

# Oshkosh Corporation Clears Legal Challenge Related to the \$6.7 Billion JLTV Production Contract

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*Competitor Withdraws Protest from the U.S. Court of Federal Claims*

OSHKOSH, Wis.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- [Oshkosh Defense](#), LLC, an Oshkosh Corporation (NYSE: OSK) company, is clear of the legal challenge related to its [Joint Light Tactical Vehicle \(JLTV\)](#) production contract award after a competitor withdrew its protest from the U.S. Court of Federal Claims. Last week, the Court of Federal Claims denied the competitor's request for a preliminary injunction, which allowed Oshkosh to continue work under the \$6.7 billion JLTV contract. The JLTV program is cited among the Department of Defense's top modernization priorities.

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The Oshkosh JLTV is the most advanced light tactical vehicle ever built. (Photo: Business Wire)

“Throughout this protest process, we have remained confident that Oshkosh provided the

most capable vehicle and best overall value in the JLTV competition,” said Wilson R. Jones, Oshkosh Corporation president and chief executive officer. “Because the U.S. Army and Marine Corps’ JLTV testing and evaluation process was extremely thorough, our nation’s Soldiers and Marines can rest assured they will be receiving the most advanced light tactical vehicle ever built.”

The JLTV program is a top priority for the Department of Defense, filling a critical capability gap for the U.S. Army and Marine Corps by replacing a large portion of the legacy HMMWV fleet with a modern light vehicle that provides unprecedented protection and off-road mobility, as well as transportability via air, land and sea. The JLTV production contract calls for Oshkosh to deliver a total of nearly 17,000 vehicles, as well as kits and sustainment services over an eight-year period.

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Oshkosh Defense is a leading provider of tactical wheeled vehicles and life cycle sustainment services. For decades Oshkosh has been mobilizing military and security forces around the globe by offering a full portfolio of heavy, medium, light and highly protected military vehicles to support our customers’ missions. In addition, Oshkosh offers advanced technologies and vehicle components such as TAK-4® independent suspension systems, TerraMax® unmanned ground vehicle solutions, Command Zone™ integrated control and diagnostics system, and ProPulse® diesel electric and on-board vehicle power solutions, to provide our customers with a technical edge as they fulfill their missions. Every Oshkosh vehicle is backed by a team of defense industry experts and complete range of sustainment and training services to optimize fleet readiness and performance. Oshkosh Defense, LLC is an Oshkosh Corporation company [NYSE: OSK].

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