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ORBIT INTERNATIONAL'S POWER UNIT SEGMENT  
RECEIVES \$342,000 EXPEDITED ORDER FROM U.S. NAVY  
IN SUPPORT OF FLIR SYSTEM ON F/A-18 HORNET

Awards on FLIR Program exceed \$5 Million in Last Twelve Months

Hauppauge, New York, January 14, 2003—Orbit International Corp. (NASDAQ:ORBT) today announced that its Power Unit Segment, Behlman Electronics, Inc., has received a \$342,000 order from the United States Navy for a power supply module used on the F/A-18 Hornet FLIR (Forward Looking Infrared Radar) System. This order has been classified as an urgent requirement and expeditious handling of the contract has been requested by the U.S. Navy. Deliveries under this contract are expected in the second and third quarters of 2003.

Dennis Sunshine, President and CEO of Orbit, commented, "Behlman is proud to support our country's security needs and will handle this contract in a timely manner. We are committed to delivering high quality, cost effective power solutions to our customers and we are confident that our capabilities and extensive experience will continue to lead to future business in both new programs and add-on requirements."

Sunshine continued, "Behlman has previously supplied this module for the F/A-18 FLIR System to Raytheon Systems Company (NYSE:RTN), but this is our first order directly from the U.S. Navy for this unit. In addition, Behlman has also supplied a Roll Resolver and two other power modules directly to the U.S. Navy in support of the F/A-18 FLIR System. Total awards to our Company in the last twelve months have exceeded \$5 million on this program. Although we have not been advised by either Raytheon or the Navy as to the total program requirements, we are encouraged by the business potential related to our participation in this program."

Orbit International Corp., based in Hauppauge, New York, is involved in the manufacture of customized electronic components and subsystems for military and nonmilitary government applications. Its Behlman Electronics, Inc. subsidiary manufactures and sells high quality commercial power units, AC power sources, frequency converters, uninterruptible power supplies and associated analytical equipment. The Behlman custom division designs, manufactures and sells power units and electronic products for measurement and display. For a more detailed discussion of the risks inherent in the Company's business the reader is referred to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-KSB for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2001.

This press release contains forward-looking statements, within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act

of 1934, as amended, including the expected deliveries under the new contract, the potential for future orders for Behlman's products and the potential of future business related to Behlman's participation in the F/A-18 program. These forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that could cause the actual future results of the Company to be materially different from such forward looking statements. Factors that might result in such differences include, without limitation, the current economic climate and military conflicts, variable market conditions and changing needs of the defense sector and the Company's customers. The forward-looking statements contained in this press release speak only as of the date hereof. The forward-looking statements contained herein are also subject generally to other risks and uncertainties that are described from time to time in the Company's reports and registration statements filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.