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Aaron Hankins is Senior Vice President and General Manager of the Leonardo DRS Land Systems business unit with primary operations in St. Louis (MO), West Plains (MO) and Goleta (CA). Land Systems delivers a broad portfolio of integrated systems and complex mission equipment packages supporting force protection, air defense and contested logistics, as well as heavy manufacturing, maintenance and overhaul of manned and unmanned ground platforms.

Aaron joined Leonardo DRS in 2004 and previously held leadership roles of increasing responsibility across the organization, from Senior Program Manager to Vice President and General Manager of the DRS Advanced Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance business unit.

Prior to joining Leonardo DRS, Aaron spent 10 years with The Boeing Company as a Systems Engineer and Flight Test Engineer supporting various F/A-18 programs. During his time at Boeing, he also deployed with Marine Corps Air Station Beaufort's VMFA(AW)-332 squadron during Operation Allied Force where he led an industry team providing technical assistance and training for the USMC in the first operational use of the F/A-18D Advanced Tactical Air Reconnaissance System (ATARS).

In addition to his responsibilities at Leonardo DRS, Aaron serves on the Board of Directors of Hoverfly Technologies.

Aaron holds a Master of Business Administration from Washington University in St. Louis and a Bachelor of Aerospace Engineering from the Missouri University of Science and Technology.