

## Appointment of Steve Shattil as Executive Director

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**PERTH, WA and COLUMBIA, MD USA** – DEPARTMENT 13 INTERNATIONAL LTD (ASX: D13) (“Department 13”, “D13” or “the Company”) a cutting edge developer of counter drone technology, is pleased to announce the appointment of Steve Shattil as an Executive Director of the Company.

Steve is D13's Chief Scientist Officer and leads the Company's Patent Strategy. Steve holds graduate degrees in Physics and Electrical Engineering and is a practicing patent agent.

Steve has developed technologies that are essential to wireless and cellular standards, with his most important innovations centering around next-generation 5G wireless communications. Steve is the inventor of 50 US based patents and dozens other international patents. He has played a critical role in shaping the D13 business to date.

Department 13 CEO, Jonathan Hunter, commented: *“It is with great pleasure that we welcome Steve Shattil to the Board of D13. Our patent portfolio is a key aspect of D13's growth strategy moving forward. Steve's extensive expertise in this area will be heavily relied upon by the Board for furthering the Company's capabilities in drone mitigation and longer-term communication networking technologies.”*

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### **About Department 13**

Based in Maryland, Department 13 (D13) was founded in 2010 by a team of former military operators, scientists and engineers who apply proprietary innovative advanced technology to emerging requirements. D13 is developing cutting-edge software and communication systems that have the potential to transform the networking and communication fields as well as current applications in drone defense, mobile phone IT security and secure enhanced Android phone systems. D13 is engaged with multiple counter UAS projects to provide strategic solutions for civil, military and commercial security requirements. D13 has 23 patents and 35 patent applications in the development of wireless protocol manipulation and communication networking software with applications in drone defense, local area and wide area cellular communications and networking, enhanced data bandwidth for all digital communications, cyber security for mobile devices and sophisticated RF technology applications (radiometrics). For more information about D13, please visit [www.department13.com](http://www.department13.com) or follow us on Twitter (@D13ASX), LinkedIn and YouTube.