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**Aero Sekur at Farnborough International Airshow 2008  
Stand D8, Hall 4**

**Individual armour initiative from Aero Sekur**

Aero Sekur, the specialist manufacturer of safety systems and advanced flexible structures for the aerospace and defence markets, will launch a global marketing campaign and promote its wide product range and design competency at Farnborough International Airshow. Exhibiting on stand D8 - Hall 4, the company will confirm its international supply capability which includes parachutes, helicopter flotation systems, ground defence (including NBCR), fuel-tanks, R&D, repair/overhaul and space structures.

At the exhibition, Aero Sekur will confirm its capabilities in the fields of personal protection, engineering and development through its participation in the European Protective Individual Defence ARMour (EPIDARM) consortium. As a result of the alliance, an individual armour system is being produced which is tailored to the needs of each user.

Lightweight and flexible, the system includes CBRNE modular protection, heat stress regulation, ballistic protection and medical monitoring. With an established capability in NBC protection, camouflage and field tent systems the initiative is the latest in a series of defence sector developments by Aero Sekur and is the result of several year's work undertaken by consortium members.

Supporting the company's high profile presence at the airshow, the *Aero Sekur Shooting Stars*, the first all female parachute jump team to appear at Farnborough International Airshow, will perform an impressive synchronised parachute jump to mark the opening of the flying display on each day of the 2008 event.

**Footnote:** Featured on the Aero Sekur stand will be a SPacecrew Emergency Module (SPEM) display. The SPEM exhibit will illustrate Aero Sekur's innovative use of inflatable heat shield technology to develop a new generation rescue system for orbiting astronauts.

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