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**MICROSAT SYSTEMS CANADA INC. (MSCI) FORMED FROM  
THE SPACE DIVISION OF DYNACON INC.**

*A New Space Technology Company with an Outstanding Flight Heritage*

**Mississauga, Ontario – March 15, 2009 – Microsat Systems Canada Inc. (MSCI)**, formerly the Space Division of Dynacon Inc., is now a new company dedicated to the design, build and development of microsatellites and satellite attitude control system products.

“Over the last five years, my company has been under contract to lead Dynacon’s Space Division; I took a personal hand in growing the business,” explains David Cooper, President and CEO of MSCI. “So when the opportunity came up to purchase the Space Division, I jumped at it.” Mr. Cooper has been responsible for shaping all aspects of the microsatellite and attitude control systems product lines, leading to its current success.

Selected as the prime contractor for the MOST microsatellite by the Canadian Space Agency (CSA), MSCI launched this innovative telescope on June 30, 2003.

MOST’s extraordinary flight heritage – still exceeding performance specifications as it approaches six years in orbit – led the Canadian Space Agency to contract MSCI to design and build the NEOSsat microsatellite, expected to launch in 2010.

Capitalizing on the technology developed for MOST – such as the innovative use of commercial-grade components – MSCI continues to design and build its standard Multi Mission Microsatellite Bus (MMMB) architecture slated by the CSA as their baseline microsatellite standard going forward. Readily adaptable to civil, military and commercial applications, the MMMB design provides traditional and new markets with access to previously cost-prohibitive space services.

“As a company dedicated to space technology, MSCI can now focus attention on what we do best: making affordable satellite technology adaptable to a variety of applications, advancing research and technology, and ensuring Canada’s top position as an internationally-renown microsatellite space technology provider,” explains Mr. Cooper.

In addition to its move to a new state-of-the-art facility, Mr. Cooper adds that with the acquisition of Dynacon’s Space Division, “MSCI also acquired a core of the finest microsatellite engineers anywhere!”



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## **About MSCI**

MSCI is Canada's leader in the design, development and delivery of cost-effective, adaptable Multi Mission Microsatellite Buses capable of hosting a wide variety of remote sensing, communications, scientific and military payloads. MSCI also has proven capabilities in systems engineering analysis, the development of sophisticated, cost-effective attitude control systems solutions and their implementation into flight hardware and software.

Formerly the Space Division of Dynacon Inc., MSCI has been the premiere builder of microsatellites in Canada for over a decade. MSCI provides military and civil space agencies, as well as commercial markets, with space technology that enables space exploration and surveillance of Earth from space and other services for commercial applications. Additional information about MSCI can be found at [www.mscinc.ca](http://www.mscinc.ca).

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