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**FEDERATED WINS DEA CONTRACT FOR SIGNALS INTELLIGENCE ANALYSIS**

Washington, D.C. (November 1, 2008) – Federated Information Technologies (Federated IT) Inc. announced today that it has been awarded a Prime contract to provide specialized Communications and Signals Intelligence (SIGINT) Analytic support to the US Drug Enforcement Administration. Based out of the El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC) in Texas, Federated analysts will conduct communications intercept, translation and real-time analysis in an effort to thwart transnational threats and support the counter drug/counter narco-terrorism missions in the Southern Hemisphere.

“This program is critical to our national security. Our efforts save lives and keep drugs off our streets,” said Matthew Bucholz, President of Federated. “It’s a rewarding and challenging program that our analysts and team members, as well as our entire company, can be proud of.”

Founded in 2002 by a retired US Army Special Operations Communications Officer and a retired US Marine Corps Officer, Federated IT is a Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned, 100% Native American Owned, HUB Zone and 8(a) Certified Small Disadvantaged Business. Federated IT focuses on delivering high quality professional services for its customers and excellent benefits for its employees. Specifically, it provides innovative Information Technology engineering services and Information Assurance support to the Department of Defense (DoD), Intelligence Community (IC), and civil government customers. Headquartered in Washington DC, Federated’s employees provide professional services to customers located around the globe.

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