

Description of Request: JIST-NET will provide the warfighter with an integrated and single pane-of-glass planning and situational awareness system for satellite communications (SATCOM) and network communications. \$6 million will allow SATCOM to move forward and operationally field JIST-NET in next 6 to 9 months.

Requesting Member: Congressman DUNCAN HUNTER.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: Other Procurement, Air Force.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Telos Corporation.

Address of Requesting Entity: 19886 Ashburn Road; Ashburn, VA.

Description of Request: \$3.5 million will provide a communication system to the 147th Combat Communications Squadron in San Diego, CA to improve wartime readiness levels and provide for a robust capability during a potential disaster.

Requesting Member: Congressman DUNCAN HUNTER.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: Research, Development, Test & Evaluation, Air Force.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: SpaceDev, Inc.

Address of Requesting Entity: 13855 Stowe Drive; Poway, CA.

Description of Request: Hybrid Sounding Rocket will benefit the nation's defense through the accomplishment of designing and fabricating a new propulsion design that provides safe and environmentally friendly launch services for small payloads. \$2 million will complete flight article design, complete three heavy motor ground test firings, selection and preparation of a suitable launch site, complete first flight article, and the demonstration flight.

Requesting Member: Congressman DUNCAN HUNTER.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: Research, Development, Test & Evaluation, Navy.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: East County Economic Development Council.

Address of Requesting Entity: 1870 Cordell Court, Suite 202; El Cajon, CA.

Description of Request: The Connector, a proven business-to-business database, lets DoD compare and analyze objectively capabilities across the industrial base to address warfighter requirements, particularly limited production items. \$1.3 million will expand the number of California companies profiled.

Requesting Member: Congressman DUNCAN HUNTER.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: Research, Development, Test & Evaluation, Navy.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: SYS Technologies.

Address of Requesting Entity: 5050 Murphy Canyon Road; San Diego, CA.

Description of Request: The System for Intelligent Task Assignment & Readiness (SITAR) will support accurate, predictive 21st century readiness models. \$3 million will enhance the SITAR program.

Requesting Member: Congressman DUNCAN HUNTER.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: Research, Development, Test & Evaluation, Navy.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Surface Optics Corporation.

Address of Requesting Entity: 11555 Rancho Bernardo Road; San Diego, CA.

Description of Request: \$3 million for the Real-Time Hyperspectral Targeting Sensor will be used to miniaturize a small, low cost Hyper Sensor integrated with GPS location data and real time processing capability.

Requesting Member: Congressman DUNCAN HUNTER.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: Procurement of Ammunition, Air Force.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Boeing, Corp.

Address of Requesting Entity: P.O. Box 516; St. Louis, MO.

Description of Request: \$40 million will procure additional Joint Direct Attack Munition kits. This funding was the #12 priority on the Air Forces Unfunded Requirements.

Requesting Member: Congressman DUNCAN HUNTER.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: Research, Development, Test & Evaluation, Army.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Skybuilt.

Address of Requesting Entity: 4449 N. 38th Street; Arlington, VA.

Description of Request: \$2 million will be used to fund an existing Army effort for RDTE and field testing of solar power at forward operating bases.

TRIBUTE TO MR. SIDNEY LAPIDUS

HON. NITA M. LOWEY

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 21, 2008

Mrs. LOWEY. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize the accomplishments of Mr. Sidney Lapidus and to congratulate him on receiving the Emma Lazarus Statue of Liberty Award. Mr. Lapidus' deep commitment to the American Jewish Historical Society has ensured that its collection is preserved and expanded for generations to come.

A graduate of Princeton University and Columbia University Law School, Sidney began his career as an attorney with the Securities and Exchange Commission in New York. Currently, he serves as a managing director and senior advisor at Warburg Pincus LLC, one of the country's leading private equity firms. Sidney also serves on the Boards of Directors of Lennar Corporation, one of the Nation's largest homebuilders, as well as Knoll Inc., a leading manufacturer of office furniture.

Sidney contributes to and advocates on behalf of a number of charitable causes, several of which concern American history and Jewish affairs. He served as president of the American Jewish Historical Society from 2003 to 2007 and is now its chairman. He is a member of the advisory councils for Princeton University's History and Judaic Studies Departments. He is also a vice chairman of the American Antiquarian Society and is a board member of the New York Historical Society. In other areas, he is a chair of the United Neighborhood Houses of New York and a member of the executive committee of New York University School of Medicine.

Mr. Lapidus has balanced his distinguished career and philanthropic work with an equally impressive family life. He and his wife, Ruth,

live in Harrison, New York. They have three married children—Gail, Janet and Roy—and six grandchildren—Sara, Eric, Kate, Henry, Jessica, and Zack. An avid skier, Sidney also collects British and American books about politics and economics from the 17th and 18th centuries.

Madam Speaker, I am proud to recognize my good friend Mr. Sidney Lapidus for a successful career in finance and unparalleled devotion to charitable causes. I urge my colleagues to join me in honoring his tremendous accomplishments.

PINECREST WINS AT PINEHURST

HON. HOWARD COBLE

OF NORTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 21, 2008

Mr. COBLE. Madam Speaker, on behalf of the citizens of the Sixth District of North Carolina, we wish to congratulate the golf team of Pinecrest High School for winning the North Carolina 4-A golf championship. That's exactly what they did on Tuesday, May 15, 2008. The team was led by seniors Jack Fields, Russell Burke, Patrick Barrett, and John Gillespie. They were joined by junior Justin Evans and sophomore Sam Packard. Only the top six golfers on each team qualified for the championship match.

The championship, which was won at Pinehurst #6, culminated an outstanding season for the Patriots, who were led by Head Coach Sandy Sackmann. She had already won a state championship with the women's team on the same golf course. Now Coach Sackmann has accomplished the same feat with the men.

The match started slowly on Monday. Bad weather and strong winds influenced the first day's result. Although they finished nine strokes behind the leader, the Patriots never played themselves out of contention. The conditions on the second day were better, which allowed Pinecrest to play up to its full capabilities.

While they could not play in the championship match, the other members of the Pinecrest golf team were instrumental in assisting the school on its way to the title. The other members of the squad were junior Pete Lineberger, sophomores Austin Dunlap and Bryant Stewart, and freshman Dylan Harris.

On behalf of the Sixth District, we would like to congratulate the men's golf team of Pinecrest High School on having a great season and winning the North Carolina 4-A golf championship. As Coach Sackmann said, "It was an incredible year. They deserve to win; they have worked so hard for four years." We heartily agree with this assessment.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. RODNEY P. FRELINGHUYSEN

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 21, 2008

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN. Madam Speaker, in compliance with new "earmark" disclosure procedures adopted by the House Republican Conference, I hereby provide the following information regarding a request for funding I