



News release

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U.S. Department of State awards \$65 million contract for Worldwide Technical Security Services

AES Corporation and Raytheon Technical Services Company team up to support the Department of State

PEABODY, MA (Sept. 18, 2007) – AES Corporation announced today that its Technical Services Division (AES-TSS) has been awarded a five-year, indefinite delivery – indefinite quantity contract valued up to \$65 million to provide worldwide technical security services (WTSSI) for the U.S. Department of State (DOS). The multiple contractor award which began August 6 and will end June 30, 2012, supports the DOS’ Overseas Building Operations (OBO) office in Arlington, VA. AES will lead the team that includes Raytheon Technical Services Company (RTSC) LLC, a subsidiary of Raytheon Company; Project Developers Inc. of Sterling, VA; Hardline Installation Inc. of Capital Heights, MD; and Goshow Architects LLP of New York, NY.

For more than 30 years, AES Corporation has provided security systems and services for US Government and Commercial institutions in over 200 countries worldwide. AES-TSS provides a full range of security services, from basic installations to complete assessment, design, procurement, installation and testing of integrated physical and electronic security and communications systems that protect personnel and infrastructure worldwide.

According to Michael Sherman, WTSSI program manager and AES President and CEO, “This award speaks directly to our 30+ years of high level critical infrastructure security design and implementations, as well as to the relationships we’ve developed and the reputation we’ve earned

throughout the years. We have assembled a strong team and are here to meet the highest level of security required by the DOS and OBO.”

The AES team will provide design and installation of technical security systems which include alarms, door controls, closed circuit television, public address systems, x-ray systems, metal detection, explosive detection, and intercom systems at the U.S. diplomatic missions, embassies, and consulates worldwide.

RTSC located in Reston, VA, will support the AES team in three areas: design and engineering; installation, operations and logistics support; and professional and executive support.

“Our team is actively engaged in providing technology and services to meet the physical and technical security needs of the Department of State for its overseas facilities,” said Tom Arnsmeier, Vice President of the Homeland Security Solutions product line of RTSC’s Integrated Support Solutions business. “Raytheon is committed to providing the right solutions to OBO in the critical mission of protecting sensitive government information and protecting DOS personnel and facilities against terrorist threats.”

About AES Corporation

For more than 30 years, AES Corporation has provided design and installation of security systems to numerous government and commercial clients. AES Technical Services' division (AES-TSS) provides services ranging from basic installation to complete assessment, design, procurement, installation, and testing of integrated physical and electronic security and communications systems that protect personnel and classified information in over 200 countries around the world. Customers include Government Embassies, Oil Companies, Financial Institutions, Aerospace Companies, Utility Companies, and Military Facilities. For more information please visit: www.aes-tss.com,

About RTSC

RTSC provides technology solutions for defense, federal and commercial customers worldwide. It specializes in Mission Support, counter-proliferation and counter-terrorism, homeland security solutions, base and range operations and customized engineering and manufacturing.