First F-35 Joint Strike Fighter To Be Unveiled

At 11 a.m. CDT on Friday, July 7, senior government, military and industrial representatives from around the world will gather at Lockheed Martin Aeronautics Co. in Fort Worth, Texas, for the inauguration and naming of the first F-35 Joint Strike Fighter.

Guests who will speak at the event include Deputy Secretary of Defense Gordon England; U.S. Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. T. Michael Moseley; members of the Texas congressional delegation (U.S. Senators Kay Bailey Hutchison and John Cornyn, Congresswoman Kay Granger); and the International JSF Partners.

Reporters and photographers are invited to the event at the Lockheed Martin plant at 1 Lockheed Blvd. in Fort Worth. Please check into the Building 200 lobby no later than 10:15 a.m.

Risers and mult-boxes will be set up for photographers and reporters, and the aircraft will be in plain view for photographing.

The ceremony will be made available by satellite. The coordinates and schedule are listed below.

The F-35 is a 5TH Generation, supersonic stealth fighter designed to replace a wide range of existing aircraft, including AV-8B Harriers, A-10s, F- 16s, F/A-18 Hornets and United Kingdom Harrier GR.7s and Sea Harriers. The F- 35 will be the most powerful single-engine fighter ever produced. First flight is planned for this fall.

Directions to Lockheed Martin Aeronautics Company:

* From downtown Fort Worth, travel west on Interstate 30 for about eight miles
* Exit at SPUR 341 (exit number 7B) and follow it to the Lockheed Martin gate
* Stop and show your identification; the guard will direct you to the Building 200 lobby

SATELLITE INFORMATION

Domestic & International distribution of the Lockheed Martin F-35 Inauguration Ceremony.

Domestic Test only
Date: 6th July 2006
Time: 1600-1700 GMT

NORTH AMERICA ANALOG KU Satellite Distribution
From Turnaround

Satellite: AMC2 KU Analog Transponder K8
Downlink Frequency: 11860 H
Audio: 6.2 & 6.8
Color: NTSC

NORTH AMERICA DIGITAL KU Satellite Distribution
from PacSat TES AT LMCO Ft. Worth

Satellite: Galaxy 4r KU K24 Slot A
Uplink Frequency: 14466.5 H
Downlink Frequency: 12166.5 V
FEC: 3/4
Symbol: 6.1113
Color: NTSC

Day of Air:
Date: 7th July 2006
Time: 1500-1730 GMT with 30 approx

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Event: Lockheed Martin F-35 Inauguration
Feed: North America Transmission Test Feed
Day: Thursday (all Zones)
Date: July 6th (all Zones)

Australia AEST	North America PDT	CDT	EDT	GMT	Europe BST	CEST	EEST	EVENT
2.00	9.00	11.00	12.00	16.00	17.00	18.00	19.00	From Dallas to North America START
3.00	10.00	12.00	13.00	17.00	18.00	19.00	20.00	From Dallas to North America END

Event: Lockheed Martin F-35 Inauguration
Feed: Show Transmission Schedule
Day: Friday (all Zones)
Date: July 7th (all Zones)

Australia AEST	North America PDT	CDT	EDT	GMT	Europe BST	CEST	EEST	EVENT
1.00	8.00	10.00	11.00	15.00	16.00	17.00	18.00	All Pathways START
2.00	9.00	11.00	12.00	16.00	17.00	18.00	19.00	Start of Show

3.00	10.00	12.00	13.00	17.00	18.00	19.00	20.00	Scheduled end of show
3.30	10.30	12.30	13.30	17.30	18.30	19.30	20.30	Scheduled End of Transmission
4.00	11.00	13.00	14.00	18.00	19.00	20.00	21.00	30 min Transmission buffer END

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