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ARIANESPACE FLIGHT VA235 : SKY Brasil-1 / Telkom 3S

The Launch Readiness Review (RAL) took place in Kourou on Friday, February 10, 2017 and authorized count-down operations for SKY Brasil-1 / Telkom 3S.

For its second flight of the year from the Guiana Space Center, and the first Ariane 5 launch in 2017, Arianespace will orbit two satellites: SKY Brasil-1 for the operator AT&T/DIRECTV; and Telkom 3S for Telkom Indonesia, within the scope of a turnkey contract with Thales Alenia Space.

SKY Brasil-1 (also known as SKYB-1) will be the 10th satellite launched by Arianespace for the operator AT&T/DIRECTV. The most recent launch was on May 27, 2015, lofting SKY México-1 and DIRECTV 15 on the same Ariane 5.

Telkom 3S will be the third satellite entrusted to Arianespace by Telkom Indonesia within the scope of a turnkey contract with Thales Alenia Space.

The liftoff will be from the Ariane Launch Complex (ELA) in Kourou, French Guiana (South America).

LAUNCH TIME



Liftoff is planned on **Tuesday, February 14, 2017** as early as possible within the following launch window:

- > Between 4:39 p.m. and 6:05 p.m., Washington D.C. time
- > Between 6:39 p.m. and 8:05 p.m., Kourou time in French Guiana
- > Between 7:39 p.m. and 9:05 p.m., Brasilia time
- > Between 21:39 and 23:05, Universal Time (UTC)
- > Between 10:39 p.m. and 00:05 p.m., Paris time during the night of February 14 to 15
- Between 4.39 a.m. and 6:05 a.m., Jakarta time, Indonesia, on February 15.

1. TELEPHOTOS

On this occasion two HD photos will be sent by e-mail through AFP, EPA, REUTER'S, ASSOCIATED PRESS, kyodo press service (via reuter's). In Europe via ANP, ANSA, APA, BELGA, DPA, EFE, KEYSTONE, LUSA, PRESSEBILD and in Japan via JIJI press.

1.1 Ariane 5 launch vehicle on the ELA 3 launch pad (at sunset), at 8:00 pm local time on February 13 2017 (i.e. 23:00 UT).

1.2 Lift off of the Ariane 5, **starting from H0+1** hour 30mn on February 14, 2017 (i.e. 23:09 UT) if lift off happens at the beginning of launch window.

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2 LIVE TV AND EUROVISION COVERAGE

1.3 Live TV coverage:

Arianespace gives free of charge, for TV news purposes only, the live video transmission (or part of it) of the launch starting H-15 mn.

The signal is at your disposal at EBU Geneva center - Contact Hugo Pardo +41 22 717 2822. The video transmission is available with French and English technical commentaries. The signal is also available in the USA. Contact: Aaron Lewis +1 (202) 628-3936.

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The signal is available **only for TV and not for video streaming on the Internet**. For any use of the video streaming, please contact Arianespace Press Department (at least 3 days prior to the launch) which will indicate the conditions to create a link with the official Arianespace website (arianespace.com).

1.4 Eurovision coverage:

A short topic of the launch will be available in the EVN/EUROVISION.
Contact at the Eurovision News in Geneva: evn@eurovision.net

Thanking you in advance for taking advantage of these EVN/EUROVISION topics.

3 LIVE ON INTERNET

Live, high-speed, full-screen: See the next Ariane launch on arianespace.com

No matter where you are, go online for the launch, scheduled during the night of February 14, 2017. The webcast will start 15 mn before lift off

You can also watch the video transmission live on your iPad or iPhone, the Arianespace HD.App is available and it's free.

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