



SKYe SH09 A Swiss made helicopter

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MSH confirms additional Launch Customer in Norway

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MSH has announced today the official signature of a Launch Customer contract with **Tronrud Engineering AS** from Norway. The Swiss made single-turbine SH09 helicopter will be based in the Eggemoen Aviation and Technology Park, 60 kilometers North-West of Oslo.

Tronrud Engineering AS will operate the SH09 as a company helicopter and as a utility and logistics vehicle that will support the development of the industrial park.

The multifaceted **Eggemoen Aviation & Technology Park** is the only one of its kind in the country, offering exciting opportunities for industrial development. Spread over a total area of 230 hectares, the industrial park employs more than 300 employees, with high technical competences both at national and international levels.



Today Eggemoen is home to a diverse and innovative business community ranging from small to large-scale establishments in advanced and sensitive high technology. The Park operates with its own airport and benefits from a direct access by road and by train.

The team of **MSH** expresses great enthusiasm and feels proud that the SH09 helicopter has been selected as an entire element of the Park's and Airport networking tools where the aircraft will improve the needed connectivity to the region.

Tronrud Engineering AS has since the 1970s been a helicopter pioneer and operator. Their initial interest was materialized at the Heli-Expo when signing a Letter of Intent in 2014.

Olav Tronrud, CEO says: The progress achieved in the past years with the engineering and assembling of two flying prototypes, with a third prototype due in Summer 2017, and with the overall maturing of **MSH** as a company were the factors that lead to the decision of entering into a firm agreement.

MSH now raises the count of the Launch Customers that will be part of the limited group of operators of the SH09 in Europe. Those initial and limited operators will benefit from exceptional conditions, equipment base and collaboration concept with **MSH** working closely throughout the program development and particularly for the phase-in of the helicopter into operations.

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About MARENCO SWISSHELICOPTER AG (MSH):

Marengo Swisshelicopter AG was founded in 2007 for the purpose of developing, building, commercializing and supporting a new generation of turbine helicopters. With this industrial vision, MSH developed the SKYe SH09, guaranteeing to the operator superior operational performance, safety and life cycle economics that make the difference. Delivering best in class hot and high performance, the largest cabin/cargo volumes, outstanding modularity and latest generation electronic systems, the SKYe SH09 helicopter is built for the most demanding missions.

About TRONRUD ENGINEERING AS:

It was in 1977 that the founder of Tronrud Engineering, Ola Tronrud, laid the bases to build a company with a sound vision of "putting ideas into practice". Over the past four decades, the company has achieved the vision by developing, producing and delivering over 5000 projects of customized industrial projects, products and dedicated technical solutions tailored for its customers – providing innovation, quality, affordability and on-time delivery. The company CEO, Olav Tronrud, envisions to carry forward the legacy of being a pioneer in the sector of industrial automation. The company currently has 140 employees in its premises at Eggemoen, and its two subsidiaries – one in Singapore and one in Moss, south of Oslo. Over the past few years, a growing number of high-tech industries have moved to become part of the Eggemoen Aviation and Technology park.



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