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York Space Systems Acquires Orbion Space Technology, Further Strengthening Supply Chain with Flight-Proven Spacecraft Capability

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DENVER--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- **York Space Systems** (York) (NYSE: YSS), a leading, US-based national defense and commercial prime providing a comprehensive suite of mission-critical solutions, today announced it has acquired **Orbion Space Technology** (Orbion), a Michigan-based manufacturer of flight-proven electric propulsion systems. The acquisition strengthens York's integrated space ecosystem and directly supports the strategy the company outlined at the time of its initial public offering: aligning its technology roadmap, investing in domestic production capacity, and delivering systems that work reliably and at scale.

Final testing of an Orbion Aurora integrated propulsion system prior to delivery.

Founded in 2016, Orbion designs and manufactures Hall-effect electric thrusters for constellation-scale satellite missions. Its Aurora propulsion systems are produced domestically and are already flying on York-built spacecraft supporting U.S. national security missions, including satellites operating as part of fielded military constellations.

"Orbion's propulsion systems have already demonstrated reliable, repeatable performance on York spacecraft supporting operational missions," said Michael Lajczok, CTO of York. "Integrating this capability allows us to more tightly align propulsion with spacecraft design and mission operations strengthening system-level performance while strengthening performance and long-term reliability as mission demands grow."

"Orbion was built to deliver propulsion systems designed to perform reliably on orbit and to produce them in a

factory that can meet the scale demands of prolific constellations," said Brad King, co-founder and CEO of Orbion. "Our work with York has demonstrated what's possible when propulsion is designed alongside the spacecraft and mission from the start. Joining York allows us to accelerate that approach and support the growing number of missions already being executed today."

By aligning the technology roadmap, York's Orbion acquisition reduces supply-chain risk of an historically scarce spacecraft subsystem, which improves schedule certainty and enhances its ability to deliver tightly integrated spacecraft platforms optimized for both current and next-generation mission requirements.

"This acquisition builds on an established, on-orbit relationship," said Dirk Wallinger, founder and CEO of York. "Orbion propulsion is already operating successfully on York spacecraft today. This next step allows us to more closely align Orbion's leading-edge technologies with the growing constellation-scale demands across the sector, expand production planning to meet strong market demand, and support customers across the full space ecosystem."

Orbion will continue to operate as a wholly owned U.S. subsidiary of York, serving customers across the broader space industry. The combination provides a clear path to expanding Orbion's production capacity in support of growing commercial and national security satellite demand.

The transaction follows York's recent acquisition of **ATLAS Space Operations**, reinforcing a deliberate strategy to integrate critical mission capabilities across York's space ecosystem, propulsion, ground operations, and end-to-end mission execution. Together, these acquisitions advance York's long-term vision of delivering complete space mission solutions supported by a solid, secure, and robust U.S. supply chain.

"From propulsion to ground systems, we are deliberately strengthening the core capabilities that underpin mission success," Wallinger added. "This is what we said we would do as a public company — invest in proven technologies, scale responsibly, and continue delivering operational capability on orbit."

Today, York is executing at scale across national security and commercial missions, with more than 30 satellites currently on orbit, mission operations centers supporting five active missions, and two operational constellations. The company is preparing for its eighth launch overall, executing on its twelfth contract, and advancing work on its sixth constellation contract, underscoring York's ability to deliver repeated, reliable performance across multiple programs while continuing to scale production and mission execution capacity.

About York Space Systems

York Space Systems (NYSE: YSS) is a leading, U.S.-based national defense and commercial prime providing a

comprehensive suite of mission-critical solutions for national security, government, and commercial customers. York is one of the only space and defense primes with proprietary hardware and software capabilities designed to address customers' complex mission requirements across the critical elements of the entire space ecosystem throughout the mission lifecycle. York is purpose built to address evolving national security space challenges and to adapt to the ongoing shift in the U.S. government's mission needs and procurement processes.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of, and we intend such forward-looking statements to be covered by, the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements are inherently subject to risks and uncertainties, some of which cannot be predicted or quantified. In some cases, you can identify forward-looking statements by terminology such as "anticipate," "believe," "continue," "could," "estimate," "expect," "intend," "may," "might," "objective," "ongoing," "plan," "predict," "project," "potential," "should," "will," "would," or the negative of these terms or other comparable terminology. In particular, statements about our recent acquisitions of Orbion and Atlas Space Operations, anticipated market demand, mission success, aligning of technologies, future growth prospects, backlog, growth of market share, growth strategy, capabilities, the future health of our aircraft, the markets in which we operate, including growth of our various markets, potential new products and product innovation and our expectations, beliefs, plans, strategies, objectives, prospects, assumptions, or future events or performance contained in this press release.

Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements include: our inability to realize the expected benefits from the acquisition of Orbion; our inability to integrate Orbion to the Company's operations on the expected timeline or at all; our inability to execute on our business strategy; cost overruns on our contracts, including before final receipt of a contract; concentration of our customers and backlog, in particular our largest customer, the Space Development Agency; our failure to implement and maintain an effective system of internal control over financial reporting; fluctuation of our operating results; significant competition in the global space and satellite market; our failure to manage our growth effectively and our ability to achieve and maintain profitability; any failure of our spacecraft systems and related software to operate as intended, resulting in warranty claims for product failures, schedule delays or other problems with existing or new products; our revenue, results of operations and reputation may be negatively impacted if our products contain defects or fail to operate in the expected manner; our failure to establish and maintain important relationships with government agencies and prime contractors; our dependence on contracts entered into in the ordinary course of business and our dependence on major customers and vendors; the scarcity or unavailability of critical components used to manufacture our products or used in our development programs; the emerging and shifting nature of the market for spacecraft platforms and satellite software and its failure to achieve the growth

potential we expect; uncertain global macro-economic and political conditions, including the implementation of tariffs; disruptions in U.S. government operations and funding and budgetary priorities of the U.S. government; a failure of our information technology systems, physical or electronic security protections; the failure to adequately protect our proprietary intellectual property rights; the inability to comply with any of our contracts or meet eligibility requirements to obtain certain government contracts; limitations on investor insight into portions of our business due to our classified contracts with the U.S. government; the potential inability to realize our backlog; government laws and regulations, particularly those relating to contracting in the defense industry; our substantial indebtedness; and the other factors set forth in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. You should not place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date stated, or if no date is stated, as of the date of this press release. Actual results may vary from the estimates provided. We undertake no intent or obligation to publicly update or revise any of the estimates and other forward-looking statements made in this press release, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law.

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