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BAE Systems 20% shareholding in Airbus

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Further to the statement on 2 May 2006 regarding the sale of its 20% shareholding in Airbus, BAE Systems confirms it has served upon EADS a formal notice of exercise of its Put Option.

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