours of operation..

The successful completion of 100 flight hours now triggers the issuance of a certificate of validation, by ST Aerospace under a contract between SMS and ST Aerospace on behalf of the RSAF validating the use of the CVM system on this aircraft type.

The validation of the CVM system on the S211 jet trainer follows the earlier acceptance of the CVM system by ST Aerospace on behalf of the RSAF for use on the RSAF's A4 Skyhawk fighter following a similar successful 100 flight hours of operation of the CVM system.

The CVM system has now been successfully installed on a number of different military aircraft across three different operators. This has lifted the profile of the CVM technology among military operators. As a result, SMS has received further enquires from other Air Forces.

SMS is in various stages of negotiations with these operators of military aircraft for installation to their aircraft to reduce the cost and time they currently experience with maintenance inspections.

Should you have any enquiries regarding the above announcement or any aspect of the company's development please contact me on +61 8 9204 4844 or visit www.smsystems.com.au

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