

Avionics Test Centre, Denmark Terma and Scandinavian Avionics Team

With the F-35 fighter aircraft being introduced in Europe currently, there is a growing need to establish European regional maintenance capabilities.

Terma has substantial expertise and experience in developing, designing, and manufacturing electronic components and software to industries and customers within the international defence market. Also, Terma is strongly involved in the design and manufacturing of advanced composite structures and electronic components for the F-35.

Scandinavian Avionics has substantial expertise and experience within the areas of maintenance, repair, and overhaul (MRO) of avionics components for both civil and military aircraft and helicopters within the international aviation market, including NATO organizations.

Explained Jens Maaløe, President & CEO, Terma: *‘In order to provide best value to the F-35 Programme, Terma and Scandinavian Avionics decided to team up to form Avionics Test Center Denmark. We both aim to enhance and grow our MRO capabilities towards the F-35 Programme with specific focus on the test and repair of F-35 avionics.’*

Michael Truelsen, CEO, Scandinavian Avionics added: *‘We also intend to utilize our capabilities on other MRO possibilities such as the EH-101 helicopter, UH-60R Seahawk and C-130. Further, we agree to explore, identify, and discuss specific areas of mutual interest, projects, and collaborative efforts, which serve our joint business and strategic interests.’*

In practice, Terma and Scandinavian Avionics will:

- Jointly, as one team, provide a proposal on support of F-35 avionics toward the F-35 Programme Office
- Seek mutual MRO possibilities on the EH-101 helicopter, UH-60R Seahawk, and C-130
- Jointly invest in depot stand-up capability and seek possibilities to establish the facility in close cooperation with the Danish Ministry of Defence.

About Scandinavian Avionics

Scandinavian Avionics provides complete turnkey avionics solutions for civil and military aircraft, helicopters, and Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS). These include sales, avionics maintenance (MRO), certification (STC), design & engineering, installation, product development, production, training, and consultancy services.

About Terma

The Denmark-based high-tech Terma Group develops products and systems for defence and non-defence security applications; including command and control systems, radar systems, self-protection systems for aircraft, space technology, and aerostructures for the aircraft industry.