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Celsius:

Radio system order

The Celsius-owned communications company SMS Telecom, which forms part of business unit CelsiusTech Electronics, has received an order from FMV (Swedish Defence Materiel Administration) for series delivery of a radio system for ground staff at Swedish military air bases. The order is worth SEK 28 M.

The system is built up around a newly developed and technically advanced 2.4 GHz radio. This permits communication on several channels at the same time, and is adapted to the extremely high noise levels which are typical in the vicinity of aircraft. Considerable interest has been expressed in this type of radio system, both by the military and commercial sectors.

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