



ELITE Simulation Solutions AG builds new Helicopter STD

Zurich, Switzerland, April 20th, 2003 - Elite Simulation Solutions AG, one of the leading global developer and manufacturer of PC-based flight simulation systems, has scored a key success with a purchase order for the new Elite evolution S623 Helicopter STD by Phillips Search & Rescue Trust of New Zealand.

The Elite evolution S623 Helicopter system will be customized by the Zurich based company to meet the customers specific requirements, enabling the simulation of a single turbine helicopter based on the Eurocopter AS350B.

The ordered system has a three-channel external visual system and a fully enclosed helicopter style cockpit and will be an integral part of a ground-based IFR training system which will use Elite's new advanced PC-based Helicopter software. The STD will be built to meet Australian CASA category B synthetic trainer requirements.

Elite's Marketing & Sales Manager, René Huddleston, said: "The order from Phillips Search and Rescue is a milestone for our company. We appreciate the trust set in our company and will take this opportunity to demonstrate the potential of our training devices to meet also the requirements of helicopter operators."

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