

## SAS SECURES PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ENGAGEMENT WITH D-ORBIT

Sky and Space Company Limited (**ASX: 'SAS'**, **'Sky and Space Company'** or the **'Company'**) is pleased to announce that it has been contracted by D-Orbit UK, Ltd (**D-Orbit**) to provide professional services as part of the Boost! project overseen by the European Space Agency (**'ESA'**).

Through Boost!, the ESA supports the development and deployment of new commercial space transportation services in the European space sector. On 20 July 2021, the ESA signed an agreement with D-Orbit for its *Responsive Microlauncher Service* project (the **'Project'**), focussing on the end-to-end delivery of payloads in orbit.

Sky and Space Company has been contracted by D-Orbit in a professional services role as part of the Project to support the development of a standardised framework for launch logistics and specifications, and to assist in designing and evaluating payload handling requirements at the UK based Cornwall Spacehub Centre for Space Technologies ('**Spaceport Cornwall**').

Spaceport Cornwall is a commercial launch site which is expected to launch satellites to space from 2022 through a consortium that includes Virgin Orbit and Goonhilly Earth Station.

This contract represents first commercial revenues for the Company through a partnership with key industry members and emphasises SAS' position at the forefront of key developments in the satellite industry. SAS engineers will be providing consulting services as a reference satellite operator, payload customer, and service end-user as part of the project. Initial SAS revenues of approx. £30,000 will be followed by additional fees for each Spaceport Cornwall launch where SAS provides its professional services.

In relation to SAS' engagement with D-Orbit, Xavier Kris, Chairman of Sky and Space Company said:

"This is an exciting opportunity for Sky and Space Company. It demonstrates the expertise of the Sky and Space professional services team and the high regard with which it is held in the industry. We are thrilled to work with D-Orbit, Virgin Orbit, and the wider consortium and to play a key role in one of the most significant UK space projects in recent times."

Simon Reid, Chief Operations Officer of D-Orbit (UK) said:

"D-Orbit and Sky and Space Company have been pursuing innovative opportunities together for a number of years. We are delighted that our UK teams are now cooperating in the development of the new end-to-end micro launchers service."

The Company expects to commence providing services to D-Orbit this calendar year. Further information on D-Orbit's contract award by the European Space Agency and their press release can be found on the Company's website.

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## ABOUT SKY AND SPACE COMPANY LIMITED

Sky and Space Company Limited is an ASX listed (SAS) satellite company regulated by the UK Space Agency with aerospace, satellite, and software industry expertise.

The Company's core business is to provide communications infrastructure and services based on nanosatellite technology and deploy highly sophisticated software systems that launch, maintain orbit, control, and manage global communication networks in space.

The Company was the first to build and operate a nanosatellite based commercial telecom network. It currently benefits from over 50 agreements with future customers, award winning technology and many nanosatellite world firsts including propulsionless formation flying and inter satellite communications.

## ABOUT D-ORBIT



D-Orbit is a market leader in the space logistics and transportation services industry with a track record of space-proven technologies and successful missions.

Founded in 2011, before the dawn of the New Space market, D-Orbit is the first company addressing the logistics needs of the space market. ION Satellite Carrier, for example, is a space vehicle that can transport satellites in orbit and release them individually into distinct orbital and accommodate multiple third-party payloads requiring a test in orbit.

D-Orbit is a space infrastructure pioneer with offices in Italy, Portugal, UK, and the US; its commitment to pursuing business models that are profitable, friendly for the environment, and socially beneficial, led to D-Orbit becoming the first certified B-Corp space company in the world.

D-Orbit's press release located here

