

International contract for Saab's CBRN system

Defence and security company Saab has signed an international contract comprising CBRN (Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear) system amounting to SEK 82.9 million.

The delivery includes a CBRN system; an automatic warning and reporting system (AWR), comprising ten units for mobile detection and surveillance plus a system consisting of 25 stationary detection units for chemical and radiological surveillance.

The delivery also includes a command and control centre, which monitors the entire system day and night. Saab's 9LAND BMS AWR software is included as part of the tactical system and is activated in the event of a CBRN situation. Upon activation, an automatic transfer is made from the stationary system to the tactical system with round-the-clock capacity. The mobile units include four pressure-protected light vehicles where the full picture concerning the AWR system is presented on Saab's rugged hardware. The vehicles are also equipped with Barracuda's HTR system (Heat Reduction).

"This is a major deal for Saab for our CBRN AWR system, including both mobile and stationary systems. This bodes well for Saab's potential to expand its business and strengthen its position within the CBRN area. Several countries have indicated that they need to connect their CBRN sensors in an integrated network to one or more command centres. There is also a trend developing within the CBRN area in which a number of countries are moving away from stand-alone solutions to integrated CBRN systems and vehicles," says Nils-Erik Lindblom, Director Marketing & Sales, Vehicle Systems, Business Unit Land at Saab's business area Support and Services.

The industry's nature is such that depending on circumstances concerning the product and customer, information regarding the customer will not be announced.